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Dear Sir/Madam

#### **DECISION**

Town and Country Planning Act 1990 (as amended)

## **Full Planning Permission Granted**

Address:

39 Abingdon Close London NW1 9UT

Proposal:

Enclosure of existing balcony to create additional internal accommodation.

Drawing Nos: PLD 21 81754 (Existing), PLD 21 81755 (Proposed), Proposed Elevation A-A

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).

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 of the London Borough of Camden Local Plan 2017.

The development hereby permitted shall be carried out in accordance with the following approved plans PLD 21 81754 (Existing), PLD 21 81755 (Proposed) and Proposed Elevation A-A

#### Reason:

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

# Informative(s):

- 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 Reasons for granting permission.

The front balcony infill would move the window 2.1m forward of its current position, expanding the existing hall 4.5 sq. m. to create a room connected to the main flat. As such the infill extension is considered sympathetic to the proportions of the building and to respect the symmetry of the block (recognising that the symmetry to the front is already broken by another balcony infill). The window frames will be white power-coated metal aluminium which will be consistent with other windows on the building and acceptable considering that the building is neither a positive contributor to the Conservation Area and nor prominent in the streetscape. Furthermore this type of development has also been implemented on the block already under 2018/0986/P and 2004/2381/P respectively.

No loss of outlook, increased sense of enclosure are created through this scheme, and privacy will be marginally increased by the erection of a wall to the rear balcony. No other significant amenity impacts are anticipated in terms of noise, light pollution, or impact on daylight or sunlight.

No objections have been received. The site's planning history was also taken into account when coming to this decision.

Considerable importance and weight has been attached to the harm and special attention has been paid to the desirability of preserving or enhancing the character or appearance of the conservation area, under s.72 of the Listed Buildings and Conservation Areas Act 1990.

As such, the proposed development is in general accordance with policies A1, D1 and D2 of the London Borough of Camden Local Plan 2017. The development also accords with Camden Square Conservation Area Appraisal

and Management Strategy as well as the London Plan 2021 and the NPPF 2021.

- This approval does not authorise the use of the public highway. Any requirement to use the public highway, such as for hoardings, temporary road closures and suspension of parking bays, will be subject to approval of relevant licence from the Council's Streetworks Authorisations & Compliance Team, 5 Pancras Square c/o Town Hall, Judd Street London WC1H 9JE (Tel. No 020 7974 4444). Licences and authorisations need to be sought in advance of proposed works. Where development is subject to a Construction Management Plan (through a requirement in a S106 agreement), no licence or authorisation will be granted until the Construction Management Plan is approved by the Council.
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- All works should be conducted in accordance with the Camden Minimum Requirements a copy is available on the Council's website (search for 'Camden Minimum Requirements' at www.camden,gov.uk) or contact the Council's Noise and Licensing Enforcement Team, 5 Pancras Square c/o Town Hall, Judd Street London WC1H 9JE (Tel. No. 020 7974 4444)

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 must secure the approval of the Council's Noise and Licensing Enforcement Team prior to undertaking such activities outside these hours.

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 2021.

You can find advice about your rights of appeal at: <a href="http://www.planningportal.gov.uk/planning/appeals/guidance/guidancecontent">http://www.planningportal.gov.uk/planning/appeals/guidance/guidancecontent</a>

Yours faithfully

Daniel Pope Chief Planning Officer