

Application for Listed Building Consent for alterations, extension or demolition of a listed building

Planning (Listed Buildings and Conservation Areas 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)
<input type="text" value="390157"/>	<input type="text" value="397622"/>

Description

Applicant Details

Name/Company

Title

Mr

First name

Anthony

Surname

Torkington

Company Name

Moravian Church

Address

Address line 1

13A Fairfield Square

Address line 2

Droylsden

Address line 3

Town/City

DROYLSDEN

County

Country

United Kingdom

Postcode

M43 6AD

Are you an agent acting on behalf of the applicant?

Yes

No

Contact Details

Primary number

***** REDACTED *****

Secondary number

Fax number

Email address

Description of Proposed Works

Please describe the proposals to alter, extend or demolish the listed building(s)

Sometimes it has been necessary to wheel a piano in and out of the worship area, and recently resulted in a serious accident. To prevent further accidents the Church would like to create a permanent space for the piano in the worship area, so that it did not have to be moved. To achieve this, it is proposed to remove two pews from the north side of the worship area. The Church was built in 1785 on the Georgian design principle of symmetry, with loose bench seating. In 1908 the interior was re-orientated and provided with new fixed pews. However, complete symmetry was not fully achieved due to the existing centre doorway on the south side, where to maintain access to the door there are no pews. (This door is also a fire exit.) By removing the proposed two pews on the north side, symmetry of the pews will be fully achieved and therefore conform with the original design principle.

Has the development or work already been started without consent?

- Yes
 No

Listed Building Grading

What is the grading of the listed building (as stated in the list of Buildings of Special Architectural or Historical Interest)?

- Don't know
 Grade I
 Grade II*
 Grade II

Is it an ecclesiastical building?

- Don't know
 Yes
 No

Demolition of Listed Building

Does the proposal include the partial or total demolition of a listed building?

- Yes
 No

Related Proposals

Are there any current applications, previous proposals or demolitions for the site?

- Yes
 No

Immunity from Listing

Has a Certificate of Immunity from Listing been sought in respect of this building?

- Yes
 No

Listed Building Alterations

Do the proposed works include alterations to a listed building?

- Yes
 No

If Yes, do the proposed works include

a) works to the interior of the building?

- Yes
 No

b) works to the exterior of the building?

- Yes
 No

c) works to any structure or object fixed to the property (or buildings within its curtilage) internally or externally?

- Yes
 No

d) stripping out of any internal wall, ceiling or floor finishes (e.g. plaster, floorboards)?

- Yes
 No

If the answer to any of these questions is Yes, please provide plans, drawings and photographs sufficient to identify the location, extent and character of the items to be removed. Also include the proposal for their replacement, including any new means of structural support, and state references for the plan(s)/drawing(s).

PLAN 1: showing the existing pew layout.

PLAN 2: showing the proposed pew layout.

DRAWING 3: showing existing internal symmetrical pulpit elevation (no change); existing external south elevation (no change); plan of existing pew layout.

PHOTO: showing interior of worship area and annotated to show proposed pews to be removed.

Materials

Does the proposed development require any materials to be used?

- Yes
 No

Neighbour and Community Consultation

Have you consulted your neighbours or the local community about the proposal?

Yes

No

If Yes, please provide details

The proposal has been discussed among the Church members, many of whom live in the Moravian Settlement, and formally proposed and carried in their AGM,

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

Planning Officer

Date (must be pre-application submission)

20/06/2023

Details of the pre-application advice received

Make formal LBC application

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

Ownership Certificates

Certificates under Regulation 6 - Planning (Listed Buildings and Conservation Areas) Regulations 1990

Please answer the following questions to determine which Certificate of Ownership you need to complete: A, B, C or D.

Is the applicant the sole owner of **all** the land to which this application relates; **and** has the applicant been the sole owner for more than 21 days?

- Yes
- No

Certificate Of Ownership - Certificate A

I certify/The applicant certifies that on the day 21 days before the date of this application nobody except myself/the applicant was the owner (owner is a person with a freehold interest or leasehold interest with at least 7 years left to run) of any part of the land or building to which the application relates.

Person Role

- The Applicant
- The Agent

Title

First Name

Surname

Declaration Date

Declaration made

Declaration

I/We hereby apply for Listed building consent as described in the questions answered, details provided, and the 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 opinions of the person(s) giving them.

I/We also accept that, in accordance with the Planning Portal's terms and conditions:

- Once submitted, this information will be made available to the Local Planning Authority and, once validated by them, be published 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

Anthony Torkington

Date

10/11/2023