



# Northumberland County Council

County Hall, Morpeth, Northumberland, NE61 2EF

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## Application for a Lawful Development Certificate for a Proposed Use or Development

### Town and Country Planning Act 1990 (as amended)

#### Publication of applications on planning authority websites

Please note that the information provided on this application form and in supporting documents may be published on the Authority's website. If you require any further clarification, please contact the Authority's planning department.

### Site Location

**Disclaimer:** We can only make recommendations based on the answers given in the questions.

If you cannot provide a postcode, the description of site location must be completed. Please provide the most accurate site description you can, to help locate the site - for example "field to the North of the Post Office".

Number

Suffix

Property Name

Address Line 1

Address Line 2

Address Line 3

Town/city

Postcode

Description of site location must be completed if postcode is not known:

Easting (x)  Northing (y)

Description

## Applicant Details

### Name/Company

Title

Ms

First name

Cathy

Surname

Rhodes

Company Name

### Address

Address line 1

AppletreeCottage

Address line 2

Off Main Street

Address line 3

Town/City

Staveley

County

Country

United Kingdom

Postcode

HG5 9LD

Are you an agent acting on behalf of the applicant?

Yes

No

### Contact Details

Primary number

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Secondary number

Fax number

Email address

## Description of Proposal

Does the proposal consist of, or include, the carrying out of building or other operations?

- Yes  
 No

Does the proposal consist of, or include, a change of use of the land or building(s)?

- Yes  
 No

If Yes, please give a full description of the scale and nature of the proposed use, including the processes to be carried out, any machinery to be installed and the hours the proposed use will be carried out

If Yes, please fully describe the existing or the last known use, with the date when this use ceased

Has the proposal been started?

- Yes  
 No

## Grounds for Application

### Information about the existing use(s)

Please explain why you consider the existing or last use of the land is lawful, or why you consider that any existing buildings, which it is proposed to alter or extend are lawful

Please list the supporting documentary evidence (such as a planning permission) which accompanies this application

Select the use class that relates to the existing or last use.

**Please note that following changes to Use Classes on 1 September 2020:** The list includes the now revoked Use Classes A1-5, B1, and D1-2 that should not be used in most cases. Also, the list does not include the newly introduced Use Classes E and F1-2. To provide details in relation to these or any 'Sui Generis' use, select 'Other' and specify the use where prompted. See help for more details on Use Classes.

### Information about the proposed use(s)

Select the use class that relates to the proposed use.

C3 - Dwellinghouses

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Is the proposed operation or use

- Permanent  
 Temporary

Why do you consider that a Lawful Development Certificate should be granted for this proposal?

The proposed use of the property for short term holiday lets does not currently constitute a change of use. Both the current activity of using the property as a dwelling house (second home) and the proposed future use of using the property both as a dwelling house, including second home usage and for short term holiday lets are classed as C3 in the property use classes. Therefore consider the Lawful Development Certificate should be granted.

The timescale to commence use of the property for short term holiday lets has not yet been determined. Hence the Lawful Development Certificate is requested to cover future use of the property for short term lets in addition to a dwelling house / second home.

### Site Visit

Can the site be seen from a public road, public footpath, bridleway or other public land?

- Yes  
 No

If the planning authority needs to make an appointment to carry out a site visit, whom should they contact?

- The agent  
 The applicant  
 Other person

### Pre-application Advice

Has assistance or prior advice been sought from the local authority about this application?

- Yes  
 No

**If Yes, please complete the following information about the advice you were given (this will help the authority to deal with this application more efficiently):**

Officer name:

Title

\*\*\*\*\* REDACTED \*\*\*\*\*

First Name

\*\*\*\*\* REDACTED \*\*\*\*\*

Surname

\*\*\*\*\* REDACTED \*\*\*\*\*

Reference

23/00112/PREAPP

Date (must be pre-application submission)

27/02/2023

Details of the pre-application advice received

Advised in the Pre Application response that planning permission is not required. However it was suggested in the response that whilst planning permission is not required, the obtaining of a Lawful Development Certificate would confirm lawfulness of any future development / use as a holiday let.

## Authority Employee/Member

With respect to the Authority, is the applicant and/or agent one of the following:

- (a) a member of staff
- (b) an elected member
- (c) related to a member of staff
- (d) related to an elected member

It is an important principle of decision-making that the process is open and transparent.

For the purposes of this question, "related to" means related, by birth or otherwise, closely enough that a fair-minded and informed observer, having considered the facts, would conclude that there was bias on the part of the decision-maker in the Local Planning Authority.

Do any of the above statements apply?

- Yes
- No

## Interest in the Land

Please state the applicant's interest in the land

- Owner
- Lessee
- Occupier
- Other

## Declaration

I / We hereby apply for Lawful development: Proposed use as described in this form and accompanying plans/drawings and additional information. I / We confirm that, to the best of my/our knowledge, any facts stated are true and accurate and any opinions given are the genuine options of the persons giving them. I / We also accept that: Once submitted, this information will be transmitted to the Local Planning Authority and, once validated by them, be made available as part of a public register and on the authority's website; our system will automatically generate and send you emails in regard to the submission of this application.

I / We agree to the outlined declaration

Signed

Cathy Rhodes

Date

13/03/2023