

**Board Direction BD-008856-21 ABP-309726-21** 

The submissions on this file and the Inspector's report were considered at a Board meeting held on 06/08/2021.

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 site's mixed-use land use zoning objective, within which a mix of residential and commercial activity takes place, and the existing, established use on the site, it is considered that, subject to compliance with the conditions set out below, the development proposed for retention would not have an undue impact on the character or setting of the Protected Structure or protected structures in the vicinity, and would not seriously injure the residential amenities of the area or of property in the vicinity. The development proposed for retention would, therefore, be in accordance with the proper planning and sustainable development of the area.

## Conditions

The development shall be retained in accordance with the plans and particulars lodged with the application, 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

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developer shall agree such details in writing with the planning authority prior to the 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. (a) During the operational phase of the retained development, the noise level arising from the development, as measured at the nearest noise sensitive locations shall not exceed:
  - (i) An Leq,1h value of 55 dB(A) during the period 0800 to 2200 hours from Monday to Sunday inclusive.
  - (ii) An Leq,15 min value of 45 dB(A) at any other time. The noise at such time shall not contain a tonal component.
  - (b) Procedures for the purpose of determining compliance with these limits shall be submitted to, and agreed in writing with, the planning authority prior to commencement of development.
  - (c) All sound measurement shall be carried out in accordance with ISO Recommendation 1996:2007: Acoustics Description and Measurement of Environmental Noise.

**Reason:** To protect the residential amenities of property in the vicinity of the site.

3. 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, 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

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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** 

Stephen Bohan

Date: 06/08/2021