

Board Direction BD-018859-25 ABP-319648-24

The submissions on this file and the Inspector's report were considered at a Board meeting held on 10/02/2025.

The Board decided to grant permission generally in accordance with the Inspector's recommendation, for the following reasons and considerations, and subject to the following conditions.

Reasons and Considerations

Having regard to the design, scale and nature of the proposed development and the location and character of the site and surrounding area in a serviced urban area together with the provisions of the Dún Laoghaire-Rathdown County Development Plan 2022-2028 including the 'A' zoning objective for the area and Policy Objectives PHP 18, PHP 19, HER 8, it is considered that, subject to compliance with the conditions set out below, the proposed development provides an acceptable design, would not seriously injure the visual or residential amenity of the area or any protected structure, and would not give rise to a traffic hazard. The proposed development is, therefore, in accordance with the proper planning and sustainable development of the area.

Conditions

1. The development shall be carried out and completed in accordance with the plans and particulars lodged with the application, as amended by the further

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plans and particulars received by the planning authority on the 20th day of March 2024, except as may otherwise be required in order to comply with the following conditions. Where such conditions require details to be agreed with the planning authority, the developer shall agree such details in writing with the planning authority prior to commencement of development and the development shall be carried out and completed in accordance with the agreed particulars.

Reason: In the interest of clarity.

2. The 'living green wall' shall be fixed and maintained permanently on the eastern elevation in accordance with the plans and particulars submitted.

Reason: In the interest of architectural interest and sustainable development.

- The width of each vehicular entrance shall be no more than 3.5 meters.
 Reason: In the interest of traffic and public safety and orderly development.
- 4. The access arrangements and works to the public footpath shall comply with the requirements of the planning authority for such works and services. Prior to the commencement of development, the developer shall submit details of the access arrangements and works to the public footpath for the written agreement of the planning authority.

Reason: In the interest of traffic safety.

5. Prior to commencement of development details of all boundary treatment and landscaping shall be submitted to and agreed in writing with the planning authority.

Reason: In the interest of visual amenity.

- The attenuation and disposal of surface water shall comply with the requirements of the planning authority for such works and services.
 Reason: To prevent flooding and in the interests of sustainable drainage.
- 7. Prior to the commencement of development the developer shall enter into Connection Agreements with Uisce Éireann to provide for service connections to

the public water supply and wastewater collection network.

Reason: In the interest of public health and to ensure adequate water/wastewater facilities.

- 8. A Construction and Environmental Management Plan (CEMP) shall be submitted to and agreed in writing with the planning authority prior to the commencement of development. The CEMP shall include but not be limited to construction phase controls for dust, noise and vibration, waste management, protection of soils, groundwaters, and surface waters, site housekeeping, emergency response planning, site environmental policy, complaints management procedures, public liaison and project roles and responsibilities.
- 9. Site development and building works shall be carried out between the hours of 0700 to 1900 Mondays to Fridays inclusive, between 0800 to 1400 on Saturdays and not at all on Sundays and public holidays. Deviation from these times shall only be allowed in exceptional circumstances where prior written agreement has been received from the planning authority.

Reason: To safeguard the amenity of property in the vicinity.

Reason: In the interest of environmental protection.

10. The developer shall pay to the planning authority a financial contribution in respect of public infrastructure and facilities benefiting development in the area of the planning authority that is provided or intended to be provided by or on behalf of the authority in accordance with the terms of the Development Contribution Scheme made under section 48 of the Planning and Development Act 2000, as amended. The contribution shall be paid prior to commencement of development or in such phased payments as the planning authority may facilitate and shall be subject to any applicable indexation provisions of the Scheme at the time of payment. Details of the application of the terms of the Scheme shall be agreed between the planning authority and the developer or, in default of such agreement, the matter shall be referred to An Bord Pleanála to determine the proper application of the terms of the Scheme.

Reason: It is a requirement of the Planning and Development Act 2000, as

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amended, that a condition requiring a contribution in accordance with the Development Contribution Scheme made under section 48 of the Act be applied to the permission.

Board Member

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