

CONTAMINATED LAND – CONDITION.

The site has previously been in use as Ainsworth Hall, Ainsworth Hall Farm buildings and former workers cottages. Ainsworth Hall was previously demolished (by 1969). Currently the site is use by one residential property in use, former workers cottages and a number of dilapidated barns and sheds. Surrounding land uses have included agricultural land. The site is not within 250m of a registered landfill and there is two reservoirs and a surface water drain situated to the north east of the site. The site is situated above the Cannel Rock Sandstone Secondary A Aquifer which has no known overlying drift geology.

The UK Health Security Agency has recently updated the Radon Maps for the UK. This site now falls within an area where 3-5% chance of a house having a Radon concentration above the Action level of 200 Bq m³.

Due to the sensitivity of the proposed land use, as a minimum, a Desk Study and Preliminary Risk Assessment will be required.

In line with the National Planning Policy Framework, the site is proposed for a sensitive end use we recommend that the following contaminated land conditions are placed on any grant of permission:

CLA1 - Contaminated Land Preliminary Risk Assessment, Site Investigation, Detailed Risk Assessment and Remediation Strategy.

CLA2 - Contaminated Land implementation of Remediation Strategy and Site Verification Report.

Asbestos Condition - Prior to demolition of the structures on site an asbestos survey is to be carried out by an appropriately qualified contractor. Any asbestos identified shall be disposed of in an appropriate manner.

Reason: This is to secure the satisfactory development of the site in terms of human health, controlled waters and the wider environment and pursuant to the National Planning Policy Framework.

AIR QUALITY – CONDITION – Electric Vehicle Charge Points

Bury Council has been identified by DEFRA as an area requiring to significantly improve air quality. The required measures to do this are currently under discussion. Due to this requirement, and the requirements of the new building regulations (The Building Regulations 2010, Approved Document S, Infrastructure for the charging of electric vehicles), this Section recommends the following condition to be placed on are placed on any grant of permission:

- **Residential with dedicated parking spaces:** Prior to occupation the applicant shall provide one electric vehicle (EV) charging point (minimum 7kW*) per unit (dwelling with dedicated parking).

*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.

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.

Thank you

Operations – Environment Section.

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