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Dear Sir/Madam

## **DECISION**

Town and Country Planning Act 1990

## Advertisement Consent Granted

Address:

Unit R04 Centre Point House 101-103 New Oxford Street London WC1A 1DD

Proposal: Display of internally illuminated digital display menu sign positioned behind the glazing at ground floor level of elevation to new pedestrian square for existing flexible use unit (Class A1, A3, A4).

Drawing Nos: 2013 (08)00 revA, 01 revA, 02 revA, 03, 04, 05 revA

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

## Conditions and Reasons:

1 No advertisement is to be displayed without the permission of the owner of the site or any other person with an interest in the site entitled to grant permission.

Reason: - As required by regulation 2(1) and Schedule 2 of the Town & Country Planning (Control of Advertisements) (England) Regulations 2007.

- 2 No advertisement shall be sited or displayed so as to
  - (a) endanger persons using any highway, railway, waterway, dock, harbour or aerodrome (civil or military);
  - (b) obscure, or hinder the ready interpretation of any traffic sign, railway signal or aid to navigation by water or air; or
  - (c) hinder the operation of any device used for the purpose of security or surveillance or for measuring the speed of any vehicle

Reason: - As required by regulation 2(1) and Schedule 2 of the Town & Country Planning (Control of Advertisements) (England) Regulations 2007.

3 Any advertisement displayed and any site used for the display of advertisements, shall be maintained in a condition that does not impair the visual amenity of the site.

Reason: - As required by regulation 2(1) and Schedule 2 of the Town & Country Planning (Control of Advertisements) (England) Regulations 2007.

4 Any structure or hoarding erected or used principally for the purpose of displaying advertisements shall be maintained in a safe condition.

Reason: - As required by regulation 2(1) and Schedule 2 of the Town & Country Planning (Control of Advertisements) (England) Regulations 2007.

Where an advertisement is required under these Regulations to be removed, the site shall be left in a condition that does not endanger the public or impair visual amenity.

Reason: - As required by regulation 2(1) and Schedule 2 of the Town & Country Planning (Control of Advertisements) (England) Regulations 2007.

The advertisement display shall be statically illuminated and the intensity of the illumination of the digital signs shall not exceed 450cd/m as stated on drawing number (08)05 revA.

REASON: To ensure that the advertisement does not harm the character and appearance of this part of the Denmark Street Conservation Area. In accordance with the requirements of policy D4 (Advertisements) of the Camden Local Plan 2017.

7 The digital signs shall not display any moving, or apparently moving, images (including animation, flashing, scrolling three dimensional, intermittent or video elements).

REASON: To ensure that the advertisement does not harm the character and appearance of this part of the Denmark Street Conservation Area. In accordance with the requirements of policy D4 (Advertisements) of the Camden Local Plan 2017.

## Informative(s):

1 Reason for granting permission-

The proposed illuminated menu display is considered acceptable in terms of size, design, location and method of illumination as it would not be unduly dominant nor harm the visual amenity of the street scene or the character and appearance of the Denmark Street Conservation Area.

Whilst the display would will have some impact in terms of light spill, the sign would be in a typical position, internally suspended signs behind the glazing and at a low level of illumination which would not be considered unduly dominant in this commercial locality. Conditions have been included in this decision to restrict the level of illumination and restrict the display of moving images to limit the impact of the digital displays. As a result, the menu display would not be considered to disturb neighbouring occupiers nor would they be harmful to either pedestrians or vehicular safety, in particular, as it would face a pedestrian square at ground floor level.

No objections have been received prior to making this decision and the site's planning and relevant enforcement history has been taken into account when coming to this decision.

Special regard has been attached to the desirability of preserving the listed building and the features of special architectural or historic interest which it possesses; and special attention has been paid to the desirability 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 (ERR) 2013.

As such, the proposed development is in general accordance with policy D4 (Advertisements) of the Camden Local Plan 2017. The proposed development also accords with the policies of the London Plan 2016 and the National Planning Policy Framework 2018.

- 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 in regard to your rights of appeal at:

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

Yours faithfully

David Joyce

Director of Regeneration and Planning

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