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## **Development Management**

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Dear Sir/Madam

## DECISION

Planning (Listed Building and Conservation Areas) Act 1990

## Listed Building Consent Granted

Address: 15 Chalcot Crescent London NW1 8YE

Proposal:

Replacement of rear garden boundary wall between no. 15 & 17 Chalcot Crescent and some internal works. Drawing Nos:

Location plan; Lower ground floor as built; Lower ground floor plan prior to works; Elevations of front and rear of property prior to works and existing; Rear garden boundary wall elevations/ interior wall elevations/ cross section walls & floor and skirting details; Heritage Statement by Hughes Design Associates dated September 13th 2021; Method Statement by Hughes Design Associates dated September 13th 2021.

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

Conditions And Reasons:

1 The works hereby permitted shall be begun not later than the end of three years from the date of this consent.

Reason: In order to comply with the provisions of Section 18 of the Planning (Listed Buildings and Conservation Areas) Act 1990.

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

Location plan; Lower ground floor as built; Lower ground floor plan prior to works; Elevations of front and rear of property prior to works and existing; Rear garden boundary wall elevations/ interior wall elevations/ cross section walls & floor and skirting details; Heritage Statement by Hughes Design Associates dated September 13th 2021; Method Statement by Hughes Design Associates dated September 13th 2021.

Reason: In order to safeguard the special architectural and historic interest of the building in accordance with the requirements of policy D2 of the Camden Local Plan 2017.

3 All new work and work of making good shall be carried out to match the existing adjacent work as closely as possible in materials and detailed execution.

Reason: In order to safeguard the special architectural and historic interest of the building in accordance with the requirements of policy D2 of the Camden Local Plan 2017.

Informative(s):

1 No 15 Chalcot Crescent is listed grade II and is within the Primrose Hill Conservation Area.

This retrospective application concerns the rebuilding of a boundary garden wall, remedial works and the introduction of damp proof treatment to the lower ground floor flat.

The rebuilding of the brick garden wall has resulted in the removal of two planters and associated soil and the use of mass concrete footings. This will likely impact on the ability of rain water to soak away and the possible growing of plants in the future. The rear gardens of this particular area are an important part of the setting of the surrounding listed buildings.

The wall has been rebuilt in yellow stock bricks which is considered appropriate.

Internally the remedial work involved the use of tanking which is not a reversible measure and is not normally advised for historic structures. To relieve damp it is recommended historic fabric is allowed to breathe. The introduction of natural ventilation is also recommended. Despite the modest

level of harm on balance there are no objections to the works as removal and remedial works are likely to cause greater damage.

Public consultation was carried out through a press notice and a site notice which expired 09/01/22. No responses were received.

The site's planning history has been taken into account when making this decision

Special regard has been attached to the desirability of preserving the listed building and its features of special architectural or historic interest, under s.16 of the Planning (Listed Buildings and Conservation Areas) Act 1990 as amended by the Enterprise and Regulatory Reform Act (ERR) 2013.

As such, the proposal is in general accordance with policies D1 and D2 of the Camden Local Plan 2017. The proposed development also accords with the London Plan 2021 and the National Planning Policy Framework 2021.

- 2 You are advised that any works of alterations or upgrading not included on the approved drawings which are required to satisfy Building Regulations or Fire Certification may require a further application for listed building consent.
- 3 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).
- 4 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.
- 5 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.
- 6 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.

7 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)

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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:

http://www.planningportal.gov.uk/planning/appeals/guidance/guidancecontent

Yours faithfully

Daniel Pope Chief Planning Officer