ARUN DISTRICT COUNCIL

Town & Country Planning Act 1990 (as amended)
Town & country Planning (Development Management Procedure) (England) Order 2010 (as amended) - Article 4

Application for Outline Consent
DECISION NOTICE

Application Ref: FG/26/15/OUT

1 **To Addressee**

Speer Dade Plannign Consultants
29 Kings Drive
Hassocks
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2 **Site Address**

Eastlands
Littlehampton Road

BN12 6PB

3 **Description of Development**

Outline application with all matters reserved for the erection of 1 No. four bedroom dwelling. This is a Departure from the Development Plan.

4 In pursuance of their powers under this Act and related Orders and Regulations the Council **REFUSE** to approve the development as described in the application and plans for the reasons stated.

1 The proposal is unacceptable in that it has not been demonstrated that there is an overriding and essential need for the dwelling to be located in the countryside, that the need cannot be met within an existing neighbouring settlement, and that the dwelling proposed would be of a size appropriate to its purpose. The proposal therefore conflicts with policies GEN2 and GEN3 of the Arun District Local Plan and the National Planning Policy Framework.

2 The proposal would constitute an alien intrusion in the countryside which would be out of keeping with and detrimental to the rural character of the locality in conflict with policies GEN2, GEN3, GEN7 of the Arun District Local Plan and the National Planning Policy Framework.

3 The proposed dwelling by reason of its size and location would cause harm to the objectives of the Angmering to Worthing Gap contrary to policy SD SP3 of the Arun Local Plan 2011-2031 Publication Version October 2014.

INFORMATIVE: Statement pursuant to Article 31 of the Town and Country Planning (Development Management Procedure)(England) (Amendment No. 2) Order 2012. The Local Planning Authority has acted positively and proactively in determining this application by identifying matters of concern with the proposal and determining the application within a timely manner, clearly setting out the reason(s) for refusal, allowing the Applicant the opportunity to consider the harm caused and whether or not it can be remedied by a revision to the proposal. The Local Planning Authority is willing to meet with the Applicant to discuss the best course of action and is also willing to provide pre-application advice in respect of any future application for a revised development.

Case Officer: Mrs A Gardner

Date of Decision: **7 April 2015**

Karl Roberts
Assistant Director Planning & Economic Regeneration

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IT IS IMPORTANT THAT YOU READ THE NOTES ATTACHED TO THIS DOCUMENT

NOTES RELATING TO PLANNING APPLICATION
TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 1990

APPEALS TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE

If you are aggrieved by the decision of your local planning authority to refuse permission for the proposed development or to grant it subject to conditions, then you can appeal to the First Secretary of State under section 78 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990.

If this is a decision on a planning application relating to the same or substantially the same land and development as is already the subject of an enforcement notice, if you want to appeal against your local planning authority's decision on your application, then you must do so within 28 days of the date of this notice.

If an enforcement notice is served relating to the same or substantially the same land and development as in your application and if you want to appeal against your local planning authority's decision on your application, then you must do so within: 28 days of the date of service of the enforcement notice, or within 6 months (12 weeks in case of a householder appeal) of the date of this notice, whichever period expires earlier.

If you want to appeal, then you must do so within 6 months of the date of this notice using a form which you can get from the Secretary of State, Temple Quay House, 2 The Square, Temple Quay, Bristol, BS1 6PN or on line at www.planningportal.gov.uk/pcs

The Secretary of State can allow a longer period for giving notice of an appeal, but he will not normally be prepared to use this power unless there are special circumstances which excuse the delay in giving notice of appeal.

The Secretary of State need not consider an appeal if it seems to him that the local planning authority could not have granted planning permission for the proposed development or could not have granted it without the conditions they imposed, having regard to the statutory requirements, to the provisions of any development order and to any directions given under a development order.

In practice, the Secretary of State does not refuse to consider appeals solely because the local planning authority based their decision on a direction given by him.

PURCHASE NOTICES

If either the local planning authority or the Secretary of State refused permission to develop land or grants it subject to conditions, the owner may claim that he can neither put the land to a reasonably beneficial use in its existing state nor render the land capable of a reasonably beneficial use by the carrying out of any development which has been or would be permitted.

In these circumstances, the owner may serve a purchase notice on the Council (that is, where the land is situated in a National Park, the National Park authority for the Park, or in any other case the district council in whose area the land is situated). This notice will require the Council to purchase the owner's interest in the land in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 1 of Part VI of the Town & Country Planning Act 1990.

Please note that this decision notice only relates to matters under the Planning Acts and does not give consent under any other legislation that may apply to the

development. You will need to carry out your own checks to determine whether any other consents or permissions are required. For example, the Building Regulations are likely to apply to most developments, and a Highways Licence may be required from West Sussex County Council for any development within the public highway (including the placing of skips on highway land).