Camden Council

Town and Country Planning Act 1990

Planning Permission - Full householder: Granted

Applicant Hedi Roback

Application number 25-00139-HAPP

Application received 11 April 2025 00:00

Decision date 18 June 2025 00:00

Site address FLAT 13, 170 HIGHCROFT, HIGHGATE ROAD,

LONDON, NW5 1EJ

Use/development Changing existing PVC window frames to

aluminium window frames.

The application is granted due to the following reason(s):

The host building is located on the southern side of Croftdown Road close to its junction with Highgate Road to the west. It comprises a single-family dwelling (No. 13) located third from the end (eastern end) in a terrace of seven, three-storey, flat roofed townhouses that were built in the 1960s as part of the redevelopment of a larger plot of land which fronts onto Highgate Road. The property lies in the Dartmouth Park Conservation Area to which it makes a neutral contribution.

The proposal seeks to replace existing Upvc windows with powder coated aluminium windows at both front and rear. The colour will remain white which is consistent with the rest of the terrace. All the windows being replaced are Upvc, and therefore replacement with powder coated aluminium windows are welcomed as these will enhance the character and appearance of the Conservation Area.

There are no amenity concerns raised as a result of the replacement windows.

The Dartmouth Park CAAC and Dartmouth Park Neighbourhood Forum have both been notified and have not commented. The application site's planning history has been taken into account when coming to this decision.

As such, the proposed development is in general accordance with policies A1, D1 and D2 of the Camden Local Plan 2017 and policies DC2, DC3 and DC4 of the Dartmouth Park Neighbourhood Plan 2020. The proposed development also accords with the London Plan 2021 and the National Planning Policy Framework 2024.

Conditions:

1. The development hereby permitted shall be commenced within three years of the date of this permission.

To comply with the provisions of Section 91 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 (as amended).

2. The development hereby permitted shall be carried out in accordance with the following approved plans: Site Location Plan; (13 Highcroft) Existing and proposed front and rear elevations; existing and proposed floorplans; Design and Access Statement received 23/04/2025 and Reynaers slimline 38 window spec

For the avoidance of doubt and in the interests of proper planning.

3. All new external work and finishes and work of making good shall match the original work in respect of the materials, colour, texture, profile and finished appearance, except where indicated otherwise on the drawings hereby approved or unless otherwise required by condition.

To safeguard the appearance of the premises and the character of the immediate area in accordance with the requirements of policies D1 and D2 of the London Borough of Camden Local Plan 2017 and policies DC2, DC3 and DC4 of the Dartmouth Park Neighbourhood Plan 2020.

Informatives:

- Building Control: general all-purpose informative
 Your proposals may be subject to control under the Building Regulations and/or
 the London Buildings Acts that cover aspects including fire and emergency
 escape, access and facilities for people with disabilities and sound insulation
 between dwellings. You are advised to consult the Council's Building Control
 Service, Camden Town Hall, Judd St, Kings Cross, London NW1 2QS (tel: 020 7974 6941).
- 2. Environmental health (all consents)
 All works should be conducted in accordance with the Camden Minimum
 Requirements a copy is available on the Council's website (search for `Camden Minimum Requirements' at www.camden,gov.uk) or contact the Council's Noise and Licensing Enforcement Team, 5 Pancras Square c/o Town Hall, Judd Street London WC1H 9JE (Tel. No. 020 7974 4444) Noise from demolition and construction works is subject to control under the Control of Pollution Act 1974. You must carry out any building works that can be heard at the boundary of the

site only between 08.00 and 18.00 hours Monday to Friday and 08.00 to 13.00 on Saturday and not at all on Sundays and Public Holidays. You must secure the approval of the Council's Noise and Licensing Enforcement Team prior to undertaking such activities outside these hours."

3. Biodiversity Net Gain (BNG 1)

The effect of paragraph 13 of Schedule 7A to the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 is that planning permission granted for the development of land in England is deemed to have been granted subject to the condition ("the biodiversity gain condition") that development may not begin unless: (a) a Biodiversity Gain Plan has been submitted to the planning authority, and (b) the planning authority has approved the plan. The local planning authority (LPA) that would approve any Biodiversity Gain Plan (BGP) (if required) is London Borough of Camden. There are statutory exemptions and transitional arrangements which mean that the biodiversity gain condition does not always apply. These are summarised below. Based on the information available this permission will not require the approval of a BGP before development is begun because the planning permission is a minor application within de minimis exemption threshold. If the onsite habitat includes Irreplaceable Habitat (within the meaning of the Biodiversity Gain Requirements (Irreplaceable Habitat) Regulations 2024) there are additional requirements. The BGP must include, in addition to information about steps taken or to be taken to minimise any adverse effect of the development on the habitat, information on arrangements for compensation for any impact the development has on the biodiversity of the irreplaceable habitat. The LPA can only approve a BGP if satisfied the adverse effect on the irreplaceable habitat is minimised and appropriate arrangements have been made for the purpose of compensating for any impact which do not include the use of biodiversity credits. If planning permission is granted on an application made under section 73 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 and a BGP was approved in relation to the previous (parent) planning permission ("the earlier BGP") there are circumstances when the earlier BGP is regarded as approved for the purpose of discharging the biodiversity gain condition subject to which the section 73 planning permission is granted.

4. Biodiversity Net Gain (BNG 2)

+ Irreplaceable habitat: If the onsite habitat includes Irreplaceable Habitat (within the meaning of the Biodiversity Gain Requirements (Irreplaceable Habitat) Regulations 2024) there are additional requirements. In addition to information about minimising adverse impacts on the habitat, the BGP must include information on compensation for any impact on the biodiversity of the irreplaceable habitat. The LPA can only approve a BGP if satisfied that the impact on the irreplaceable habitat is minimised and appropriate arrangements have been made for compensating for any impact which do not include the use of biodiversity credits. ++ The effect of section 73(2D) of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 If planning permission is granted under section 73, and a BGP was approved in relation to the previous planning permission ("the earlier BGP"), the earlier BGP may be regarded as approved for the purpose of discharging the biodiversity gain condition on this permission. It will be regarded as approved if the conditions attached (and so the permission granted) do not affect both the post-development value of the onsite habitat and any arrangements made to

compensate irreplaceable habitat as specified in the earlier BGP. ++ Phased development In the case of phased development, the BGP will be required to be submitted to and approved by the LPA before development can begin (the overall plan), and before each phase of development can begin (phase plans). The modifications in respect of the biodiversity gain condition in phased development are set out in Part 2 of the Biodiversity Gain (Town and Country Planning) (Modifications and Amendments) (England) Regulations 2024.

5. Highways (all consents)

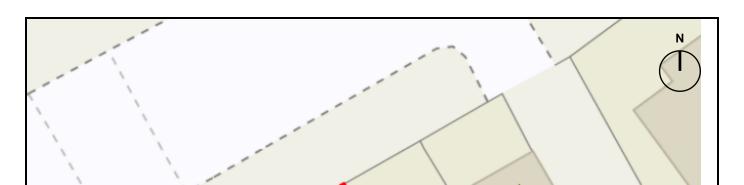
This approval does not authorise the use of the public highway. Any requirement to use the public highway, such as for hoardings, temporary road closures and suspension of parking bays, will be subject to approval of relevant licence from the Council's Streetworks Authorisations & Compliance Team, 5 Pancras Square c/o Town Hall, Judd Street London WC1H 9JE (Tel. No 020 7974 4444). Licences and authorisations need to be sought in advance of proposed works. Where development is subject to a Construction Management Plan (through a requirement in a S106 agreement), no licence or authorisation will be granted until the Construction Management Plan is approved by the Council.

This decision is based on the following approved plans:

Planning application related documents

Document reference	Description	Date received
OS Site Location Plan	Site plan - existing Site plan - proposed	10 April 2025 20:44
Existing and proposed front and rear elevations	Elevations - existing Elevations - proposed	10 April 2025 20:44
Existing and proposed floor plans	Floor plan - existing Floor plan - proposed	23 April 2025 18:22
Design and Access Statement received 23/04/2025	Heritage Statement	23 April 2025 20:52
Reynaers slimline 38 window spec		17 June 2025 09:28

Site location





Notes:

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