Regeneration and Planning

Development Management London Borough of Camden Town Hall Judd Street London WC1H 8ND

Tel 020 7974 4444 Fax 020 7974 1930 Textlink 020 7974 6866

planning@camden.gov.uk www.camden.gov.uk/planning

Application Ref: **2011/6032/P** Please ask for: **Charles Thuaire** Telephone: 020 7974 **5867**

14 March 2012

Dear Sir/Madam

Michael Fox

SE1 3JB

London

19 Maltings Place

169 Tower Bridge Road

Tibbalds Planning & Urban Design

DECISION

Town and Country Planning Acts 1990 (as amended) Town and Country Planning (General Development Procedure) Order 1995 Town and Country Planning (Applications) Regulations 1988

Full Planning Permission Granted Subject to a Section 106 Legal Agreement

Address: The Old Dairy 7 Wakefield Street London WC1N 1PG

Proposal:

Redevelopment of site to provide a mixed residential/commercial development in 2 blocks, comprising: 1102 sqm business space (Class B1) in 2x basement and 2 storey units at western end of site; 5 dwellinghouses (Class C3) in 5x basement and 2 storey units at eastern end of site, comprising of 1x 2-bedroom house with garden and 4x 3-bedroom houses with roof terraces; plus associated landscaping, courtyard servicing and vehicular access from Wakefield Street, and retention of existing northern boundary wall and gable end walls of warehouse adjoining Regent Square.

Drawing Nos: Site Location Plan; 1250-10-01, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6; 1250-11-001, 2C, 3C, 4C, 5B; 1250-12-001B, 2A, 3B, 4A; 1250-13-001B, 2B, 3B, 4B (all plans dated 10.02.2012); Doc 4- Planning, Design and Access Statement dated November 2011, plus Appendix of photoviews; Doc 5- Transport Statement dated October 2011; Doc 6- Sunlight and Daylight Report dated November 2011; Doc 7- Environmental Noise Survey & PPG24 Assessment report dated November 2011; Doc 8- Contamination Desktop Study dated November 2011;



Doc 9- Arboricultural Report dated November 2011; Doc 10- Archaeological Desktop Assessment dated November 2011; Doc 11a- Sustainability Strategy dated November 2011; Doc 11b- Energy Strategy dated November 2011; Doc 12- Heritage Assessment dated November 2009; Doc 13- Affordable Housing Statement dated January 2012; Doc 14- Report on the Implications of the Proposed Development on St. Georges Garden Boundary Wall dated November 2011; Doc 15- Construction Management Plan dated November 2011; Doc 16- Basement Design Statement dated November 2011;

The Council has considered your application and decided to grant permission subject to the following condition(s):

Condition(s) and Reason(s):

1 The development hereby permitted must be begun not later than the end of three years from the date of this permission.

Reason: In order to comply with the provisions of Section 91 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 (as amended).

2 The details of the doors, windows (including metal louvres), screens, balustrades, staircase hatches, facade metal cladding and other architectural features, at a scale of 1:20, and details of samples of all facing materials to be used on the buildings shall not be otherwise than as those submitted to and approved by the Council before any work is commenced on the relevant part of the development. The relevant part of the works shall not be carried out otherwise than in accordance with the details thus approved.

Reason: To safeguard the appearance of the premises and the character of the immediate area in accordance with the requirements of policy CS14 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Core Strategy and policies DP24 and DP25 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Development Policies.

3 No lights, meter boxes, flues, vents or pipes, and no telecommunications equipment, alarm boxes, television aerials or satellite dishes shall be fixed or installed on the external face of the buildings, without the prior approval in writing of the Council.

Reason: To safeguard the appearance of the premises and the character of the immediate area in accordance with the requirements of policy CS14 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Core Strategy and policies DP24 and DP25 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Development Policies.

4 A sample panel of the facing brickwork to be used on all elevations of the entrance Block 1, demonstrating the proposed colour, texture, face-bond and pointing, shall be provided on site and approved by the Council before the relevant parts of the works are commenced and the development shall be carried out in accordance with the approval given. The sample panel shall be retained on site until the work has been completed.

Reason: To safeguard the appearance of the premises and the character of the immediate area in accordance with the requirements of policy CS14 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Core Strategy and policies DP24 and DP25 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Development Policies.

5 No development shall take place until full details of hard and soft landscaping and means of enclosure of all open areas (including the proposed house patios and roof terraces), including details of the proposed private footway on the northern side of Block 1, have been submitted to and approved by the Council. The relevant part of the works shall not be carried out otherwise than in accordance with the details thus approved.

Reason: To enable the Council to ensure a reasonable standard of visual amenity in the scheme in accordance with the requirements of policies CS14 and CS15 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Core Strategy and policy DP24 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Development Policies.

6 All hard and soft landscaping works shall be carried out to a reasonable standard in accordance with the approved landscape details by not later than the end of the planting season following completion of the development or any phase of the development, whichever is the sooner. Any trees or areas of planting which, within a period of 5 years from the completion of the development, die, are removed or become seriously damaged or diseased, shall be replaced as soon as is reasonably possible and, in any case, by not later than the end of the following planting season, with others of similar size and species, unless the Council gives written consent to any variation.

Reason: To ensure that the landscaping is carried out within a reasonable period and to maintain a satisfactory standard of visual amenity in the scheme in accordance with the requirements of policies CS14 and CS15 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Core Strategy and policy DP24 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Development Policies.

7 All trees on the site, or parts of trees growing from adjoining sites, unless shown on the permitted drawings as being removed, shall be retained and protected from damage to the satisfaction of the Council and such construction work shall follow guidelines and standards set out in BS5837:2005 "Trees in Relation to Construction".

Reason: To ensure that the Council may be satisfied that the development will not have an adverse effect on existing trees and in order to maintain the character and amenities of the area in accordance with the requirements of policy CS15 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Core Strategy.

8 1.7 metre high privacy screens, details of which shall have been submitted to and approved by the Council, shall be erected on the northern sides facing Regent Square of all the inset roof terraces prior to commencement of their use and shall be permanently retained and maintained thereafter.

Reason: In order to prevent unreasonable overlooking of neighbouring premises in accordance with the requirements of policy CS5 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Core Strategy and policy DP26 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Development Policies.

9 Prior to commencement of works on site, a structural method statement for the method of securing the protection during construction works and permanent retention thereafter of the northern boundary walls and gable ends of the existing warehouse adjoining Regent Square, shown to be retained on the drawings hereby approved, shall be submitted to and approved by the Council. No works of demolition shall be carried out other than in accordance with the approved method statement.

Reason: To safeguard the appearance of the premises and the character of the immediate area and to safeguard the amenities of adjoining premises, in accordance with the requirements of policies CS5 and CS14 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Core Strategy and policies DP26, DP24 and DP25 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Development Policies.

10 No music shall be played on the Class B1 premises in such a way as to be audible within any adjoining premises.

Reason: To safeguard the amenities of the adjoining premises and the area generally in accordance with the requirements of policy CS5 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Core Strategy and policy DP26 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Development Policies

11 Noise levels at a point 1 metre external to sensitive facades shall be at least 5dB(A) less than the existing background measurement (LA90), expressed in dB(A) when all plant/equipment (or any part of it) is in operation unless the plant/equipment hereby permitted will have a noise that has a distinguishable, discrete continuous note (whine, hiss, screech, hum) and/or if there are distinct impulses (bangs, clicks, clatters, thumps), then the noise levels from that piece of plant/equipment at any sensitive façade shall be at least 10dB(A) below the LA90, expressed in dB(A).

Reason: To safeguard the amenities of the adjoining premises and the area generally in accordance with the requirements of policy CS5 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Core Strategy and policies DP26 and DP28 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Development Policies.

12 Details of any proposed ventilation and extraction plant for the Class B1 premises, including details of sound attenuation for any necessary plant, shall be submitted to and approved by the Council before occupation of the commercial units.

Reason: To safeguard the amenities of the adjoining premises and the area generally in accordance with the requirements of policy CS5 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Core Strategy and policies DP26 and DP28 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Development Policies

13 Before the development commences, details of the location, design and method of waste storage and removal (including recycled materials) shall be submitted to and approved by the Council and the approved facility shall therefore be provided prior to the first occupation of any of the new units and permanently maintained and retained thereafter.

Reason: To safeguard the amenities of the adjoining premises and the area generally in accordance with the requirements of policies CS5 and CS18 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Core Strategy and policy DP26 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Development Policies.

14 No development shall take place until:

a) The applicant has submitted a programme of ground investigation for the presence of soil and groundwater contamination and landfill gas for approval by the Council; and

b) The investigation has been carried out in accordance with the approved details and the results and remediation measures (if necessary) have been submitted to and approved by the Council.

c) All approved remediation measures shall be implemented strictly in accordance with the approved details and a verification report shall be submitted and approved by the Council.

Reason: To protect future occupiers of the development from the possible presence of ground contamination arising in connection with the previous industrial/storage use of the site in accordance with policy CS5 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Core Strategy and policy DP26 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Development Policies

15 No loading or unloading of goods, including fuel, by vehicles arriving at or departing from the premises shall be carried out otherwise than within the curtilage of the site.

Reason: To avoid obstruction of the surrounding streets and to safeguard amenities of adjacent premises in accordance with the requirements of policy CS11 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Core Strategy and policy DP16 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Development Policies. 16 Before the development is occupied the servicing and manaoeuvring area within the site shall be clearly marked out in an appropriate surface treatment stating "No Parking". Thereafter, at no time shall any goods, vehicles, plant equipment or other obstruction be left in this area and the markings shall be permanently maintained and retained unless prior written consent is given by the Council.

Reason: In order to satisfactorily provide for the turning of vehicles within the site and in the interests of highways and pedestrian safety in accordance with policy CS11 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Core Strategy and policy DP16 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Development Policies

17 Notwithstanding the details show on the drawings hereby approved, before the development commences, details of the proposed cycle storage area for 15 cycles shall be submitted to and approved by the Council. The approved facility shall thereafter be provided in its entirety prior to the first occupation of any of the new units, and thereafter permanently maintained and retained.

Reason: To ensure the development provides adequate cycle parking facilities in accordance with the requirements of policy CS11of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Core Strategy and policy DP17of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Development Policies.

18 Notwithstanding the provisions of Article 3 of the Town and Country Planning (General Permitted Development) Order 1995 as amended by the (No. 2) (England) Order 2008 or any Order revoking and re-enacting that Order, no development within Part 1 (Classes A-H) and Part 2 (Classes A-C) of Schedule 2 of that Order shall be carried out to the dwellinghouses without the grant of planning permission having first been obtained from the Council.

Reason: To safeguard the visual amenities of the area and to prevent over development of the site by controlling proposed extensions and alterations in order to ensure compliance with the requirements of policies CS14 and CS5 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Core Strategy and policies DP24 and DP26 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Development Policies

19 The lifetime homes features and facilities, as indicated on the drawings and documents hereby approved, shall be provided in their entirety prior to the first occupation of any of the new residential units and shall be permanently maintained and retained thereafter.

Reason: To ensure that the internal layout of the building is acceptable with regards to accessibility by future occupiers and their changing needs over time, in accordance with the requirements of policy CS6 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Core Strategy and policy DP6 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Development Policies.

20 a) No development shall take place until the applicant has secured the implementation of a programme of archaeological mitigation in accordance with a Written Scheme of Investigation which has been submitted to and approved by the local planning authority;

b) No development or demolition shall take place other than in accordance with the Written Scheme of Investigation approved under Part (a);

c) The development shall not be occupied until the site investigation and post investigation assessment has been completed in accordance with the programme set out in the Written Scheme of Investigation approved under Part (a), and the provision made for analysis, publication and dissemination of the results and archive deposition has been secured.

Reason: Important archaeological remains may exist on this site. Accordingly the Council wishes to secure the provision of archaeological investigation and the subsequent recording of the remains prior to development in accordance with the requirements of policy CS14 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Core Strategy and policy DP25 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Development Policies.

21 Prior to first occupation of the development, a plan showing details of bird and bat box locations and types and indication of species to be accommodated shall be submitted to and approved in writing by the local planning authority. The boxes shall be installed in accordance with the approved plans prior to the occupation of the development and thereafter retained and maintained, unless prior written permission is given by the local planning authority.

Reason: In order to secure appropriate features to conserve and enhance wildlife habitats and biodiversity measures within the development, in accordance with the requirements of policy CS15 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Core Strategy.

22 Full details in respect of all proposed green and brown roofs shall be submitted to and approved by the local planning authority before the relevant part of the development commences. The buildings shall not be occupied until the approved details have been implemented and these works shall be permanently retained and maintained thereafter.

Reason: In order to ensure the development undertakes reasonable measures to take account of biodiversity and the water environment in accordance with policies CS13, CS15 and CS16 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Core Strategy and policies DP22, DP23 and DP32 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Development Policies.

23 Details of security measures to be used on the site to achieve Secured by Design status, such as CCTV cameras, lighting, entrance gates, fencing etc, shall be submitted to and approved by the Council before any work is commenced on the relevant part of the development. The relevant part of the works shall not be carried out otherwise than in accordance with the details thus approved.

Reason: To safeguard the appearance of the premises and the character of the

immediate area and to ensure the scheme incorporates appropriate community safety measures, in accordance with the requirements of policies CS14 and CS17 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Core Strategy and policies DP24 and DP29 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Development Policies.

24 No works should be carried out to the trees in St Georges Gardens without agreement with the Council's Arboricultural Services section (contact Liam Vincent tel 020 7974 1544) regarding the nominated tree surgeon, scheduling and payment if necessary.

Reason: To ensure that the Council may be satisfied that the development will not have an adverse effect on existing trees and in order to maintain the character and amenities of the area in accordance with the requirements of policy CS15 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Core Strategy.

25 The development hereby permitted shall be carried out in accordance with the following approved plans: Site Location Plan; 1250-10-01, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6; 1250-11-001, 2C, 3C, 4C, 5B; 1250-12-001B, 2A, 3B, 4A; 1250-13-001B, 2B, 3B, 4B (all dated 10.02.12); Doc 4- Planning, Design and Access Statement dated November 2011, plus Appendix of photoviews; Doc 5- Transport Statement dated October 2011; Doc 6- Sunlight and Davlight Report dated November 2011; Doc 7-Environmental Noise Survey & PPG24 Assessment report dated November 2011; Doc 8- Contamination Desktop Study dated November 2011; Doc 9- Arboricultural Report dated November 2011; Doc 10- Archaeological Desktop Assessment dated November 2011; Doc 11a- Sustainability Strategy dated November 2011; Doc 11b-Energy Strategy dated November 2011; Doc 12- Heritage Assessment dated November 2009; Doc 14- Report on the Implications of the Proposed Development on St. Georges Garden Boundary Wall dated November 2011; Doc 15-Construction Management Plan dated November 2011; Doc 16- Basement Design Statement dated November 2011

Reason: For the avoidance of doubt and in the interest of proper planning.

Informative(s):

- 1 Your proposals may be subject to control under the Building Regulations and/or the London Buildings Acts which cover aspects including fire and emergency escape, access and facilities for people with disabilities and sound insulation between dwellings. You are advised to consult the Council's Building Control Service, Camden Town Hall, Argyle Street WC1H 8EQ, (tel: 020-7974 2363).
- 2 Your proposals may be subject to control under the Party Wall etc Act 1996 which covers party wall matters, boundary walls and excavations near neighbouring buildings. You are advised to consult a suitably qualified and experienced Building Engineer.
- 3 This site is within an area of archaeological significance/archaeological potential where development is likely to result in the destruction of ancient remains. Your

attention is drawn to the British Archaeologists and Developers Liaison Group Code of Practice agreed by the British Property Federation and the Standing Conference of Archaeological Unit Managers. The Council recognises and endorses this Code and will expect the developer and approved archaeological organisations to abide by its provisions.

- 4 You are advised that Thames Water requests that the developer incorporates suitable measures to deal with surface water drainage and sewage during storm conditions. You should contact Thames Water Developer Services on 0845-850-2777 for more information.
- 5 You are advised that there should be no demolition and construction vehicle movements during the Olympic period in July September 2012.
- 6 Your attention is drawn to the need for compliance with the requirements of the Environmental Health regulations, Compliance and Enforcement team, [Regulatory Services] Camden Town Hall, Argyle Street, WC1H 8EQ, (tel: 020 7974 4444) particularly in respect of arrangements for ventilation and the extraction of cooking fumes and smells.
- Noise from demolition and construction works is subject to control under the Control of Pollution Act 1974. You must carry out any building works that can be heard at the boundary of the site only between 08.00 and 18.00 hours Monday to Friday and 08.00 to 13.00 on Saturday and not at all on Sundays and Public Holidays. You are advised to consult the Council's Compliance and Enforcement team [Regulatory Services], Camden Town Hall, Argyle Street, WC1H 8EQ (Tel. No. 020 7974 4444 or on the website http://www.camden.gov.uk/ccm/content/contacts/councilcontacts/environment/contact-the-environmental-health-team.en or seek prior approval under Section 61 of the Act if you anticipate any difficulty in carrying out construction other than within the hours stated above.
- 8 This permission is granted without prejudice to the necessity of obtaining consent under the Town and Country Planning (Control of Advertisements) (England) Regulations 2007. Application forms may be obtained from the Council's website, www.camden.gov.uk/planning or the Camden Contact Centre on Tel: 020 7974 4444 or email env.devcon@camden.gov.uk)
- 9 If a revision to the postal address becomes necessary as a result of this development, application under Part 2 of the London Building Acts (Amendment) Act 1939 should be made to the Camden Contact Centre on Tel: 020 7974 4444 or Environment Department (Street Naming & Numbering) Camden Town Hall, Argyle Street, WC1H 8EQ.
- 10 You are advised that the Council will not necessarily look favourably on requests by future occupants of the houses hereby approved to prune or fell the adjoining trees in St Georges Gardens on account of possible complaints arising from shade or perceived loss of light from these trees.
- 11 Your attention is drawn to the fact that there is a separate legal agreement with the

Council which relates to the development for which this permission is granted. Information/drawings relating to the discharge of matters covered by the Heads of Terms of the legal agreement should be marked for the attention of the Planning Obligations Officer, Sites Team, Camden Town Hall, Argyle Street, WC1H 8EQ

12 Reasons for granting planning permission.

The proposed development is in general accordance with the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Core Strategy with particular regard to CS1 - Distribution of growth, CS5 - Managing the impact of growth and development, CS6 - Providing guality homes, CS8 - Promoting a successful and inclusive Camden economy, CS11 - Promoting sustainable and efficient travel, CS13 - Tackling climate change, CS14 - Promoting high quality places and conserving our heritage, CS15 - Protecting and improving open spaces & encouraging biodiversity, CS16 - Improving Camden's health and well-being, CS17 - Making Camden a safer place, CS18 - Dealing with waste, CS19 - Delivering and monitoring the Core Strategy; and with the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Development Policies with particular regard to DP2 -Making full use of Camden's capacity for housing, DP3 - Contributions to supply of affordable housing, DP5 - Housing size mix, DP6 - Lifetime homes and wheelchair homes, DP13 - Employment sites and premises, DP17 - Walking, cycling and public transport, DP18 - Parking standards and the availability of car parking, DP19 - Managing the impact of parking, DP20 - Movement of goods and materials, DP21 - Development connecting to highway network, DP22 - Sustainable design and construction, DP23 - Water, DP24 - Securing high quality design, DP25 -Conserving Camden's heritage, DP26 - Managing the impact of development on occupiers and neighbours, DP27 - Basements and lightwells, DP28 - Noise and vibration, DP29 - Improving access.

13 Reasons for granting planning permission (continued). Furthermore the proposal accords with the specific policy requirements in respect of the following principle considerations: The demolition of the existing neutral building is acceptable. The replacement development is considered appropriate in terms of bulk, height and footprint; its revised bespoke design and reduced massing and setbacks is an appropriate response to the unique constraints and character of the site and surroundings. It will thus preserve the setting of adjoining listed buildings and structures, the setting and character of the registered Garden and character of the overall conservation area. The works to the listed boundary wall associated with the basement excavation are also considered acceptable. The revised building form and facade design has been carefully designed and profiled to not harm neighbour amenity in terms of outlook, light and privacy or result in an unreasonable perception of overlooking to the Gardens. The scheme will not impact on parking, traffic or highway conditions, subject to S106 clauses. The replacement employment space and the new residential units are welcomed in meeting Council objectives and are acceptable in amount, location and size. The contribution for offsite affordable housing is welcomed and is considered acceptable in this instance.

Your attention is drawn to the notes attached to this notice which tell you about your Rights of Appeal and other information.

Yours faithfully

unlul Stopard

Rachel Stopard Director of Culture & Environment

It's easy to make, pay for, track and comment on planning applications on line. Just go to <u>www.camden.gov.uk/planning</u>.