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FAO Laura Hazelton

Thank you for allowing me to comment on planning application 2018/1920/P in relation to Hawley Wharf, Castlehaven Road, NW1 which details the CCTV, lighting and access control strategy for the development.

Unfortunately I am not qualified to confirm whether the CCTV which has been placed is appropriate for the location and therefore cannot state that a discharge of this condition has been met. As in this case where CCTV is going to be installed Homes 2016 (52.3.6) simply asks that the system conform to BS EN 62676: 2014 - video surveillance systems - and where applicable BS 7958: 2015 CCTV management and operation COP. The requirements of the Information Commissioner's Office should also be followed when covering areas which the public have access to. The MPS recommends that any CCTV system should undergo regular maintenance checks to ensure that it is still fit for purpose. These checks should be undertaken by a CCTV engineer from a reputable company accredited either by the National Security Inspectorate (NSI) or the Security Systems and Alarms Inspection Board (SSAIB). This maintenance should include not just software upgrades but also simple cleaning of camera lenses and their housing, the correct functioning and positioning of cameras and the ongoing recording of images suitable for facial identification of an individual. Footage should be preserved for a minimum of 30 days.

The 'Access Control' strategy appears to be okay and all the important external doors from the public realm are included and the main lifts have this security feature fitted.

As long as the lighting conforms to BS5489:2013, provides a 40% uniformity in all the areas it has been placed, no bollard lighting has been used and it complements the CCTV within this area then this will be satisfactory. Consideration to placement of the lights to ensure that landscaping and tree planting work together to mitigate seasonal variations. Colour rendition should achieve a minimum of 60Ra.

Kind regards

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