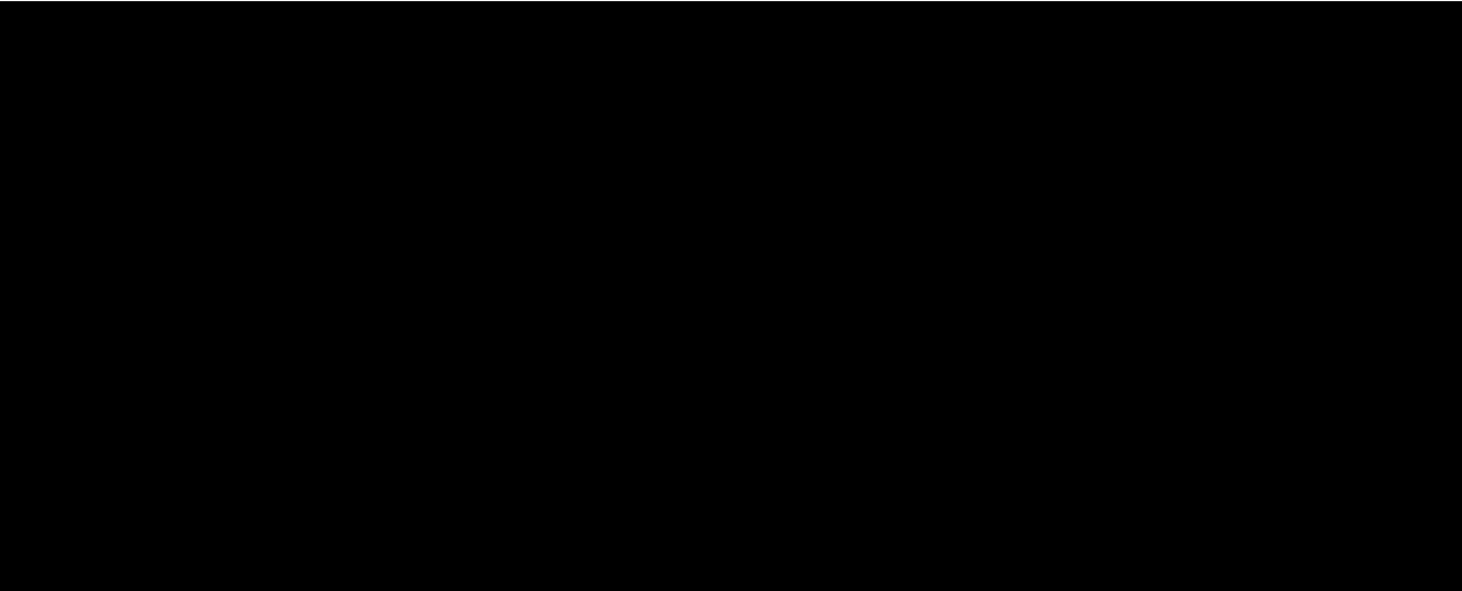




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Dear Amber,

The above application was today passed to me to provide a response. Having reviewed Acoustic Associates Sussex Ltd.'s Noise Assessment for Planning and Change of Use report (ref.: J2834, dated October 2019), this Department is satisfied that the proposed change of use will not have an adverse impact on the soundscape of the surrounding environment.

It is recommended that the following condition and informative are added:

- The owner(s) of any commercial property (warehouses, offices, etc.) built before 2000 are legally obliged to hold a copy of an asbestos register for each property in their portfolio. As the proposed development is being renovated to residential, the Council need to be satisfied that if any asbestos previously identified is still present, it is either removed or suitably managed to minimise risk to human health as there is no safe threshold for asbestos exposure. A copy of the asbestos register, and any remedial strategy (where appropriate), must be provided in writing to the Local Planning Authority prior to any works commencing.
Reason: To protect the amenity of local residents in accordance with Policy QE DM4 of the Adopted Arun Local Plan 2011 – 2031

Informative:

- The granting of this planning permission does not in any way indemnify against statutory nuisance action being taken should substantiated complaints within the remit of the Environmental Protection Act 1990 be received. For further information please contact the Environmental Health Department on **01903 737555**

It is not clear from the application whether any ground-breaking works are required as part of this application; if there are, it is recommended that the following condition is added:

- Prior to commencement of the development hereby approved (or such other date or stage in development as may be agreed in writing with the Local Planning Authority), the following components of a scheme to deal with the risks associated with contamination of the site shall each be submitted to and approved in writing by the Local Planning Authority:
1. A Preliminary Risk Assessment which has identified: all previous (historical) uses; potential contaminants associated with those uses; a conceptual model of the site indicating sources, pathways and receptors; and potentially unacceptable risks arising from contamination at the site.
 2. A Site Investigation Scheme, based on (1) above to provide information for a detailed assessment of the risk to all receptors that may be affected, including those off site.
 3. Based on the Site Investigation Scheme and the detailed risk assessment (2), an options appraisal and remediation strategy giving full details of the remediation measures required and how they are to be undertaken.
 4. A Verification Report providing details of the data that will be collected in order to demonstrate that the works set out in (3) are complete and identifying any requirements for longer-term monitoring of pollutant linkages, maintenance and arrangements for contingency action.

Note: Any changes to these components, (1) to (4) require the express written consent of the Local Planning Authority.

The scheme shall be implemented as approved above and, prior to commencement of any construction work (or such other date or stage in development as may be agreed in writing with the Local Planning Authority), a Verification Report demonstrating completion of the works set out in the approved remediation strategy and the effectiveness of that remediation shall be submitted to and approved in writing by the Local Planning Authority. The report shall include results of sampling and monitoring carried out in accordance with the approved verification plan to demonstrate that the site remediation criteria have been met. The report shall also include a 'long-term monitoring and maintenance plan' for longer-term monitoring of pollutant linkages, maintenance and arrangements for contingency action, as identified in the verification report, and for the reporting of this in writing to the Local Planning Authority. **Reason:** To protect the amenity of local residents in accordance with Policy QE DM4 of the Adopted Arun Local Plan 2011 – 2031

Many thanks,

Kate.

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