

Council reference: EN20/0861

IMPORTANT – THIS COMMUNICATION AFFECTS YOUR PROPERTY

**TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 1990 (AS AMENDED BY THE
PLANNING AND COMPENSATION ACT 1991)**

ENFORCEMENT NOTICE

ISSUED BY: THE LONDON BOROUGH OF CAMDEN

1. **THIS IS A FORMAL NOTICE** which is issued by the Council because it appears to them that there has been a breach of planning control, under Section 171 A (1) (a) of the above Act, at the land described below. They consider that it is expedient to issue this notice, having regard to the provisions of the development plan and to other material planning considerations. The Explanatory Note at the end of the Notice and the enclosures to which it refers contain important additional information.

2. **THE LAND TO WHICH THE NOTICE RELATES**

Land at: Studio Flat, 49 Tottenham Court Road London W1T 2EG as shown outlined in black on the attached plan (“the Property”).

3. **THE BREACH OF PLANNING CONTROL ALLEGED**

Without planning permission: The use of the Property as ‘temporary sleeping accommodation’ (as defined by Section 25 of the Greater London (General Powers) Act 1973 and as set out in the ‘Explanatory Note’ below) for more than 90 nights in the same calendar year in breach of Section 25A (2)(a) and (b) of the Greater London Council (General Powers) Act 1973.

4. **REASONS FOR ISSUING THIS NOTICE:**

- a) The change of use has occurred within the last 10 years.
- b) The number of nights that the flat has been let on a short term basis has exceeded the conditions set by Section 25 of the Greater London Council (General Powers) Act 1973 except to the extent allowed by Section 25A (1) of that Act, which permits the use subject to Conditions, including Conditions set out at Section 25A (2) (a) and (b) limiting the use as temporary sleeping accommodation to a

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maximum of 90 nights in any one calendar year. In doing exceeding the 90-day limit this has resulted in the unacceptable loss of permanent residential accommodation in the Borough which is contrary to policies H1 (Maximising housing supply), and H3 (Protecting existing homes), of the Camden Local Plan (2017)

5. WHAT YOU ARE REQUIRED TO DO

Within a period of **ONE (1) month** of the Notice taking effect:

1. Discontinue the use of the premises as 'temporary sleeping accommodation' as defined at Section 25 of the Greater London Council (General Powers) Act 1973 except to the extent allowed by Section 25A (1) of that Act, which permits the use subject to Conditions, including Conditions set out at Section 25A (2) (a) and (b) which limit use as temporary sleeping accommodation to a maximum of 90 nights in any one calendar year

6. WHEN THIS NOTICE TAKES EFFECT

This notice takes effect on **17 December 2020** unless an appeal is made against it beforehand.



DATED: 5 November 2020 Signed:

**Chief Planning Officer, Supporting Communities on behalf of the
London Borough of Camden, Town Hall, Judd Street, London
WC1H 8JE**

**Explanatory Note Pursuant to Regulation 5 of the Town and Country
(Enforcement Notices and Appeals) (England) Regulations 2002**

An appeal may be brought on any of the following grounds—

- (a) that, in respect of any breach of planning control which may be constituted by the matters stated in the notice, planning permission ought to be granted or, as the case may be, the condition or limitation concerned ought to be discharged;

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- (b) that those matters have not occurred;
- (c) that those matters (if they occurred) do not constitute a breach of planning control;
- (d) that, at the date when the notice was issued, no enforcement action could be taken in respect of any breach of planning control which may be constituted by those matters;
- (e) that copies of the enforcement notice were not served as required by section 172;
- (f) that the steps required by the notice to be taken, or the activities required by the notice to cease, exceed what is necessary to remedy any breach of planning control which may be constituted by those matters or, as the case may be, to remedy any injury to amenity which has been caused by any such breach;
- (g) that any period specified in the notice in accordance with section 173(9) falls short of what should reasonably be allowed.

Not all these grounds may be relevant to you.

If you appeal against the notice on Ground (a) "That planning permission should be granted for what is alleged in the enforcement notice, or that the condition which is alleged not to have been complied with should be discharged" there is a fee payable under Regulation 10 of the Town and Country Planning (Fees for Applications, Deemed Applications, Requests and Site Visits) (England) Regulations 2012/No.2920 for the deemed application for the planning permission for the development alleged to be in breach of planning control in the enforcement notice.

The fee is payable twice to the "London Borough of Camden", as the Local Planning Authority.

If you wish to appeal under Ground (a), the fee payable to the "London Borough of Camden" should accompany the copy of the appeal form sent to the Council at the following address:

Appeals and Enforcement
Supporting Communities
Regeneration and Planning
Development Management
London Borough of Camden
Town Hall
Judd Street
London
WC1H 9JE

The fee is £990.00

The TOTAL FEE payable is £990.00 (i.e. £495.00 x 2)

STATEMENT ON GROUNDS OF APPEAL

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You must submit to the Secretary of State, either when giving notice of appeal or within 14 days from the date on which the Secretary of State sends him a notice so requiring, a statement in writing specifying the grounds on which you are appealing against the Enforcement Notice and stating briefly the facts on which you propose to rely in support of each of those grounds.

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ANNEX

YOUR RIGHT OF APPEAL

You can appeal against this notice, but any appeal must be received, or posted in time to be **received**, by the Planning Inspectorate acting on behalf of the Secretary of State **before** the date specified in paragraph 6 of the notice.

The enclosed information sheet published by the Planning Inspectorate gives details of how to make an appeal

link to <http://www.planningportal.gov.uk/uploads/pins/eninfosheet.pdf>

WHAT HAPPENS IF YOU DO NOT APPEAL

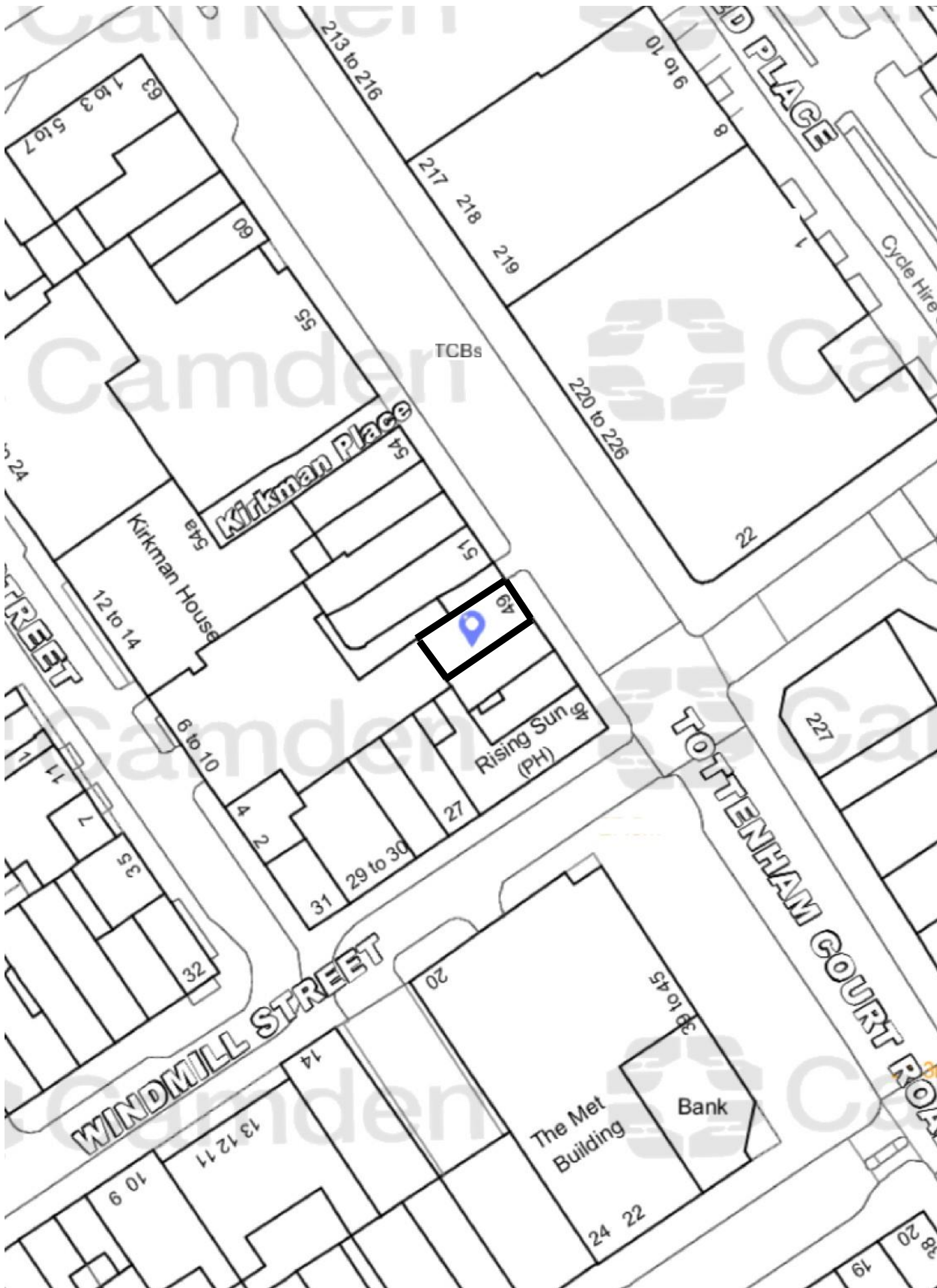
If you do not appeal against this enforcement notice, it will take effect on **17 December 2020**, and you must then ensure that the required steps for complying with it, for which you may held responsible, are taken within the period specified in the notice. Failure to comply with an enforcement notice, which has taken effect, can result in prosecution and/or remedial action by the Council.

The information contained within this notice is a summary of sections 171A, 171B and 172-177 of the Town and Country Planning Act, 1990.

For the full sections of the act please see:

<http://www.legislation.gov.uk/ukpga/1990/8/part/VII>

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Camden

4B Tottenham Court Road, London, W1T
2EG

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Customer Support Team
Temple Quay House
2 The Square
Temple Quay Bristol
BS1 6PN

Direct Line 0303-444 5000
Email enquiries@planninginspectorate.gov.uk

THIS IS IMPORTANT

If you want to appeal against this enforcement notice you can do it:-

- on-line at the Appeals Casework Portal (<https://acp.planninginspectorate.gov.uk/>); or
- sending us enforcement appeal forms, which can be obtained by contacting us on the details above.

You MUST make sure that we RECEIVE your appeal BEFORE the effective date on the enforcement notice.

Please read the appeal guidance documents at <https://www.gov.uk/appeal-enforcement-notice/how-toappeal>.

In exceptional circumstances you may give written notice of appeal by letter or email. You should include the name and contact details of the appellant(s) and either attach a copy of the Enforcement notice that you wish to appeal or state the following:

- the name of the local planning authority;
- the site address; and
- the effective date of the enforcement notice.

We MUST receive this BEFORE the effective date on the enforcement notice. This should immediately be followed by your completed appeal forms.

April 2019

REQUISITION FOR INFORMATION

TAKE NOTICE that, pursuant to the provisions of section 16 of the Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1976, London Borough of Camden hereby require you to state in writing the nature of your interest in the above land or premises.

You are also required to state in writing the name and address of any other person known to you as having an interest in the said land or premises, as freehold, mortgagee, lessee or otherwise, or who receives rent for the land.

A form is attached hereto on which the information required may be given by means of your replies to the questions set out therein. No covering letter is necessary.

NOTE

Section 16 of the Local Government Act (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1976 provides as follows:

16.— Power of local authorities to obtain particulars of persons interested in land.

(1) Where, with a view to performing a function conferred on a local authority by any enactment, the authority considers that it ought to have information connected with any land, the authority may serve on one or more of the following persons, namely—

- (a) the occupier of the land; and*
- (b) any person who has an interest in the land either as freeholder, mortgagee or lessee or who directly or indirectly receives rent for the land; and*
- (c) any person who, in pursuance of an agreement between himself and a person interested in the land, is authorised to manage the land or to arrange for the letting of it, a notice specifying the land and the function and the enactment which confers the function and requiring the recipient of the notice to furnish to the authority, within a period specified in the notice (which shall not be less than fourteen days beginning with the day on which the notice is served), the nature of his interest in the land and the name and address of each person whom the recipient of the notice believes is the occupier of the land and of each person whom he believes is, as respects the land, such a person as is mentioned in the provisions of paragraphs (b) and (c) of this subsection.*

(2) A person who—

- (a) fails to comply with the requirements of a notice served on him in pursuance of the preceding subsection; or*
- (b) in furnishing any information in compliance with such a notice makes a statement which he knows to be false in a material particular or recklessly makes a statement which is false in a material particular,*

shall be guilty of an offence and liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding level 5 on the standard scale.

**Return of Information required to be given under
section 16 of the Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1976**

From(name)
.....(address)

In reply to notice dated **5 November 2020**

And regarding **STUDIO FLAT 49 TOTTENHAM COURT ROAD LONDON W1T 2EG**

I hereby declare that the following information is correct to the best of my knowledge;

..... (signed)

My interest in the land is as	
Name (in full) and address of occupier	
State whether premises is held on weekly tenancy, Agreement or lease and term	
Name (in full) and address of person to whom rent is paid If he is Agent for another person state name (in full) and address of such person	
Name (in full) and address of Freeholder	
Name (in full) and address of Leaseholder	
Name (in full) and address of Mortgagee	
Name (in full) and address of any other person having an interest in the Premises and the nature of such an interest	

This form must be returned to the following address within 14 days of the date of service of the notice:
Legal Planning Team
On behalf of the Borough Solicitor
London Borough of Camden
Town Hall
Judd Street
London WC1H 9LP

Punjabi

ਜ਼ਰੂਰੀ: ਇਹ ਫਾਰਮ ਸਾਡੇ ਕੋਲ ਭੇਜਣ ਲਈ ਖਾਸ ਮਿਆਦ ਹੈ। ਇਸ ਮਿਆਦ ਦਾ ਸਮਾਂ ਪੂਰਾ ਹੋ ਜਾਣ ਤੋਂ ਪਹਿਲਾਂ ਇਹ ਫਾਰਮ ਸਾਡੇ ਕੋਲ ਲਾਜ਼ਮੀ ਤੌਰ ਤੇ ਪਹੁੰਚ ਜਾਣਾ ਚਾਹੀਦਾ ਹੈ। ਜੇ ਤੁਹਾਨੂੰ ਇਹ ਫਾਰਮ ਭਰਨ ਲਈ ਮਦਦ ਦੀ ਲੋੜ ਹੈ, ਤਾਂ ਅਸੀਂ ਤੁਹਾਨੂੰ ਸੁਝਾਉਂਦੇ ਹਾਂ ਕਿ ਤਸੀਂ ਇਹਦੇ ਬਾਰੇ ਕਿਸੇ ਤੋਂ ਸਲਾਹ ਲਓ।

Gujarati

મહત્વનું : અમને આ ફોર્મ મોકલવા માટે સમય મર્યાદા છે. આ સમય મર્યાદા પૂરી થાય તે પહેલાં અમને તે મળી જવું જ જોઈએ. જો તમને આ ફોર્મ ભરવા માટે મદદની જરૂર હોય તો અમે તમને સલાહ મેળવવાનું સૂચન કરીએ છીએ.

Hindi

आवश्यक : इस फॉर्म को हमारे पास भिजवाने की एक समय-सीमा है। उस समय-सीमा के बीतने से पहले हमें यह फॉर्म अवश्य मिल जाना चाहिए। यदि आपको इस फॉर्म को भरने में सहायता चाहिए, तो हमारा सुझाव है कि आप किसी की सलाह लें। -

Urdu

اہم : اس فارم کو ہمیں بھیجنے کے لئے وقت کی ایک معیاد ہے۔ اس معیاد کے گزرنے سے پہلے پہلے ہمیں یہ لازمی طور پر مل جانا چاہیے۔ اگر اس فارم کو بھرنے میں آپ کو مدد کی ضرورت ہے تو ہماری رائے ہے کہ آپ مشورہ حاصل کریں۔

Bengali

জরুরী: এই ফর্ম আমাদের কাছে পাঠানোর একটা সময়সীমা আছে। এই সময়সীমা শেষ হবার আগেই এটা অবশ্যই আমাদের কাছে পৌঁছাতে হবে। এই ফর্ম পূরণ করায় যদি আপনার সাহায্যের দরকার হয় তাহলে আমাদের প্রস্তাব, কারো পরামর্শ নিন।

Chinese

通知：把這份表格寄回給我們是有時間限制的。我們必須在過期之前收到這份表格。假若你需要別人幫助你填寫這份表我們建議你尋求指導。

English

IMPORTANT: There is a time limit for sending this form to us. We must receive it before the time expires. If you need help filling in this form, we suggest you get advice.