

NOTICE OF PLANNING PERMISSION

Town and Country Planning Act 1990 Town and Country Planning (Development Management Procedure) (England) Order 2015

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PART 1 - Particulars of Application

Application Number: 70218

Date of Registration: 30/11/2023

Proposal:

Single storey extension of existing industrial unit (Class B2/B8) including recladding of the existing building roof; Externally will include storage tanks, extension to existing site access points, new service yard, additional cycle and car parking with electrical vehicle charging spaces with associated infrastructure and new external seating area

Location:

Gateway House, Pilsworth Road, Bury, BL9 8RD

PART 2 - Particulars of Decision

Bury Metropolitan Borough Council hereby give notice in pursuance of the provisions of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 that permission has been **GRANTED** for the carrying out of the development referred to in Part 1 hereof in accordance with the application and plans submitted subject to the following conditions:-

- 1 The development must be begun not later than three years beginning with the date of this permission.
Reason. Required to be imposed by Section 91 Town & Country Planning Act 1990.

- 2 This decision relates to drawings -
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and the development shall not be carried out except in accordance with the drawings hereby approved.

Reason. For the avoidance of doubt and to ensure a satisfactory standard of design pursuant to the policies of the Bury Unitary Development Plan listed.

- 3 No development shall commence unless and until:-
- A contaminated land Preliminary Risk Assessment report to assess the actual/potential contamination and/or ground gas/landfill gas risks at the site shall be submitted to, and approved in writing by, the Local Planning Authority;
 - Where actual/potential contamination and/or ground gas/landfill gas risks have been identified, detailed site investigation and suitable risk assessment shall be submitted to, and approved in writing by the Local Planning Authority;
 - Where remediation/protection measures is/are required, a detailed Remediation Strategy shall be submitted to, and approved in writing by, the Local Planning Authority.
- Reason. The scheme does not provide full details of the actual contamination and subsequent remediation, which is required to secure the satisfactory development of the site in terms of human health, controlled waters, ground gas and the wider environment and pursuant to National Planning Policy Framework Section 15 - Conserving and enhancing the natural environment.
- 4 Following the provisions of Condition 4 of this planning permission, where remediation is required, the approved Remediation Strategy must be carried out to

the satisfaction of the Local Planning Authority within agreed timescales; and
A Site Verification Report detailing the actions taken and conclusions at each stage of the remediation works, including substantiating evidence, shall be submitted to and approved in writing by the Local Planning Authority prior to the development being brought into use.

Reason. To secure the satisfactory development of the site in terms of human health, controlled waters and the wider environment and pursuant to National Planning Policy Framework Section 15 - Conserving and enhancing the natural environment.

- 5 The proposed EV chargepoints shall be 7kW* as a minimum. Photographic evidence of the installation of the agreed electric vehicle charge points shall be submitted following installation.

*Mode 3, 7kW (32A) single phase, or 22kW (32A) three phase, and for 50kW Mode 4 rapid charging may be required. British Standard BS EN 61851-1:2019 to be used. Further information regarding minimum standards can be found at <https://www.gov.uk/transport/low-emission-and-electric-vehicles>.

Reason. In accordance with the NPPF, to encourage the uptake of ultra-low emission vehicles and ensure the development is sustainable. To safeguard residential amenity, public health and quality of life.

- 6 The drainage for the development hereby approved, shall be carried out in accordance with principles set out in the submitted Foul & Surface Water Drainage Design Drawing 22040235-022, Rev P2 - Dated 10.11.23 by Brian Clancy Higby Partnership. For the avoidance of doubt no surface water will be permitted to drain directly or indirectly into the public sewer. Prior to occupation of the proposed development, the drainage schemes shall be completed in accordance with the approved details and retained thereafter for the lifetime of the development.

Reason. To ensure a satisfactory form of development and to prevent an undue increase in surface water run-off and to reduce the risk of flooding pursuant to Policies JP-S4, EN7/3, EN7/5 and chapter 14 - Meeting the challenge of climate change, flooding and coastal change of the NPPF.

- 7 No construction shall commence until details of the means of ensuring the water main that is laid within the site boundary is protected from damage as a result of the development have been submitted to and approved by the Local Planning Authority in writing. The details shall outline the potential impacts on the water main from construction activities and the impacts post completion of the development on the water main infrastructure that crosses the site and identify mitigation measures to protect and prevent any damage to the water main both during construction and post completion of the development. Any mitigation measures shall be implemented in full in accordance with the approved details.

Reason. Information not submitted at application stage. In the interest of public health and to ensure protection of the public water supply pursuant to chapter 14 - Meeting the challenge of climate change, flooding and coastal change of the NPPF.

- 8 No works to trees or shrubs shall occur between the 1st March and 31st August in any year unless a detailed bird nest survey by a suitably experienced ecologist has been carried out immediately prior to clearance and written confirmation provided that no active bird nests are present which has been agreed in writing by the Local Planning Authority.

Reason. In order to ensure that no harm is caused to a Protected Species pursuant to policies EN6 - Conservation of the Natural Environment and EN6/3 - Features of

Ecological Value of the Bury Unitary Development Plan and National Planning Policy Framework Section 15 - Conserving and enhancing the natural environment.

- 9 Prior to any vegetation clearance a reasonable avoidance measures method statement for mammals and amphibians, covering site clearance and construction phases, shall be supplied to and agreed in writing by the Local Planning Authority. The approved reasonable avoidance measures and timetable shall thereafter be implemented.
Reason. In order to ensure that no harm is caused to a Protected Species pursuant to policies EN6 – Conservation of the Natural Environment and EN6/3 – Features of Ecological Value of the Bury Unitary Development Plan and Section 11 of the National Planning Policy Framework.
- 10 Prior to any vegetation clearance or earthworks a method statement detailing control measures for himalayan balsam and rhododendron should be supplied to and agreed in writing to the Local Planning Authority. The agreed method statement shall be adhered to and implemented in full unless otherwise agreed in writing by the LPA.
Reason. The scheme does not provide full details of the actual extent of invasive species. To ensure the safe and satisfactory development of the site pursuant to National Planning Policy Framework Section 15 - Conserving and enhancing the natural environment.
- 11 No development shall commence unless and until a construction and environmental management plan to include a scheme to treat and remove suspended solids from surface water run-off during construction works and measures to ensure surface water is retained on site during and post construction has been submitted to and approved by the Local Planning Authority. The approved plan only shall be implemented prior to the commencement of any works and maintained for the duration of the build out of the development.
Reason. Information not submitted at application stage. To ensure a safe and satisfactory development of the site in relation to the protection of the adjacent SBI from any pollutants and construction disturbance which may cause risk, pursuant to chapter 15 - Conserving and enhancing the natural environment of the NPPF.
- 12 Prior to the construction of the extension hereby approved, details/samples of the materials to be used in the external elevations, together with details of their manufacturer, type/colour and size, shall be submitted to and approved in writing by the Local Planning Authority before the development is commenced. Only the approved materials shall be used for the construction of the development.
Reason. No material samples have been submitted and are required in the interests of visual amenity and to ensure a satisfactory development pursuant to UDP Policy EN1/2 - Townscape and Built Design.
- 13 Notwithstanding the approved plans - 4496 201 C - Revised Planting plan and 4496 202 - Planting plan, prior to commencement of development a biodiversity mitigation plan for the on-site and off-site proposals shall be submitted to and approved in writing by the Local Planning Authority. The mitigation plan and net gain report shall include:
- Aims and objectives of the plan;
 - An updated post development habitat and condition proposal (if required);
 - Management Proposals for each habitat to be created and or enhanced (including but not limited to provision of bird boxes and brush piles for amphibians and hedgehogs) ;
 - Potential management constraints;

- A 30 year management and monitoring schedule;
- Milestones and Risk Assessment and;
- Details of the organisation(s) responsible for implementation, management and monitoring.

The details shall thereafter be implemented to the agreed timetable

Reason. To secure the satisfactory development of the site in the interests of visual amenity and a net enhancement of biodiversity resources pursuant to Policies EN1/2 - Townscape and Built Design of the Bury Unitary Development Plan, Policy JP-G7 - Trees and Woodland, Policy JP-G8: A Net Enhancement of Biodiversity and Geodiversity of Places for Everyone Joint Development Plan and Chapter 15 - Conserving and enhancing the natural environment of the NPPF.

- 14 No development shall commence unless and until a 'Construction Traffic Management Plan' (CTMP), has been submitted to and agreed in writing with the Local Planning Authority and shall confirm/provide the following:

- Photographic dilapidation survey of the footways and carriageways leading to and abutting the junction of the site access with Pilsworth Road in the event that subsequent remedial works are required following construction of the development;
- Access route for all construction vehicles to the site from the Key Route Network taking into consideration the 7.5T weight restriction on Pilsworth Road;
- Access point/arrangements for construction traffic from the unadopted site access road, taking into consideration the need to maintain safe pedestrian/vehicular access to the existing site and all temporary works required to facilitate access for demolition/construction vehicles;
- If proposed, details of site hoarding/gate positions;
- The provision, where necessary, of temporary pedestrian facilities/protection measures;
- A scheme of appropriate warning/construction traffic speed signage in the vicinity of the site and its access onto Pilsworth Road;
- Confirmation of hours of operation and number of vehicle movements;
- Arrangements for the turning and manoeuvring of vehicles within the curtilage of the site and/or measures to control/manage delivery vehicle manoeuvres;
- Parking on site or on land within the applicant's control of operatives' and construction vehicles, together with storage on site of construction materials clear of existing parking facilities;
- Measures to ensure that all mud and other loose materials are not spread onto the adjacent adopted highways as a result of the groundworks operations or carried on the wheels and chassis of any vehicles leaving the site and measures to minimise dust nuisance caused by the operations.

The approved plan shall be adhered to throughout the construction period and the measures shall be retained and facilities used for the intended purpose for the duration of the construction period.

Reason. Information not submitted at application stage. To mitigate the impact of the construction traffic generated by the proposed development on the adjacent highways, ensure adequate off street car parking provision and materials storage arrangements for the duration of the construction period and that the adopted highways are kept free of deposited material from the ground works operations in the interests of highway safety pursuant to Policies EN1/2 - Townscape and Built Design and JP-C5.

- 15 The turning and servicing facilities indicated on the approved plans shall be retained/provided before the development hereby approved is brought into use and the areas used for the manoeuvring of vehicles shall subsequently be maintained free of obstruction at all times.
Reason. To minimise the standing and turning movements of vehicles on the highway in the interests of road safety pursuant to Policies EC6/1 and JP-C5.
- 16 The car parking indicated on the approved plans shall be surfaced, demarcated and made available for use prior to the development hereby approved being brought into use and thereafter maintained at all times.
Reason. To ensure adequate off street car parking provision in the interests of road safety pursuant to policies EC6/1 and HT2/4.

Statement in accordance with Article 35(2) Town and Country Planning (Development Management Procedure) (England) (Amendment) Order 2015

The Local Planning Authority worked positively and proactively with the applicant to identify various solutions during the application process to ensure that the proposal comprised sustainable development and would improve the economic, social and environmental conditions of the area and would accord with the development plan. These were incorporated into the scheme and/or have been secured by planning condition. The Local Planning Authority has therefore implemented the requirement in Paragraph 38 of the National Planning Policy Framework.

The following policies of the Bury Unitary Development Plan, National and Regional Government were considered relevant:

NPPF	National Planning Policy Framework
EC2/1	EC2/1 - Employment Generating Areas
EC6/1	EC6/1 - New Business, Industrial and Commercial Development
EN1/2	EN1/2 - Townscape and Built Design
EN5/1	EN5/1 - New Development and Flood Risk
EN6/2	EN6/2 - Sites of Nature Conservation Interest (LNR's and Grade B and C SBI's)
EN6/4	EN6/4 - Wildlife Links and Corridors
HT2/4	HT2/4 - Car Parking and New Development
OL5/2	OL5/2 - Development in River Valleys
SPD11	Development Control Policy Guidance Note 11 - Parking Standards in Bury
JP-S1	Sustainable Development
JP-S2	Carbon and Energy
JP-S4	Flood Risk and the Water Environment
JP-J2	Employment Sites and Premises
JP-G7	Trees and Woodland
JP-G8	A Net Enhancement of Biodiversity and Geodiversity
JP-P1	Sustainable Places
JP-P6	Health
JP-C2	Digital Connectivity
JP-C4	Strategic Road Network
JP-C5	Streets For All
JP-C6	Walking and Cycling
JP-C8	Transport Requirements of New Development

This decision relates only to the Town and Country Planning Acts and does not include any consent or approval under any other enactment or under the Building Regulations. Any other consent or approval which is necessary must be obtained from the appropriate authority.

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NOTES TO APPLICANT

. United Utilities

Please note, United Utilities is not responsible for advising on rates of discharge to the local watercourse system. This is a matter for discussion with the Lead Local Flood Authority and / or the Environment Agency (if the watercourse is classified as a main river).

To discuss their drainage proposals the applicant should contact our Developer Services team by email at SewerAdoptions@uuplc.co.uk. Alternative ways to contact the team are detailed in the Appendix, Section 4.0 'Contacts'.

Management and maintenance of Sustainable Drainage Systems (SuDS)

Without effective management and maintenance SuDS can fail or become ineffective

which may have a detrimental impact on the surrounding area. There is also a risk ineffective SuDS could impact the performance of the public sewer network where the two systems interact. Therefore, when SuDS is included in a proposed development, we recommend the Local Authority include a condition relating to SuDS management and maintenance in any subsequent Decision Notice. We provide an example condition below that may be suitable in many circumstances.

Please note United Utilities cannot provide comment on an asset that is owned by a third party management and maintenance company. Therefore, whilst we recommend the inclusion of a management and maintenance condition, United Utilities would not be involved in its discharge.

Prior to occupation of the development a sustainable drainage management and maintenance plan for the lifetime of the development shall be submitted to the local planning authority and agreed in writing. The sustainable drainage management and maintenance plan shall include as a minimum:

- (i) Arrangements for adoption by an appropriate public body or statutory undertaker, or, management and maintenance by a resident's management company; and
- (ii) Arrangements for inspection and ongoing maintenance of all elements of the sustainable drainage system to secure the operation of the surface water drainage scheme throughout its lifetime.

The development shall subsequently be completed, maintained and managed in accordance with the approved plan.

Reason: To ensure that management arrangements are in place for the sustainable drainage system in order to manage the risk of flooding and pollution during the lifetime of the development.

UNITED UTILITIES' PROPERTY, ASSETS AND INFRASTRUCTURE

It is the applicant's responsibility to investigate the existence of any pipelines that might cross or impact their proposed site and also to demonstrate the exact relationship between United Utilities' assets and the proposed development. The applicant should not rely solely on the detail contained within asset maps when considering a proposed layout.

It is important that the supporting information contained in the Appendix, Section 2.0 'United Utilities' Property, Assets and Infrastructure', is read in conjunction with this letter. This provides information that might impact a proposed layout and additional guidance that an applicant or developer must consider when United Utilities assets are located in, or in the locality of, the proposed site.

Where United Utilities' assets exist, it is essential that the applicant, or any subsequent developer, contacts our Developer Services team prior to commencing any works on site, including trial holes, groundworks or demolition. See Appendix, Section 4.0 'Contacts

Water main

A large diameter trunk main crosses the site. It must not be built over, or our access to the pipeline compromised in any way. We require an access strip as detailed in our 'Standard Conditions for Works Adjacent to Pipelines', which can be found on our website:

<https://www.unitedutilities.com/builders-developers/your-development/planning/building-over-or-working-near-our-assets/working-near-our-pipes/> . The applicant must comply with this document to ensure pipelines are adequately protected both during and after the construction period.

Given the size and nature of the pipeline concerned, we strongly recommend that if

they have not already done so, the applicant contacts our Water Developer Services team at the earliest opportunity for advice on determining the precise location of the pipeline and additional protection measures they must consider both during and after construction. The location of the proposed substation may need reconsidering as part of the proposal due to the proximity of the main and associated legal easement.

APPENDIX:

Supporting information for the decision maker, applicant, developers and any other interested party

Whilst we provide the following information to support the design and delivery of the proposed scheme, we strongly recommend that the applicant, or any subsequent developer, contacts our Developer Services team at the earliest opportunity, using our free pre-development enquiry service, to ensure they have fully considered all aspects of development and to avoid any potential issues or unexpected costs at a later date.

Full details of the services offered to developers, guidance and application forms are available on our website: www.unitedutilities.com/builders-developers/

1.0 DRAINAGE DESIGN

1.1 The importance of sustainable drainage systems

We strongly encourage all developments to include sustainable drainage systems to help manage surface water and to offer new opportunities for wildlife to flourish. We request that Local Planning Authorities and applicants do all they can to avoid surface water entering the public sewer. The flows that come from this surface water are very large when compared with the foul water that comes from toilets, showers, baths, washing machines, etc. It is the surface water that uses up a lot of capacity in our sewers and results in the unnecessary pumping and treatment of surface water at our pumping stations and treatment works. If new developments can manage flows through sustainable drainage systems that discharge to an alternative to the public sewer, it will help to minimise the likelihood of sewers spilling into watercourses and the flooding of homes and businesses.

1.2 Adoption and construction of drainage systems

If the applicant intends to offer wastewater assets forward for adoption by United Utilities, their proposed detailed design will be subject to a technical appraisal by our Developer Services team and must meet the requirements outlined in 'Sewerage Sector Guidance Appendix C – Design and Construction Guidance v2-2' dated 29 June 2022 or any subsequent iteration. This is important as drainage design can be a key determining factor of site levels and layout.

If the proposal incorporates a SuDS component(s) which interacts with a sewer network that may be offered for adoption by United Utilities we recommend the applicant seeks further advice regarding the SuDS design; detailed information is available on our website.

Our acceptance of any drainage strategy submitted by an applicant to the Local Planning Authority for approval does not infer that a detailed drainage design will meet the requirements for a successful adoption application. We strongly recommend that no construction commences until the detailed drainage design has been submitted directly to United Utilities, assessed and accepted in writing. Any work carried out prior to the technical assessment being approved is done entirely at the developer's own risk and could be subject to change.

2.0 UNITED UTILITIES' PROPERTY, ASSETS AND INFRASTRUCTURE

2.1 Water pipelines

United Utilities will not allow building over or in close proximity to a water main. For any works in the vicinity of water pipelines, the applicant must comply with our 'Standard Conditions for Works Adjacent to Pipelines', which can be found on our website:

<https://www.unitedutilities.com/builders-developers/your-development/planning/building-over-or-working-near-our-assets/working-near-our-pipes/>

2.2 Wastewater pipelines

United Utilities will not allow a new building to be erected over or in close proximity to a public sewer or any other wastewater pipeline. This will only be reviewed in exceptional circumstances.

Nb. Proposals to extend domestic properties either above, or in close proximity to a public sewer will be reviewed on a case by case basis by either by a building control professional or following a direct application to United Utilities (see our website for further details).

2.3 Water and wastewater pipelines and apparatus

A number of providers offer a paid for mapping service, including United Utilities (see Section 4.0 'Contacts' (below)). The position of the underground apparatus shown on water and wastewater asset maps is approximate only and is given in accordance with the best information currently available. Therefore, we strongly recommend the applicant, or any future developer, does not rely solely on the asset maps to inform decisions relating to the detail of their site and instead investigates the precise location of any underground pipelines and apparatus. Where additional information is requested to enable an assessment of the proximity of proposed development features to United Utilities assets, the proven location of pipelines should be confirmed by site survey; an extract of asset maps will not suffice. The applicant should seek advice from our Developer Services team on this matter. See Section 4.0. 'Contacts' (below). United Utilities Water will not accept liability for any loss or damage caused by the actual position of our assets and infrastructure being different from those shown on asset maps.

Developer's should investigate the existence and the precise location of water and wastewater pipelines as soon as possible as this could significantly impact the preferred site layout and/or diversion of the asset(s) may be required. Unless there is specific provision within the title of the property or an associated easement, any necessary disconnection or diversion of assets to accommodate development, will be at the applicant/developer's expense. In some circumstances, usually related to the size and nature of the assets impacted by proposals, developers may discover the cost of diversion is prohibitive in the context of their development scheme.

Any agreement to divert our underground assets will be subject to a diversion application, made directly to United Utilities. This is a separate matter to the determination of a planning application. We will not guarantee, or infer acceptance of, a proposed diversion through the planning process (where diversion is indicated on submitted plans). In the event that an application to divert or abandon underground assets is submitted to United Utilities and subsequently rejected (either before or after the determination of a planning application), applicants should be aware that they may need to amend their proposed layout to accommodate United Utilities' assets.

Where United Utilities' assets exist, the level of cover to United Utilities pipelines and apparatus must not be compromised either during or after construction and there should be no additional load bearing capacity on pipelines without prior agreement from United Utilities. This would include sustainable drainage features, earth movement and the transport and position of construction equipment and vehicles.

Any construction activities in the vicinity of United Utilities' assets, including any assets or infrastructure that may be located outside the applicant's red line boundary, must comply with national building and construction standards and where applicable, our 'Standard Conditions for Works Adjacent to Pipelines', which can be found on our website:

<https://www.unitedutilities.com/builders-developers/your-development/planning/building-over-or-working-near-our-assets/working-near-our-pipes/>.

The applicant, and/or any subsequent developer should note that our 'Standard Conditions' guidance applies to any design and construction activities in close proximity to water pipelines and apparatus that are no longer in service, as well as pipelines and apparatus that are currently in operation.

It is the applicant's responsibility to ensure that United Utilities' required access is provided within any proposed layout and that our infrastructure is appropriately protected. The developer would be liable for the cost of any damage to United Utilities' assets resulting from their activity.

3.0 WATER AND WASTEWATER SERVICES, METERING AND CHARGES

If the applicant intends to receive water and/or wastewater services from United Utilities they should visit our website or contact the Developer Services team for advice at the earliest opportunity. This includes seeking confirmation of the required metering arrangements for the proposed development. See Section 4.0 'Contacts' (below).

If the proposed development site benefits from existing water and wastewater connections, the applicant should not assume that the connection(s) will be suitable for the new proposal or that any existing metering arrangements will suffice. In addition, if reinforcement of the water network is required to meet potential demand, this could be a significant project and the design and construction period should be accounted for.

In some circumstances we may require a compulsory meter is fitted. For detailed guidance on whether the development will require a compulsory meter please visit <https://www.unitedutilities.com/my-account/your-bill/our-household-charges-20232024/> and go to Section 7.7 for compulsory metering.

To promote sustainable development United Utilities offers a reduction in infrastructure charges to applicant's delivering water efficient homes and draining surface water sustainably (criteria applies). For further information, we strongly recommend the applicant visits our website when considering any water or wastewater design

<https://www.unitedutilities.com/builders-developers/your-development/planning/building-sustainable-homes/>

Business customers can find additional information on our sustainable drainage incentive scheme at

<https://www.unitedutilities.com/Business-services/retailers/incentive-schemes/>

To avoid any unnecessary costs and delays being incurred by the applicant or any subsequent developer, we strongly recommend the applicant seeks advice regarding water and wastewater services and metering arrangements, at the earliest opportunity. See Section 4.0 'Contacts' (below).

4.0 CONTACTS

For advice on your development contact our DEVELOPER SERVICES team as follows:

Website (including 'Live Chat'):

<http://www.unitedutilities.com/builders-developers.aspx>

Email:

WATER (water mains, supply and metering): DeveloperServicesWater@uuplc.co.uk
WASTEWATER (public sewers and drainage): SewerAdoptions@uuplc.co.uk
Telephone (Monday-Friday, 8am-6pm): 0345 072 6067

PROPERTY SEARCHES (FOR ASSET MAPS):

A number of providers offer a paid for mapping service including United Utilities. For more information, or to purchase a sewer and water plan from United Utilities, please visit <https://www.unitedutilities.com/property-searches/>

Water and sewer records can be viewed for free at our Warrington Head Office by calling 0370 751 0101. Appointments must be made in advance. Public sewer records can be viewed at local authority offices. Arrangements should be made directly with the local authority.

UNITED UTILITIES LEGAL SERVICES (FOR EASEMENT DOCUMENTS):

Copies of relevant deeds may be purchased from United Utilities Legal Services. This information is also available from Land Registry.

To purchase a copy of easement documents from United Utilities, please email: LegalServices@uuplc.co.uk

**INFORMATIVE - The Control of Noise (Appeals) Regulations 1975, Section 60.
Control of Noise on Construction Sites**

Works carried out in connection with the planning permission shall comply with the above regulations which require the following:

1. All works and ancillary operations which are audible at the boundary of the nearest house or noise receptor, or at such other place as may be agreed with the Council, shall be carried out only between the hours of 0800 and 1800 on Mondays to Fridays and between the hours of 0900 and 1400 on Saturdays and at no time on Sundays and Bank Holidays.
2. The best practicable means, as defined in section 72 of the Control of Pollution Act 1974, to reduce noise to a minimum shall be employed at all times.
3. All plant and machinery in use shall be properly silenced and maintained in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions.
4. Any emergency deviation from the above (1 - 3) shall be notified to Bury Council without delay.

Any contravention of these requirements will trigger the serving of a Notice under Section 60 of The Control of Noise Regulations 1975.

The above proposal should meet the requirements for Fire Service access and the requirements of B5, Approved Document B Volume 2

The access road should comply with Table 15.2 of Approved Document B, Volume 2 - be a minimum width of 3.7m and capable of carrying 12.5 tonnes.

Where a building, which has a compartment of 280m² or more in area, is being erected more than 100m from an existing fire-hydrant additional hydrants should be provided as follows;

- Buildings provided with fire mains – hydrants should be provided within 90m of dry fire main inlets
- Buildings not provided with fire mains – hydrants should be provided within 90m of an entry point to the building and not more than 90m apart.

If the provisions in a building vary from those in Approved Document B, sprinkler protection can sometimes be used as a compensatory feature. The provision of a sprinkler system may also result in long term savings on insurance premiums.

The Fire Service strongly supports the installation of sprinkler systems as a positive measure to protect persons. The provision of a sprinkler fire suppression system would have significant benefits for the development. It would ensure that any fire would be quickly controlled and would significantly reduce any fire damage to the building. This is particularly important as business continuity following a fire as an important factor in the ongoing viability of an organisation.

It is strongly advised that you consult your insurance company to discuss the advantages of installing a sprinkler protection.

. Environment Agency response - Advice to the applicant

Holchem is an upper-tier COMAH establishment and subject to the provisions of the COMAH Regulations 2015, which are enforced by the COMAH Competent Authority (CA). The CA comprises the Health and Safety Executive (HSE) and the relevant environmental regulator: the Environment Agency (EA) in England. The proposed increase in storage could relate to an increase in quantity of COMAH dangerous substances on site or change in location of COMAH dangerous substances. The COMAH Regulations requires that the operator must review and, if necessary, revise a safety report in advance of modifications to the establishment, process or the nature or physical form or quantity of dangerous substances which could have significant consequences for major accident hazards. The safety report needs to be submitted to the CA within a reasonable period of time in advance of the change. The CA has a duty to examine the safety report, including measures necessary to prevent major accidents and to limit their consequences for human health and the environment.

. The applicant's attention is drawn to the potential need to consult the Department of Operations regarding the specification for and implementation of the required highway works and implementation of any required traffic regulation orders. The cost of the works will be the responsibility of the developer.

. The applicant must be made aware of the need to safeguard people using public rights of way and that no public rights of way are damaged, widths altered, gates erected across their width (unless authorised by Bury Council the Highway Authority) or obstructed by any other means either during or as a result of development. The applicant must ensure that no changes to land levels/surface water runoff affects a public right of way. If a temporary obstruction of public rights of way is unavoidable, no development must take place until a temporary closure order has been made by Bury Council and a suitable temporary alternative route(s) made available.

. This planning permission needs to be read in conjunction with the binding S106 Planning Agreement signed on 9 May 2024.

Signed:



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On behalf of the Council

Date of Decision: 14/05/2024