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Dear Sir/Madam

## **DECISION**

Town and Country Planning Act 1990 (as amended)

### **Full Planning Permission Granted Subject to a Section 106 Legal Agreement**

Address:

**11-12 Grenville Street  
London  
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Proposal:

Change of use of upper floor offices class (E) to residential (C3) use to provide 5 x residential units (1 x studio, 3 x 1 bed and 1 x 2 bed), demolition of existing rear garage and erection of a 2 storey 2 bed dwelling with basement, consolidation of the existing ground floor retail and cafe (E) to provide a replacement retail/restaurant (E) and installation of replacement kitchen extract plant; erection of a 1st to 3rd floor rear infill extension and external alterations to the front elevation including reopening of the side entrance door, replacement windows, shopfront and roof.

Drawing Nos: 1112GS-PP3-00; 1112GS-PP3-01 REVA; 1112GS-PP3-02 REVA; 1112GS-PP3 REVA; 1112GS-PP3-04 REVA; 1112GS-PP3-05 REVA; 1112GS-PP3-06 REVA; 1112GS-PP3-06B REVA; 1112GS-PP3-07; 1112GS-PP3-08 REVA; 1112GS-PP3-09; 1112GS-PP3-10; 1112GS-PP3-11 REVA; 1112GS-PP3-12; 1112GS-PP3-13 REVA; 1112GS-PP3-14; Energy and Sustainability Statement - 241121V2; Energy-Appendix A; Energy-Appendix B; Cover letter PP3; DAS-Planning, Design and Access Statement REVA; Basement Impact Assessment - Part 1 - Unchanged from previously approved; Basement Impact Assessment - Part 2 - Unchanged from previously approved; BIA Audit - Unchanged from previously approved; Daylight and Sunlight Report - Unchanged from previously approved; Daylight and Sunlight Report\_window map - Unchanged from previously approved; Draft Construction Management Plan - Unchanged from previously approved; Marketing Statement - Unchanged from previously approved; Heritage Appraisal - Unchanged from previously approved; Draft

Construction Management Plan - Unchanged from previously approved; Noise Impact Assessment - Unchanged from previously approved; Planning Statement - Unchanged from previously approved; Energy and Sustainability Statement - 241121; Appendix A; Appendix B; Appendix C and Appendix D.

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).

- 2 The development hereby permitted shall be carried out in accordance with the following approved plans: 1112GS-PP3-00; 1112GS-PP3-01 REVA; 1112GS-PP3-02 REVA; 1112GS-PP3 REVA; 1112GS-PP3-04 REVA; 1112GS-PP3-05 REVA; 1112GS-PP3-06 REVA; 1112GS-PP3-06B REVA; 1112GS-PP3-07; 1112GS-PP3-08 REVA; 1112GS-PP3-09; 1112GS-PP3-10; 1112GS-PP3-11 REVA; 1112GS-PP3-12; 1112GS-PP3-13 REVA; 1112GS-PP3-14; Energy and Sustainability Statement - 241121V2; Energy-Appendix A; Energy-Appendix B; Cover letter PP3; DAS-Planning, Design and Access Statement REVA; Basement Impact Assessment - Part 1 - Unchanged from previously approved; Basement Impact Assessment - Part 2 - Unchanged from previously approved; BIA Audit - Unchanged from previously approved; Daylight and Sunlight Report - Unchanged from previously approved; Daylight and Sunlight Report\_window map - Unchanged from previously approved; Draft Construction Management Plan - Unchanged from previously approved; Marketing Statement - Unchanged from previously approved; Heritage Appraisal - Unchanged from previously approved; Draft Construction Management Plan - Unchanged from previously approved; Noise Impact Assessment - Unchanged from previously approved; Planning Statement - Unchanged from previously approved; Energy and Sustainability Statement - 241121; Appendix A; Appendix B; Appendix C and Appendix D.

Reason:

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

- 3 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.

- 4 The demolition hereby permitted shall not be undertaken before a construction contract for the carrying out of the development hereby approved by this permission has been made and details of this construction contract have been

submitted to and approved in writing by the local planning authority.

Reason: To safeguard the character of the conservation area in accordance with the requirements of policy D2 of the London Borough of Camden Local Plan 2017.

- 5 The development hereby approved shall not commence until such time as a suitably qualified chartered engineer with membership of the appropriate professional body has been appointed to inspect, approve and monitor the critical elements of both permanent and temporary basement construction works throughout their duration to ensure compliance with the design which has been checked and approved by a building control body. Details of the appointment and the appointee's responsibilities shall be submitted to and approved in writing by the local planning authority prior to the commencement of development. Any subsequent change or reappointment shall be confirmed forthwith for the duration of the construction works.

Reason: To safeguard the appearance and structural stability of neighbouring buildings and the character of the immediate area in accordance with the requirements of policy A5 of the London Borough of Camden Local Plan 2017.

- 6 The ground floor/basement commercial unit hereby approved shall only be used for commercial use within Class E and shall not be used for any other use in the schedule of the Town and Country Planning (Use Classes) Order 1987 (as amended) unless otherwise agreed in writing by the local planning authority through the submission of a planning application.

Reasons: To protect the vitality and viability of this designated retail frontage and to safeguard the amenities of the adjoining premises and the area generally in accordance with the requirements of policies TC1, TC2, TC4 and A1 of the London Borough of Camden Local Plan 2017.

- 7 Detailed drawings, or samples of materials as appropriate in respect of the following, shall be submitted to and approved in writing by the local planning authority prior to the commencement of the development:
- a) Plan, elevation and section drawings, including jambs, head and cill, of all new external window and doors at a scale of 1:10 with typical glazing bar details at 1:1.
  - b) Typical details of new railings and balustrade at a scale of 1:10 with finials at 1:1, including the method of fixing.
  - c) Samples and manufacturer's details of new facing materials including windows; timber and brickwork. The sample panels of all facing materials shall demonstrate the proposed colour, texture, face-bond and pointing.
  - d) Details drawings including sections and elevations at a scale of 1:20 of the new shopfronts including glazing and glazing bars; fascia panel; awnings; capital and console brackets.
  - e) Details of all new signage for the commercial unit(s) including size; location and illumination of all new fascia and projecting signs

The development shall be implemented only in accordance with the approved

details.

Reason: To safeguard the appearance of the premises and the character of the immediate area in accordance with the requirements of policies D1 and D2 of the London Borough of Camden Local Plan 2017.

- 8 The external noise level emitted from plant, machinery or equipment at the development hereby approved shall be lower than the lowest existing background noise level by at least 10dBA as assessed according to BS4142:2014 at the nearest and/or most affected noise sensitive premises, with all machinery operating together at maximum capacity.

Reason: To safeguard the amenities of the adjoining premises and the area generally in accordance with the requirements of policies A1, A4, TC2 and TC4 of the London Borough of Camden Local Plan 2017.

- 9 The proposed basement excavation shall be carried out in accordance with the recommendations, requirements and methodologies of the Basement Impact Assessment documents and supporting information hereby approved.

Reason: To safeguard the appearance and structural stability of neighbouring buildings and the character of the immediate area in accordance with the requirements of policies D1, A1 and A5 of the London Borough of Camden Local Plan 2017.

- 10 The commercial use hereby permitted shall not be carried out outside the following times 07:30 - 23:00 Mondays to Saturdays and 09:00 - 22:30 on Sundays and Bank Holidays.

Reason: To safeguard the amenities of the adjoining premises and the area generally in accordance with the requirements of policy CC5, A1 and A4 of the London Borough of Camden Local Plan 2017.

- 11 No lights, meter boxes, flues, vents or pipes, and no telecommunications equipment, alarm boxes, television aerials, satellite dishes or rooftop 'mansafe' rails shall be fixed or installed on the external face of the building, without the prior approval in writing of the local planning authority.

Reason: To safeguard the appearance of the premises and the character of the immediate area in accordance with the requirements of policies D1 and D2 of the London Borough of Camden Local Plan 2017.

- 12 The proposed side and rear facing windows to unit 1 (mews dwelling) shall be obscure glazed and fixed shut to 1.7 m above finished floor level and the proposed side facing windows at ground floor level to unit 2 (facing onto the Colonnade) shall be obscure glazed and fixed shut, all of which shall be permanently retained as such thereafter.

Reason: To safeguard the amenities of the adjoining premises in accordance with the requirements of policy A1 of the London Borough of Camden Local Plan 2017.

- 13 Notwithstanding the provisions of Article 3 of the Town and Country Planning (General Permitted Development) Order 2015 as amended, or any Order revoking and re-enacting that Order, no development within Part 1 (Classes A-

H) [and Part 2 (Classes A-C)] of Schedule 2 of that Order shall be carried out without the grant of planning permission having first been obtained from the local planning authority.

Reason: To safeguard the visual amenities of the area and to prevent over development of the site by controlling proposed extensions and alterations in order to ensure compliance with the requirements of policies G1, D1, D2 and A1 of London Borough of Camden Local Plan 2017.

- 14 Details of an air quality report and suitable air quality mitigation measures shall be submitted to and approved in writing by the Local Planning Authority prior to the commencement of the development. The development shall thereafter be implemented only in accordance with the approved mitigation measures which shall be permanently retained thereafter.

Reason: To safeguard the amenities of the adjoining premises and the area generally in accordance with the requirements of policies G1, A1, D1 and CC4 of the London Borough of Camden Local Plan 2017.

- 15 Details of refuse storage and management arrangements for the proposed commercial unit shall be submitted to and approved in writing by the Local Planning Authority prior to occupation of the unit. The development shall thereafter be implemented only in accordance with the approved measures which shall be permanently retained thereafter.

Reason: To safeguard the amenities of the adjoining premises and the area generally in accordance with the requirements of policies A1, D1 and CC5 of the London Borough of Camden Local Plan 2017.

- 16 At least 28 days before the development commences:

(a) a written programme of ground investigation for the presence of soil and groundwater contamination and landfill gas shall be submitted to and approved by the local planning authority; and  
(b) following the approval detailed in paragraph (a), an investigation shall be carried out in accordance with the approved programme and the results and a written scheme of remediation measures [if necessary] shall be submitted to and approved by the local planning authority.

The remediation measures shall be implemented strictly in accordance with the approved scheme and a written report detailing the remediation shall be submitted to and approved by the local planning authority prior to occupation.

Reason: To protect future occupiers of the development from the possible presence of ground contamination arising in connection with the previous industrial/storage use of the site in accordance with policy A1 of the London Borough of Camden Local Plan 2017.

- 17 The noise level in rooms at the development hereby approved shall meet the noise standard specified in BS8233:2014 for internal rooms and external amenity areas.

Reason: To safeguard the amenities of the proposed residential flats in accordance with the requirements of policies A1 and A4 of the London Borough of Camden Local Plan 2017.

- 18 Prior to commencement of the development, details shall be submitted to and approved in writing by the Council, of an enhanced sound insulation value  $D_{nT,w}$  and  $L'_{nT,w}$  of at least 5dB above the Building Regulations value, for the floor/ceiling/wall structures separating different types of rooms/ uses in adjoining dwellings, namely [eg. living room and kitchen above bedroom of separate dwelling]. Approved details shall be implemented prior to occupation of the development and thereafter be permanently retained.

Reason: To safeguard the amenities of the proposed residential flats in accordance with the requirements of policies A1 and A4 of the London Borough of Camden Local Plan 2017.

- 19 Notwithstanding the approved drawings, before occupation commences, details of a secure and covered cycle storage area for 9 cycles shall be submitted to and approved by the local planning authority. The approved facility shall thereafter be provided in its entirety prior to the first occupation of any of the new units, and permanently retained thereafter.

Reason: To ensure the development provides adequate cycle parking facilities in accordance with the requirements of policy T1 of the London Borough of Camden Local Plan 2017.

- 20 Details of the means of ensuring visual privacy to the bedroom windows overlooking the Colonnade shall be submitted to and approved in writing by the Local Planning Authority prior to the occupation of the units. The development shall be carried out in accordance with the details thereby approved and permanently maintained thereafter.

Reason: To ensure an acceptable level of privacy is provided to residential occupiers in accordance with policy A1 of the London Borough of Camden Local Plan 2017.

Informative(s):

- 1 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 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.

- 3 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](http://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.

- 4 A Groundwater Risk Management Permit from Thames Water will be required for discharging groundwater into a public sewer. Any discharge made without a permit is deemed illegal and may result in prosecution under the provisions of the Water Industry Act 1991. We would expect the developer to demonstrate what measures he will undertake to minimise groundwater discharges into the public sewer. Permit enquiries should be directed to Thames Water's Risk Management Team by telephoning 020 3577 9483 or by emailing [trade.effluent@thameswater.co.uk](mailto:trade.effluent@thameswater.co.uk) . Application forms should be completed on line via [www.thameswater.co.uk](http://www.thameswater.co.uk). Please refer to the Wholesale; Business customers; Groundwater discharges section.
- 5 This proposal may be liable for the Mayor of London's Community Infrastructure Levy (CIL) and the Camden CIL. Both CILs are collected by Camden Council after a liable scheme has started, and could be subject to surcharges for failure to assume liability or submit a commencement notice PRIOR to commencement. We issue formal CIL liability notices setting out how much you may have to pay once a liable party has been established. CIL payments will be subject to indexation in line with construction costs index. You can visit our planning website at [www.camden.gov.uk/cil](http://www.camden.gov.uk/cil) for more information, including guidance on your liability, charges, how to pay and who to contact for more advice. Camden adopted new CIL rates in October 2020 which can be viewed at the above link.
- 6 Your attention is drawn to the fact that there is a separate legal agreement with the Council which relates to the development for which this permission is granted. Information/drawings relating to the discharge of matters covered by the Heads of Terms of the legal agreement should be marked for the attention of the Planning Obligations Officer, Sites Team, Camden Town Hall, Argyle Street, WC1H 8EQ.
- 7 Under Section 25 of the GLC (General Powers) Act 1983, the residential accommodation approved is not permitted for use as holiday lettings or any

other form of temporary sleeping accommodation defined as being occupied by the same person(s) for a consecutive period of 90 nights or less. If any such use is intended, then a new planning application will be required which may not be approved.

- 8 You are advised that Section 44 of the Deregulation Act 2015 [which amended the Greater London Council (General Powers) Act 1973]] only permits short term letting of residential premises in London for up to 90 days per calendar year. The person who provides the accommodation must be liable for council tax in respect of the premises, ensuring that the relaxation applies to residential, and not commercial, premises.

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

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'DPope', is written over a light grey rectangular background.

Daniel Pope  
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