

# Board Order ABP-310876-21

Planning and Development Acts 2000 to 2020

Planning Authority: Dublin City Council

Planning Register Reference Number: WEB1465/21

**Appeal** by Brian Lally of 148 McKee Avenue, Finglas, Dublin against the decision made on the 21<sup>st</sup> day of June, 2021 by Dublin City Council to grant subject to conditions a permission to David Austin care of Stephen Austin of 146 McKee Avenue, Finglas East, Dublin in accordance with plans and particulars lodged with the said Council:

Proposed Development: First floor partial demolition to form openings in the gable end wall to the side of existing house and proposed construction of a new first floor extension over existing single storey extension to the side and rear of the existing house with pitched roof. Proposed new extension comprising new bedroom with en-suite shower room, home study and shower room. Proposed minor internal modifications and decoration to the existing house and associated site ancillary works at 146 McKee Avenue, Finglas East, Dublin.

## **Decision**

GRANT permission for the above proposed development in accordance with the said plans and particulars based on the reasons and considerations under and subject to the conditions set out below.

## **Matters Considered**

In making its decision, the Board had regard to those matters to which, by virtue of the Planning and Development Acts and Regulations made thereunder, it was required to have regard. Such matters included any submissions and observations received by it in accordance with statutory provisions.

### Reasons and Considerations

Having regard to the provisions of the Dublin City Development Plan 2016-2022, the zoning of the site, and the nature, scale and location of the proposed development to the side and rear of the existing dwelling, it is considered that, subject to compliance with the conditions set out below, the proposed development would not seriously injure the amenities of the area or of properties in the vicinity. 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, 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 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.

The existing dwelling and proposed extension shall be jointly occupied 2. as a single residential unit and the extension shall not be sold, let or otherwise transferred or conveyed, save as part of the dwelling.

Reason: To restrict the use of the extension in the interest of residential amenity.

3. Notwithstanding the exempted development provisions of the Planning and Development Regulations, 2001, and any statutory provision replacing or amending them, no development falling within Class 1 or Class 3 of Schedule 2, Part 1 of those Regulations shall take place within the curtilage of the house, without a prior grant of planning permission.

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

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4. Access to the single storey, flat roof, area shall be for maintenance purposes only. For the avoidance of doubt, the ground floor roof shall not be used for amenity purposes without the benefit of a separate grant of permission.

**Reason:** To protect the residential amenities of adjoining residential properties

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

Reason: In the interest of public health.

6. Site development and building works shall be carried out only between the hours of 0700 to 1800 Mondays to Fridays inclusive, 0800 to 1400 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.

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.

**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.

John Connolly

Member of An Bord Pleanála duly authorised to authenticate the seal of the Board.

Dated this 17th day of November 2021.

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