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13 February 2020

Our ref: GAO/ANE/CHST/J7623A

Your ref: PP-08505428

Dear Sirs.

Castlewood House (77-91) and Medius House (63-69), New Oxford Street, London, WC1A 1DG
Discharge of Condition 32 of Planning Permission Ref. 2017/0618/P
Bird Boxes

On behalf of our client, Royal London Mutual Insurance Society, we enclose an application to discharge Condition 32 of the planning permission ref. 2017/0618/P ('the planning permission').

Background

The Planning Permission dated 21 December 2017, to which this application for approval of details relates, is for the following development:

'Demolition of existing office building at Castlewood House (Class B1), and erection of an 11 storey office building (Class B1) with retail and restaurant uses (Class A1/A3) at ground floor level; enlargement of existing double basement level and formation of roof terraces and rooftop plant along with associated highways, landscaping, and public realm improvement works. Partial demolition of Medius House with retention of the existing façade, and erection of a two storey roof extension including private roof terraces, in connection with the change of use of the building from office (Class B1) and retail (Class A1) to provide 18 affordable housing units (Class C3) at upper floor levels with retained retail use at ground floor level'.

Condition 32 - Bird Boxes

Condition 32 of the planning permission requires the following:

'Prior to commencement of the development within the relevant phase (a) Castlewood House; (b) Medius House other than demolition, site clearance, and preparation works details of bird nesting features (boxes or bricks) shall be submitted to and approved in writing by the Local Planning Authority. Features should be integrated into the fabric of the building, unless otherwise agreed by the Local Planning Authority. Details shall include the exact location, height, aspect, specification and indication of species to be accommodated, in line with the recommendations in the Preliminary Ecological



Appraisal. Boxes shall be installed in accordance with the approved plans prior to the first occupation of the development and thereafter maintained'.

Application Documentation

The following information is submitted via the planning portal:

- Planning Portal application form, prepared by Gerald Eve LLP; and
- Ecology cover letter, prepared by Basecology.

The requisite application fee of £116 has been made via the Planning Portal.

Please do not hesitate to contact Alex Neal (020 7333 6301) or Chloe Staddon (020 3486 3417) of this office should you have any questions or concerns. We look forward to receiving notice of your receipt and validation of this application.

Yours faithfully,

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Enc. As above Via the Planning Portal