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Dear Sir/Madam

DECISION

Town and Country Planning Act 1990

Advertisement Consent Granted

Address:

Kings Cross Square Unit 2 Euston Road London N1C 4DE

Proposal:

Installation of non-illuminated fascia sign and 2 x projecting signs. (Revised) Drawing Nos: Site Location Plan 001, 100, 200 B, 201 B, 202 B.

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.

Informative(s):

1 Reasons for granting permission:

The proposed signage is considered to be acceptable in terms of scale, material and positioning and would not appear incongruous in this setting. The signage shall not be illuminated which is welcome due to the close proximity of listed buildings.

The initial proposal included high level adverts and illuminated adverts which were not considered appropriate for the character of the conservation area or setting of the grade I listed buildings (Kings Cross Station and St Pancras Station). The Council's Conservation Officer and the Kings Cross CAAC raised concerns with the initial scheme, but objections were withdrawn following the revisions.

The proposal is not considered to cause any highways safety concerns, nor would it negatively impact on any residential amenity.

The site's planning and appeals history has been taken into account when coming to this decision.

As such, the proposal is in general accordance with policy D4 of the Camden Local Plan 2017, the London Plan 2021 and the National Planning Policy Framework 2019.

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 in regard to your rights of appeal at: http://www.planningportal.gov.uk/planning/appeals/guidance/guidancecontent

Yours faithfully

Daniel Pope

Chief Planning Officer