Conservation Area Advisory Committee

Denmark Street **Advisory Committee**

Application ref 2016/6979/P

Address Flat 4 40 Elsworthy Road London NW3 3DL

Planning Officer Laura Hazelton

03 Feb 2017 Comments by

Proposal Loft conversion including the erection of a rear and side

> dormer with rear roof terrace. Installation of 2 x large rooflights to front roof slope and 2 x small rooflights to front

and side roof slope

Objection Yes

Observations We would wish to endorse the objections raised by our

member Francoise Findlay as follows:

Quote....

This application contravenes all CamdenâÂÂs guidelines and policies for a development of this sort in the Elsworthy

Conservation Area.

The house is in a particularly strategic position being at the end of a group of attached houses and opposite Elsworthy Terrace which is the access to and from Primrose Hill.

The applicant has suggested that there are other dormers

and roof developments that set a precedent. I would like to point out that most, especially those at the end of Elsworthy Road â no 10 is an obvious example - should not be used as precedents since they were outside the Conservation Area until 1991. No. 42-22 have manifestly fewer roof alterations since they were within the CA since 1985 and therefore had greater protection from intrusive alterations such as those proposed in this application. Since

being within conservation areas planners have had the power to invoke the policies that were devised to protect the

essential features of the area.

This proposal will neither enhance or preserve the CA and

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we trust Camden to reject the application.

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