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Dear Sir/Madam

DECISION

Town and Country Planning Act 1990 (as amended)

Householder Application Granted Subject to a Section 106 Legal Agreement

Address:

6 Albert Terrace Mews
London
NW1 7TA

Proposal:

Excavation of a basement; the installation of air handling units at ground floor level; the blocking up of a side door; the lowering of a rear window cill to create a doorway; lowering the ground floor to provide level access; and conversion of the property to ancillary guest accommodation to 6 Albert Terrace.

Drawing Nos: 181(M).1250.L; 181(M).50.E2 rev A; 181(M).50.E3; 181(M).50.E4; 181(M).50.E5; 181(M).50.E6; 181(M).50.E7 rev A; 181(M).50.E8; 181(M).50.E9; 181(M).50.E10; 181(B).50.P1 rev A; 181(B).50.P2 rev A; 181(B).50.P3; 181(B).50.P4; 181(B).50.P5; 181(B).50.P6; 181(B).50.P7; 181(B).50.P8; 181(B).50.P9 rev A; 181(B).50.P10 rev A; Structural Engineering Proposals and Basement Impact Assessment produced by Alan Baxter dated July 2018; Noise impact assessment produced by Clement Acoustics dated May 2018; Planning and Heritage Statement and design and access statement produced by Humphrey Kelsey dated June 2018; Tree Survey, Arboricultural Impact Assessment and Tree Protection Plan produced by Dr Martin Dobson dated May 2018; Construction management plan produced by Blue Sky Building dated June 2018;

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

Condition(s) and Reason(s):

- 1 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).

- 2 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 if in CA] of the London Borough of Camden Local Plan 2017.

- 3 The development hereby permitted shall be carried out in accordance with the following approved plans:

181(M).1250.L; 181(M).50.E2 rev A; 181(M).50.E3; 181(M).50.E4; 181(M).50.E5; 181(M).50.E6; 181(M).50.E7 rev A; 181(M).50.E8; 181(M).50.E9; 181(M).50.E10; 181(B).50.P1 rev A; 181(B).50.P2 rev A; 181(B).50.P3; 181(B).50.P4; 181(B).50.P5; 181(B).50.P6; 181(B).50.P7; 181(B).50.P8; 181(B).50.P9 rev A; 181(B).50.P10 rev A; Structural Engineering Proposals and Basement Impact Assessment produced by Alan Baxter dated July 2018; Noise impact assessment produced by Clement Acoustics dated May 2018; Planning and Heritage Statement and design and access statement produced by Humphrey Kelsey dated June 2018; Tree Survey, Arboricultural Impact Assessment and Tree Protection Plan produced by Dr Martin Dobson dated May 2018; Construction management plan produced by Blue Sky Building dated June 2018.

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

- 4 Before the relevant part of the work is begun, detailed drawings, or samples of materials as appropriate, in respect of the following, shall be submitted to and approved in writing by the local planning authority:

a) Details including sections at 1:10 of all windows (including jambs, head and cill) and external doors;

b) Manufacturer's specification details of all facing materials (to be submitted to the Local Planning Authority) and samples of those materials (to be provided on site).

The relevant part of the works shall be carried out in accordance with the details thus approved and all approved samples shall be retained on site during the course of the works.

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.

- 5 The development hereby approved shall not commence until such time as a suitably qualified chartered engineer with membership of the appropriate professional body has been appointed to inspect, approve and monitor the critical elements of both permanent and temporary basement construction works throughout their duration to ensure compliance with the design which has been checked and approved by a building control body. Details of the appointment and the appointee's responsibilities shall be submitted to and approved in writing by the local planning authority prior to the commencement of development. Any subsequent change or reappointment shall be confirmed forthwith for the duration of the construction works.

Reason: To safeguard the appearance and structural stability of neighbouring buildings and the character of the immediate area in accordance with the requirements of policies D1, D2 and A5 of the London Borough of Camden Local Plan 2017.

- 6 The development hereby approved shall be carried out strictly in accordance with the BIA (and other supporting documents) compiled by Alan Baxter Ltd, as well as recommendations in the Basement Impact Assessment Audit report Rev F1 prepared by Campbell Reith, dated January 2018.

Reason: To safeguard the appearance and structural stability of neighbouring buildings and the character of the immediate area in accordance with the requirements of policies D1, D2 and A5 of the London Borough of Camden Local Plan 2017.

- 7 Prior to the commencement of works on site, tree protection measures shall be installed and working practices adopted in accordance with the tree protection plan dated 24th May 2018 ref. J21 by Martin Dobson Associates. All trees on the site, or parts of trees growing from adjoining sites, unless shown on the permitted drawings as being removed, shall be retained and protected from damage in accordance with BS5837:2012 and with the approved protection details. The works shall be undertaken under the supervision of the project arboriculturalist.

Reason: To ensure that the development will not have an adverse effect on existing trees and in order to maintain the character and amenity of the area in accordance with the requirements of policies A2 and A3 of the Camden Local Plan.

- 8 Noise levels at a point 1 metre external to sensitive facades shall be at least 5dB(A) less than the existing background measurement (LA90), expressed in dB(A) when all plant/equipment (or any part of it) is in operation unless the plant/equipment hereby permitted will have a noise that has a distinguishable, discrete continuous note (whine, hiss, screech, hum) and/or if there are distinct impulses (bangs, clicks, clatters, thumps), then the noise levels from that piece of plant/equipment at any sensitive façade shall be at least 10dB(A) below the LA90, expressed in dB(A).

Reason: To safeguard the amenities of the adjoining premises and the area generally in accordance with the requirements of policies D1, A1 and A4 of the

London Borough of Camden Local Plan 2017.

- 9 Before the use commences, the air-conditioning plant and associated sound attenuation measures shall be installed in accordance with the recommendations in the Noise Impact Assessment produced by Clement Acoustics dated May 2018. All such measures shall thereafter be retained and maintained in accordance with the manufacturers' recommendations.

Reason: To safeguard the amenities of the adjoining premises and the area generally in accordance with the requirements of policy A1, A4, and D1 of the London Borough of Camden Local Plan 2017.

- 10 No development shall commence until:
- (a) a written Preliminary Risk Assessment (PRA) and scheme of investigation has been submitted to and approved by the local planning authority in writing; the PRA must take account of the historical and environmental context of the site and can be based on a desk study or the Enhanced Environmental Information Review detailed below; and
 - (b) following the approval detailed in paragraph (a), a written scheme of remediation measures has been submitted to and approved by the local planning authority in writing.

The remediation measures shall be implemented strictly in accordance with the approved scheme and a written report detailing the remediation shall be submitted to and approved by the local planning authority in writing prior to occupation.

Reason: To protect future occupiers of the development from the possible presence of ground contamination arising in connection with the previous industrial/storage use of the site in accordance with policies G1, D1, A1, and DM1 of the London Borough of Camden Local Plan 2017.

- 11 In the event that additional significant contamination is found at any time when carrying out the approved development it must be reported in writing immediately to the local planning authority. An investigation and risk assessment must be undertaken in accordance with the requirements of the Environment Agency's Model Procedures for the Management of Contamination (CLR11), and where mitigation is necessary a scheme of remediation must be designed and implemented to the satisfaction of the local planning authority before any part of the development hereby permitted is occupied.

Reason: To protect future occupiers of the development from the possible presence of ground contamination arising in connection with the age of the building and the site conditions in accordance with policies D1 and A1 of the Camden Local Plan 2017.

Informative(s):

- 1 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).

- 2 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.
- 3 Your proposals may be subject to control under the Party Wall etc Act 1996 which covers party wall matters, boundary walls and excavations near neighbouring buildings. You are advised to consult a suitably qualified and experienced Building Engineer.
- 4 You are advised that the appropriate standards for tree work are set out in BS 3998: 2010. Failure to ensure that the proposed works are carried out to these standards may result in damage to the tree(s) and may result in legal action by the Council.
- 5 Your attention is drawn to the fact that there is a separate legal agreement with the Council which relates to the development for which this permission is granted. Information/drawings relating to the discharge of matters covered by the Heads of Terms of the legal agreement should be marked for the attention of the Planning Obligations Officer, Sites Team, Camden Town Hall, Argyle Street, WC1H 8EQ.
- 6 With regard to condition 10 above the preliminary risk assessment is required in accordance with CLR11 model procedures for management of contaminated land and must include an appropriate scheme of investigation with a schedule of work detailing the proposed sampling and analysis strategy. You are advised that the London Borough of Camden offer an Enhanced Environmental Information Review available from the Contaminated Land Officer (who has access to the Council's historical land use data) on 020 7974 4444, or by email, <http://www.camden.gov.uk/ccm/content/contacts/council-contacts/environment/contact-the-contaminated-land-officer.en>, and that this information can form the basis of a preliminary risk assessment. Further information is also available on the Council's Contaminated Land web pages at <http://www.camden.gov.uk/ccm/navigation/environment/pollution/contaminated-land/>, or from the Environment Agency at www.environment-agency.gov.uk.

In dealing with the application, the Council has sought to work with the applicant in a positive and proactive way in accordance with paragraph 38 of the National Planning Policy Framework 2019.

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, appearing to read 'DP', is positioned above the printed name.

Daniel Pope
Chief Planning Officer