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Application Ref: **2017/0971/L**
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Dear Sir/Madam

DECISION

Planning (Listed Building and Conservation Areas) Act 1990

Listed Building Consent Granted

Address:

**Flat 1d
King Edward Mansions
8 Grape Street
London
WC2H 8DY**

Proposal:

Demolition of wall separating two bathrooms

Drawing Nos: Design & access statement, heritage statement, GPS P EX rev A, GPS P PR rev A

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

Conditions And Reasons:

- 1 The works hereby permitted shall be begun not later than the end of three years from the date of this consent.

Reason: In order to comply with the provisions of Section 18 of the Planning (Listed Buildings and Conservation Areas) Act 1990.



- 2 All new work and work of making good shall be carried out to match the original work as closely as possible in materials and detailed execution.

Reason: In order to safeguard the special architectural and historic interest of the building 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.

- 3 The works hereby approved are only those specifically indicated on the drawing(s) referred to above.

Reason: In order to safeguard the special architectural and historic interest of the building 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.

Informative(s):

- 1 Reasons for granting listed building consent:

The site is the first floor of a former commercial premises of the 19th century building now converted to flats, which is listed grade II and is situated within the Bloomsbury Conservation Area.

The applicant wishes to make a doorway-sized aperture between two small existing bathrooms, to create a single Jack-and-Jill bathroom. The new aperture will be 1 metre wide and 2.1metre tall, with no woodwork, so as to read as new work. One lavatory will be removed.

The surfaces involved are modern, although the wall itself is thought to be original. Any original features such as cornices, will be left in situ and intact.

The proposed works will not harm the special interest of the grade-II-listed building and the site's planning history has been taken into account in making this decision. It was not necessary to consult the public on this application.

Special attention has been paid to the desirability of preserving the special interest of the listed building, under s.16 of the Listed Buildings and Conservation Areas Act 1990 as amended by the Enterprise and Regulatory Reform Act (ERR) 2013

As such, the proposal is in general accordance with policy CS14 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Core Strategy, policies DP24 and DP25 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Development Policies, and policies D1 and D2 of the emerging London Borough of Camden Local Plan. The proposed development also accords with policy 7.8 of the London Plan 2016 consolidated with amendments since 2011, and paragraphs 14, 17 and 126-141 of the National Planning Policy Framework.

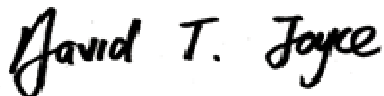
The Inspector's report on the Local Plan was published on 15 May 2017 and concludes that the plan is 'sound' subject to modifications being made to the Plan. While the determination of planning applications should continue to be made in accordance with the existing development plan until formal adoption, substantial weight may now be attached to the relevant policies of the emerging plan as a material consideration following publication of the Inspector's report, subject to any relevant recommended modifications in the Inspector's report.

- 2 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, 5 Pancras Square, London N1C 4AG (tel: 020-7974 6941).
- 3 You are advised that any works of alterations or upgrading not included on the approved drawings which are required to satisfy Building Regulations or Fire Certification may require a further application for listed building consent.

You can find advice about your rights of appeal at:

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

Yours faithfully

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "David T. Joyce". The signature is written in a cursive, slightly slanted style.

David Joyce
Director of Regeneration and Planning