

Board Direction PL06D.248263

The submissions on this file and the Inspector's report were considered at a Board meeting held on 23rd August 2017.

The Board decided to grant permission generally in accordance with the Inspector's recommendation, for the following reasons and considerations, and subject to the following conditions.

Reasons and Considerations

Having regard to the residential zoning objective and pattern of development in the area and to the design, nature and scale of the proposed development, it is considered that, subject to compliance with the conditions set out below, the proposed development would not seriously injure the visual or residential amenities of the area, nor would it adversely affect the character or setting of the adjacent protected structure and would be acceptable in terms of traffic safety and convenience. The proposed development would, therefore, be in accordance with the proper planning and sustainable development of the area.

Conditions

 The proposed development shall be carried out and completed in accordance with the plans and particulars lodged with the application, as amended by the plans submitted on the 05th day of January 2017, except as may otherwise be required in order to comply with the following conditions. Where such conditions require details to be agreed with the planning authority, the developer shall agree such details in writing with the planning authority prior to commencement of development and the development shall be carried out and completed in accordance with the agreed particulars.

Reason: In the interest of clarity.

2. Details of the materials, colours and textures of all external finishes to the proposed development, shall be submitted to, and agreed in writing with the planning authority, prior to the commencement of development.

Reason: In the interest of the visual amenities of the area.

3. The window at first floor level on the northern elevation of house no. 2 serving the ensuite bathroom, shall be fitted with obscure glazing and maintained as such permanently.

Reason: In the interest of residential amenity.

4. Site development and building works shall be carried out only between the hours of 0700 to 1800 Mondays to Fridays inclusive, between 0800 to 1400 hours on Saturdays and not at all on Sundays and public holidays. Deviation from these times will only be allowed in exceptional circumstances where prior written approval has been received from the planning authority.

Reason: In order to safeguard the residential amenities of property in the vicinity.

Water supply and drainage arrangements, including the disposal of surface water, shall comply with the requirements of the planning authority for such works.

Reason: To ensure adequate servicing of the development, and to prevent pollution.

6. The construction of the development shall be managed in accordance with a Construction Management Plan, which shall be submitted to, and agreed in writing with, the planning authority prior to commencement of development. This plan shall provide details of intended construction practice for the development, including, noise management measures and off-site disposal of construction/demolition waste.

Reason: In the interest of public safety and residential amenity.

7. Tree/hedgerow protection measures shall be implemented during construction on site to ensure preservation of all trees and hedgerow boundaries to be retained on site. The details of such are to be submitted and agreed in writing the planning authority prior to the commencement of development.

Reason: In the interest of orderly development.

8. The developer shall pay to the planning authority a financial contribution in respect of public infrastructure and facilities benefiting development in the area of the planning authority that is provided or intended to be provided by or on behalf of the authority in accordance with the terms of the Development Contribution Scheme made under section 48 of the Planning and Development Act 2000. The contribution shall be paid prior to the

commencement of development or in such phased payments as the planning authority may facilitate and shall be subject to any applicable indexation provisions of the Scheme at the time of payment. Details of the application of the terms of the Scheme shall be agreed between the planning authority and the developer or, in default of such agreement, the matter shall be referred to the Board to determine the proper application of the terms of the Scheme.

Reason: It is a requirement of the Planning and Development Act 2000 that a condition requiring a contribution in accordance with the Development Contribution Scheme made under section 48 of the Act be applied to the permission.

Note: The Board did not consider it necessary to seek further information regarding removal of trees and that agreement with the planning authority on tree/hedgerow protection measures was sufficient.

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Board Member		Date:
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