



Town & Country Planning Act 1990 (as amended)
Town & Country Planning (General Permitted Development)
Order 2015 Schedule 2
Application for Prior Notification for Change of Use

DECISION NOTICE

Application Ref: BN/22/18/PD

1 To Addressee

Mr B Kirk
 Manorwood
 Unit 5, Chilgrove Business Centre
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 PO18 9HU

2 Site Address

Land North of Sunnyside Cottages
 Yapton Road

 PO22 0AZ

3 Description of Development

Notification for Prior Approval under Class Q for a Proposed Change of Use of Agricultural Building to 2No. Dwellinghouses (Class C3) and associated works

- 4** In pursuance of their powers under the above Act and related Orders and Regulations, Arun District Council as Local Planning Authority hereby **GRANT PRIOR APPROVAL** for the above proposal in accordance with the information that the developer provided to the local planning authority

CONDITION

This development under Class Q is permitted subject to any development under Class Q(a) or Class Q(b) being completed within 3 years from the date of this decision.

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Development shall not commence until full details of the proposed surface water drainage scheme have been submitted to and approved in writing by the Local Planning Authority.

The design should follow the hierarchy of preference for different types of surface water drainage disposal systems as set out in Approved Document H of the Building Regulations, the recommendations of the SUDS Manual produced by CIRIA.

Winter groundwater monitoring to establish highest annual ground water levels and Percolation testing to BRE 365, or similar approved, will be required to support the design of any Infiltration drainage.

No building shall be occupied until the complete surface water drainage system serving the property has been implemented in accordance with the agreed details and the details so agreed shall be maintained in good working order in perpetuity.

Reason: To ensure that the proposed development is satisfactorily drained in accordance with policies GEN7 and GEN9 of the Arun District Council Local Plan. This is required to be a pre-commencement condition because it is necessary to implement the surface water drainage system prior to commencing any building works.

For the avoidance of doubt the approved details are the (1) Dwg 000 "Location plan"; (2) Dwg 001 "Block Plan"; (3) Dwg 100 "Existing Elevations"; (4) Dwg 101 "Existing Floorplan"; (5) Dwg 200 "Proposed Elevations"; (6) 201 "Proposed Floorplan"; and (7) Dwg 300 "Proposed Sections" all as submitted on the 18th April 2018.

INFORMATIVE: Drainage Engineers advise that Infiltration rates for soakage structures are to be based on percolation tests undertaken in the winter period and at the location and depth of the proposed structures. The percolation tests must be carried out in accordance with BRE 365, CIRIA R156 or a similar approved method and cater for the 1 in 10 year storm between the invert of the entry pipe to the soakaway, and the base of the structure. It must also have provision to ensure that there is capacity in the system to contain below ground level the 1 in 100 year event plus 30% on stored volumes, as an allowance for climate change. Adequate freeboard must be provided between the base of the soakaway structure and the highest recorded annual groundwater level identified in that location. Any SuDS or soakaway design must include adequate groundwater monitoring data to determine the highest winter groundwater table in support of the design. The applicant is advised to discuss the extent of groundwater monitoring with the Council's Engineers. Supplementary guidance notes are also available on request.

INFORMATIVE: The applicant should note that under Part 1 of the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981, with only a few exceptions, it is an offence for any person to intentionally take, damage or destroy the nest of any wild birds while the nest is in use or being built. Birds nest between March and September and therefore removal of dense bushes, ivy or trees or parts of trees etc. during this period could lead to an offence under the act.

INFORMATIVE: This notice does not give authority to destroy or damage a bat roost or disturb a bat. Bat species are protected under Section 39 of the 1994 Conservation (Natural Habitats etc) Regulations (as amended), the 1981 Wildlife and Countryside Act (as amended) and the 2000 Countryside and Rights of Way Act. It is illegal to damage or destroy any bat roost, whether occupied or not, or disturb or harm a bat. If you are aware that bats roost in a tree(s) for which work is planned, you should take further advice from Natural England (via the Bat Conservation Trust on 0845 1300228) or an ecological consultant before you start. If bats are discovered during the work, you must stop immediately and contact Natural England before continuing.



Neil Crowther
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Case Officer:

Mr S Davis

Date of Decision:

28 September 2018

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