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Dear Sir/Madam

DECISION

Town and Country Planning Act 1990 (as amended)

Full Planning Permission Granted

Address:

Flat A and Flat B 9 Rochester Road LONDON NW1 9JH

Proposal:

Replacement of existing partially glazed timber entrance door with a partially glazed timber entrance door to Flat A and existing timber entrance door with timber entrance door to Flat B (Class C3).

Drawing Nos: Design and Access Statement; 3 x Photos; 3564/WM/01 R-1; 3564/WM/02 R-3; 3565/WM/03.

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).

All new external work shall be carried out in materials that resemble, as closely as possible, in colour and texture those of the existing building, unless otherwise specified in the approved application.

Reason: To safeguard the appearance of the premises and the character of the immediate area in accordance with the requirements of policy D1 and D2 of the London Borough of Camden Local Plan 2017.

The development hereby permitted shall be carried out in accordance with the following approved plans: Design and Access Statement; 3 x Photos; 3564/WM/01 R-1; 3564/WM/02 R-3; 3565/WM/03.

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

Informative(s):

1 Reasons for granting permission:

The proposal seeks to replace a timber door with like-for-like door (design and material) to Flat B at upper ground floor, and a timber frame door with glazing pane with like-for-like to Flat A located at lower ground floor under the main access stairs in response to the poor condition of the existing ones.

The original material (composite) of the replacement door was considered to be unacceptable. The retention of timber as a traditional material would benefit the property and the conservation area and be more in keeping with the mid-19th century townhouse noted to be a positive contributor. As such, it was expected that the original features of the door should be retained and revisions were requested.

The amended proposal now consist of a like-for-like timber door (Flat B) and timber frame door with glazing (Flat A). They are considered to be acceptable in terms of its size, design, location and materials to be used. The new doors would preserve the character and appearance of the host and adjacent buildings, the conservation area and the streetscape.

The site's planning and appeal history has been taken into account when coming to this decision. No comments were received following the statutory consultations.

Special attention has been paid to the desirability of preserving or enhancing the character or appearance of the Conservation Area, under s.72 of the Planning (Listed Buildings and Conservation Areas) Act 1990 as amended by the Enterprise and Regulatory Reform Act 2013.

As such, the proposed development is in general accordance with policies A1, D1 and D2 of the Camden Local Plan 2017. The proposed development also accords with policies of the London Plan 2016; and the National Planning Policy Framework.

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- Your proposals may be subject to control under the Building Regulations and/or the London Buildings Acts that 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, Judd St, Kings Cross, London NW1 2QS (tel: 020-7974 6941).
- 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 Noise and Licensing Enforcement Team, Camden Town Hall, Judd St, Kings Cross, London NW1 2QS (Tel. No. 020 7974 4444 or search for 'environmental health' on the Camden website 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.

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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