

Application: 20211067

**TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 1990
THE TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING (DEVELOPMENT MANAGEMENT PROCEDURE)
(ENGLAND) ORDER 2015 (AS AMENDED)**

NOTIFICATION OF GRANT OF PERMISSION TO DEVELOP LAND
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To: **Wireless Information Group
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TAKE NOTICE that the **GRAVESHAM BOROUGH COUNCIL**, the Local Planning Authority under the Town and Country Planning Acts, has **GRANTED PERMISSION** for development of land situate at:

**Northfleet Wastewater Treatment Works
Thames Way
Northfleet
Kent**

and being **Application for variation of condition 2 attached to planning permission reference no. 20200819 for replacement of existing 25m height mast with a new 30m high mast, together with development ancillary there to at the telecommunications facility to allow amendment to the proposed equipment.**

Your application dated 26th August 2021 is permitted subject to the following:-

1. The development to which this permission relates must be begun not later than 13 October 2023

Reason In pursuance of section 91 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 as amended by Section 51 of the Planning and Compulsory Purchase Act 2004.

2. The development hereby permitted shall be carried out in accordance with the following approved plans:
 - Application Form - dated 25/08/21;
 - Cover Letter - dated 18/08/21;
 - Supplementary Information - ICNIRP Declaration - dated 25/10/2021 (received 26/10/2021);
 - Drawing no. 100 - Rev. C - Site Location and Block Plans (dated 03/12/20);
 - Drawing no. 101 - Rev G - Existing Site Plan - Ground Level;
 - Drawing no. 102 - Rev. C - Proposed Site Plan - Ground Level (dated 03/12/20);
 - Drawing no. 103 - Rev G - Existing Site Elevation;

- Drawing no. 104 - Rev. C - Proposed Site Elevation (dated 03/12/20);
- Drawing no. 105 - Rev. C - Proposed Equipment Cabinet Plan (dated 03/12/20).

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

3. The existing 15m monopole and cabinet marked to be removed on approved drawing numbers 100 and 104 shall be removed from the site no later than 6 months following the first use of the development hereby approved.

Reason In order to prevent the unnecessary and visually harmful accumulation of street furniture, in accordance with Local Plan: Core Strategy Policy CS19.

4. The development hereby approved shall be removed from the site in its entirety within 6 months of no longer being required for telecommunication purposes.

Reason In order to prevent the unnecessary and visually harmful accumulation of street furniture, in accordance with Local Plan: Core Strategy Policy CS19.

INFORMATIVES:-

1 STATEMENT OF POSITIVE AND CREATIVE APPROACH TO DECISION-TAKING

In accordance with Article 35 (2) of the Town and Country Planning (Development Management Procedure) (England) Order 2015 (as amended), and paragraph 38 of the National Planning Policy Framework (NPPF 2021), the Local Planning Authority has approached the assessment and determination of this application in a positive and creative way and, where appropriate, has worked pro-actively with the applicant to secure a development that is sustainable and that improves the economic, social and environmental conditions of the area, and that is in accordance with the Development Plan for the area.

2 DEVIATION FROM APPROVED PLANS

It is possible that any proposed deviation from the approved plans could be classed as a 'material' change requiring a further application/permission. In the event that any change is proposed, applicants are advised to seek advice from the Local Planning Authority [as proceeding without the necessary permissions could nullify this permission].

3 FOR THE AVOIDANCE OF DOUBT

The ICNIRP Declaration has an error on the drawing list regarding the revision numbers on existing drawing nos. 101 and 103, as these are existing drawings this is not an issue for determining this application.

4 WORKS OF CONSTRUCTION

Hours of work of construction site plant, equipment and machinery, should be restricted to not earlier than 7.00 a.m. and not later than 6.00 p.m. weekdays and Saturday working should be restricted to not earlier than 8.00a.m. and not later than 1.00 p.m. No work shall be carried out on Sundays, Bank or Public Holidays.

i. Suitable sound attenuation shall be used at all times in respect of all plant, machinery and equipment in operation on site in order to aid prevention of noise nuisance. Compliance with BS 5228: Part 1: 1984 and subsequent amendments regarding the use of equipment on site will be required in appropriate cases.

ii. A suitable method of control shall be used in order to aid prevention of dust nuisance arising from work activities on site.

iii. Burning of waste materials shall not be carried out on site. Such materials are to be stored in a suitable receptacle, as far from residential accommodation as reasonably practicable, pending disposal off site.

iv. Adequate arrangements shall be made to remove all waste material from the site on a regular basis and to dispose of it at a suitably licensed waste disposal site.

Dated: 27 October 2021

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### NOTIFICATION TO APPLICANT

#### 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 Secretary of State under Section 78 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990.
- If this is a **householder application\*** which has been refused and you want to appeal against your Local Planning Authority's decision then you must do so within **12 weeks of the date of this notice**.
- For all other applications, refused or permitted, if you want to appeal against your Local Planning Authority's decision then you must do so within 6 months of the date of this notice.
- **Appeals must be made using a form which you can obtain from the Planning Inspectorate at Temple Quay House, 2 The Square, Temple Quay, Bristol BS1 6PN; telephone: 0303 444 5000; email: [enquiries@pins.gsi.gov.uk](mailto:enquiries@pins.gsi.gov.uk) or online at [www.planningportal.gov.uk/pes](http://www.planningportal.gov.uk/pes).**
- 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.

#### **\*Householder applications**

These are:

- (a) applications for planning permission for development of an existing dwellinghouse, or development within the curtilage of such a dwellinghouse for any purpose incidental to the enjoyment of the dwellinghouse, or

- (b) an application for any consent, agreement or approval required by or under a planning permission, development order or local development order in relation to such development

but does **not** include –

- (i) an application for change of use;
- (ii) an application to change the number of dwellings in a building.

### **PURCHASE NOTICES**

If either the Local Planning Authority or the Secretary of State for the Environment refuses permission to develop land or grants it subject to conditions, the owner may claim that he/she can neither put the land to a reasonably beneficial use in its existing state nor can he/she 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 (District Council, London Borough Council or Common Council of the City of London) in whose area the land is situated. This notice will require the Council to purchase his interest in the land in accordance with the provisions of Part VI of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990.

### **COMPENSATION**

In certain circumstances compensation may be claimed from the Local Planning Authority if permission is refused or granted subject to conditions by the Secretary of State on appeal or on reference of the application to him.

These circumstances are set out in Sections 114 and related provisions of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990.