

## Board Direction BD-006611-20 ABP-307175-20

The submissions on this file and the Inspector's report were considered at a Board meeting held on 29/09/2020.

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 provisions of the Kilkenny County Development Plan 2014-2020, and the nature and scale of the proposed development, it is considered that, subject to compliance with the conditions set out below, the proposed amendments to the site layout would be relatively minor in the context of the permitted development, the refurbishment and extension of the existing house would be a positive development for the streetscape and the urban fabric of the village and the revised house types proposed would have no undue adverse impact on the residential amenity of the adjacent property. The proposed development would, therefore, be in accordance with the proper planning and sustainable development of the area.

## Conditions

1. The development shall be carried out and completed in accordance with the plans and particulars lodged with the application, as amended by the further

plans and particulars submitted on 05/03/2020, 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.

 The development shall be carried out and completed in accordance with the relevant terms and conditions of the permission granted under planning register reference 17/64, except as amended in order to comply with the conditions attached to this permission.

**Reason:** In the interest of clarity and to ensure that the overall development is carried out in accordance with the previous permission.

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

Reason: In the interest of visual amenity.

4. All 19<sup>th</sup> Century buildings shall be roofed in natural slate, Irish or Welsh, new or salvage. Prior to the commencement of the refurbishment and extension works to the existing house, samples and detail of same shall be submitted for the written approval of the planning authority.

**Reason:** In the interest of visual amenity and conservation of the built heritage setting.

5. The developer shall pay to the planning authority a financial contribution in respect of public infrastructure and facilities benefitting 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, as amended. The contribution shall be paid prior to 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 An Bord Pleanála to determine the proper application of the terms of the Scheme.

**Reason:** It is a requirement of the Planning and Development Act 2000, as amended, 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.

**Board Member** 

**Date:** 01/10/2020

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