

Board Direction BD-019550-25 ABP-319786-24

The submissions on this file and the Inspector's report were considered at a Board meeting held on 25/04/2025.

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 location and character of the site and surrounding area in a serviced urban area together with the provisions of the Dún Laoghaire-Rathdown County Development Plan 2022-2028 including the 'NC' zoning objective for the area, it is considered that, subject to compliance with the conditions set out below, the scale and nature of the development is acceptable. The development would comply with local design guidance and would not seriously injure the visual or residential amenity or the built heritage of the area. The development is, therefore, 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 received by the planning authority on the 05<sup>th</sup> day of April 2024, except as may otherwise be required in order to comply with the

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	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. <b>Reason:</b> In the interest of clarity.
2.	Prior to commencement of construction, the Applicant shall submit, for the written approval of the Planning Authority (Transportation Planning), the following documents demonstrating accordance with the requirements of Dun Laoghaire-Rathdown County Council's Standards for Cycle Parking and associated Cycling Facilities for New Developments (January 2018): (a) a detailed layout drawing indicating that a minimum of 4 No. of the proposed 6 No. cycle parking spaces shall be provided as covered, secure (restricted access) staff (long stay) cycle parking spaces, (b) a detailed layout drawing indicating the provision of lockers and drying facilities in the proposed development for staff. <b>Reason:</b> To align with the National Transport Authority's Active Travel Programme
3.	
4.	A revised Construction and Environmental Management Plan (CEMP) shall be submitted to and agreed in writing with the planning authority prior to the commencement of development. The CEMP shall include but not be limited to construction phase controls for traffic management, dust, noise and vibration, waste management, protection of soils, groundwaters, and surface waters, site housekeeping, emergency response planning, site

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environmental policy, complaints management procedures, public liaison and project roles and responsibilities.

Reason: In the interest of environmental protection.

5 Site development and building works shall be carried out between the hours of 07:00 to 19:00 Mondays to Fridays inclusive, between 08:00 to 14:00 on Saturdays and not at all on Sundays and public holidays. Deviation from these times shall only be allowed in exceptional circumstances where prior written agreement has been received from the planning authority.

Reason: In the interest of clarity.

6 The developer shall ensure that the development is served by adequate water supply and/or wastewater facilities and shall enter into a connection agreement (s) with Uisce Éireann (Irish Water) to provide for a service connection(s) to the public water supply and/or wastewater collection network prior to the commencement of development.

**Reason:** In the interest of public health and to ensure adequate water/wastewater facilities.

7 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 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.

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**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: 28/04/2025