

Board Order ABP-316249-23

Planning and Development Acts 2000 to 2022

Planning Authority: Dún Laoghaire-Rathdown County Council

Planning Register Reference Number: D23B/0032

Appeal by Johnny and Nadia Quinn care of Hughes Planning and Development Consultants of 85 Merrion Square, Dublin against the decision made on the 16th day of March, 2023 by Dún Laoghaire-Rathdown County Council to refuse permission for the proposed development.

Proposed Development: (a) Alterations to existing dwelling comprising of: (i) the extension of the existing rear dormer and the provision a new dormer to the front, (ii) the change of existing roof profile from hipped roof to gable roof, (iii) removal of two number chimneys (one number chimney at eastern elevation and one number chimney at western elevation) and (iv) the provision of five number rooflights. The alterations will facilitate an extended first floor level (87 square metres) comprising one number master bedroom (with ensuite and walk in wardrobe), two number ensuite bedrooms with wardrobes, and hallway with staircase and (b) permission is also sought for all ancillary works necessary to facilitate development, all at 'Dar Nearah', Hillcrest Road, Dublin.

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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.

Reasons and Considerations

Having regard to the zoning objective of the area, the design, layout and scale

of the proposed development and the pattern of development in the area, it is

considered that, subject to compliance with the conditions set out below, the

proposed development would not seriously injure the visual amenities of the

area or the residential amenity of property in the vicinity. The proposed

development for which permission is sought 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 commencement of development and the

development shall be carried out and completed in accordance with the

agreed particulars.

Reason: In the interest of clarity.

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

Reason: In the interests of public health and surface water management.

3. Site development and building works shall be carried out only between the hours of 0800 to 1900 Mondays to Fridays inclusive, between 0900 to 1400 hours on Saturdays and not at all on Sundays or 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 amenities of property in the vicinity.

4. 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 within three months of the date of this Order 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.

Tom Rabbette

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

Dated this day of Lugus 2023.