

**Planning and Development (Housing) and Residential Tenancies Act 2016**  
**Planning and Development (Strategic Housing Development) Regulations 2017**

**Notice of Strategic Housing Development**  
**Application to An Bord Pleanála**

We, Oxley Holdings Limited, intend to apply to An Bord Pleanála for permission for a strategic housing development at this site at the rear of Connolly Station, Sheriff Street Lower, Dublin 1, D01 V6V6. The subject site encompasses an area of 2.88 hectares.

The development will consist of;

- i. the demolition of 4 no. structures with a combined gross floor area of 3,028sq.m;
- ii. the construction of 741 no. Build to Rent (BTR) residential units in 8 no. apartment blocks ranging in height from 4 storeys to 23 storeys with lower height buildings located adjacent to the northeast and east site boundaries, with a cumulative gross floor area of 68,535sq.m comprising;
  - a. Block B1 (maximum building height 54.917m, total gross internal floor area 11,260sq.m, Apartment Mix: Studio: 25, 1-bed: 37, 2-bed: 51);
  - b. Block B2 (maximum building height 54.917m, total gross internal floor area 10,831sq.m, Apartment Mix: Studio: 20, 1-bed: 35, 2-bed: 51);
  - c. Block B3 (maximum building height 51.767m, total gross internal floor area 9,766sq.m, Apartment Mix: Studio: 22, 1-bed: 60, 2-bed: 27, 3-Bed: 1);
  - d. Block C1 (maximum building height 79.450m, total gross internal floor area 12,705sq.m, Apartment Mix: Studio: 84, 1-bed: 40, 2-bed: 41);
  - e. Block C2 (maximum building height 39.615 m, total gross internal floor area 4,890 sq.m, Apartment Mix: Studio: 9, 1-bed: 33, 2-bed: 3, 3-Bed: 4);
  - f. Block C3 (maximum building height 39.650 m, total gross internal floor area 6,775sq.m, Apartment Mix: Studio: 40, 1-bed: 18, 2-bed: 23);
  - g. Block D1 (maximum building height 53.392 m, total gross internal floor area 8,418 sq.m, Apartment Mix: Studio: 10, 1-bed: 25, 2-bed: 44, 3-Bed: 1);
  - h. Block D2 (maximum building height 30.950 m, total gross internal floor area 3,890 sq.m, Apartment Mix: Studio: 18, 1-bed: 8, 2-bed: 11);
- iii. residential support amenities including 1 no. gym, a resident's lounge, work areas, meeting rooms, dining rooms, recreational areas with a combined GFA of 1,444 sq.m;
- iv. change of use from club house to pedestrian passageway of the existing vault (137sq.m GFA) fronting Seville Place, a Protected Structure (RPS No. 130);
- v. a basement of 7,253.4 sq.m with a new vehicular access from Oriel Street Upper incorporating residents' car parking (58 no. spaces), residents cycle parking (640 no. spaces) 7 no. plant rooms (combined 2,228sq.m), waste management facilities (393 sq.m)
- vi. 766 no. covered cycle parking spaces for residents and visitors, concierge office (233 sq.m) and waste management facilities (126 sq.m);
- vii. 'other uses' including 10 no. units providing retail, commercial, and community use with a combined GFA of 3,142 sq.m;
- viii. A total of 18,562 sq.m of hard and soft landscaping comprising a c.2,000sq.m public plaza and other public / communal and private open space located throughout the development;
- ix. A service and emergency vehicle only access ramp from the Oriel Street Upper site entrance to serve CIE's transport needs at Connolly Station;
- x. Enabling works of a non-material nature to safeguard the existing vaults (Protected Structures - RPS No. 130) that form part of the subject site fronting Sheriff Street Lower, Oriel Street Upper, and Seville Place during the construction phase;
- xi. All associated ancillary development works including drainage, 6 no. electricity substations, pedestrian access; and
- xii. Works to the Masonry wall fronting Oriel Street and the Vaults fronting Seville Place (both a Protected Structure) consisting of the creation of a new vehicular and pedestrian entrance..

The application contains a statement setting out how the proposal is consistent with the objectives of the Dublin City Development Plan 2016 – 2022.

An Environmental Impact Assessment Report (EIAR) has been prepared in respect of the proposed development.

The application together with the Environmental Impact Assessment Report (EIAR) may be inspected, or purchased at a fee not exceeding the reasonable cost of making a copy, during public opening hours at the offices of An Bord Pleanála and Dublin City Council. The application may also be inspected online at the following website set up by the applicant: <https://theconnollyquartershd1.ie/>

Any person may, within the period of 5 weeks beginning on the date of receipt by An Bord Pleanála of the application and on payment of the prescribed fee of €20 (except for certain prescribed bodies), make a submission or observations in writing to An Bord Pleanála, 64 Marlborough Street, Dublin 1, relating to the implications of the proposed development, if carried out, for proper planning and sustainable development in the area or areas concerned, and the likely effects on the environment or the likely effects on a European site, as the case may be, of the proposed development, if carried out. Submissions or observations duly made will be considered by An Bord Pleanála in making a decision on the application. Such submissions or observations must also include the following information:

- (a) the name of the person, authority or body making the submission or observations, the name of the person, if any, acting on behalf of that person, authority or body, and the address to which any correspondence relating to the application should be sent,
- (b) the subject matter of the submission or observations, and
- (c) the reasons, considerations and arguments on which the submission or observations is or are based.

An Bord Pleanála may grant permission for the strategic housing development as proposed, or may grant permission subject to such modifications as it specifies in its decision, or may grant permission in part only, with or without any other modifications it may specify in its decision, or may refuse to grant permission for the proposed development. An Bord Pleanála may attach to a grant of permission such conditions as it considers appropriate.

Any enquiries relating to the application process should be directed to the Strategic Housing Development Section of An Bord Pleanála (Tel. 01-8588100).

A person may question the validity of a decision of An Bord Pleanála by way of an application for judicial review, under Order 84 of the Rules of the Superior Courts (S.I. No. 15 of 1986), in accordance with sections 50 and 50A of the Planning and Development Act 2000 (No. 30 of 2000), as amended. Practical information on the review mechanism can be found in the Judicial Review Notice on the An Bord Pleanála website: [www.pleanala.ie](http://www.pleanala.ie) or on the Citizens Information Service website: [www.citizensinformation.ie](http://www.citizensinformation.ie).

Signed:



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Date of erection of site notice: 16<sup>th</sup> October 2019