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Application Ref: **2016/6425/P**Please ask for: **Sarah Freeman**Telephone: 020 7974 **2437** 

21 February 2017

Dear Sir/Madam

## **DECISION**

Town and Country Planning Act 1990 (as amended)

## **Full Planning Permission Granted**

Address:

3-4 Guilford Place London WC1N 1EA

Proposal: Replacement of external emergency light fittings within basement lightwells.

Drawing Nos: Site Location Plan; Design & Access Statement; Emergency Lighting Details; External Lighting Installation Locations.

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

## Condition(s) and Reason(s):

- 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).
- The development hereby permitted shall be carried out in accordance with the following approved plans: Site Location Plan; Design & Access Statement;



Emergency Lighting Details; External Lighting Installation Locations.

## Informative(s):

- 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/council-contacts/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.
- 2 Reasons for granting permission.

The proposed replacement of the existing external emergency light fittings within basement lightwells is considered to be acceptable in terms of its siting and design. It will have a very limited impact on the appearance of the host property (grade II listed building) and the streetscene. The proposal is therefore considered to preserve the character and appearance of the Bloomsbury Conservation Area and to preserve the appearance of the listed building.

The proposal is not considered to cause any adverse impacts on the amenity of adjoining residential occupiers.

No objections were received prior to making this decision. The site's planning history was taken into account when coming to this decision.

Special attention has been paid to the desirability of preserving the building or its setting or any features of special architectural or historic interest which it possesses, and of preserving or enhancing the character or appearance of the Conservation Area, under s. 66 and s.72 of the Listed Buildings and Conservation Areas Act 1990 as amended by the Enterprise and Regulatory Reform Act 2013.

As such, the proposal is in general accordance with policy CS5 and CS14 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Core Strategy, and policy DP24, DP25 and DP26 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Development Policies, and policies D1 and D2 of the emerging Camden Local Plan. The proposed development also accords with policies 7.4, 7.6 and 7.8 of the London Plan 2016, and paragraphs 14, 17, 56-68 and 126-141 of the National Planning Policy Framework.

In dealing with the application, the Council has sought to work with the applicant in a positive and proactive way in accordance with paragraphs 186 and 187 of the National Planning Policy Framework.

You can find advice about your rights of appeal at:

http://www.planningportal.gov.uk/planning/appeals/guidance/guidancecontent

Yours faithfully

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**Executive Director Supporting Communities**