Condition 5: Surface Water Drainage

The text below in red provides a written response to Condition 3: Surface Water Drainage. The responses also refer to drawings which have been submitted as evidence alongside the condition discharge application.

- A) 'Written approval from the land owner is also required guaranteeing access for maintenance for the lifetime of the proposed development.'—The owners' boundary line is located and clearly displayed on all site plan drawings, indicating the soakaways are within the owner's land. See boundary line in drawings '23283-ADG-XX-XX-EX-A-9001-E Site Location Plan', '23283-ADG-XX-XX-EX-D-9002-D Existing Site Block Plan', 23283-ADG-XX-XX-EX-D-9003-C Existing Survey Plan', '23283-ADG-XX-XX-EX-D-9011-E Proposed Site Layout Plan', '23283-ADG-XX-XX-EX-A-9002-E Proposed Block Plan'.
- B) 'Confirmation should be submitted that the proposed soakaway is located a minimum of 5m from the existing culverted watercourse identified as having the potential to be in close proximity to the proposed soakaway' The stream at the bottom of the hill is 50 meters away, whilst the man-made culvert is over 100 meters away from the Proposed Soakaway. See drawing '23283-ADG-XX-XX-EX-A-9001-E Site Location Plan'.
- C) 'It is recommended by BRE365 that infiltration through the base of any infiltration device is not included in the calculations for the design of a surface water drainage system. Supporting infiltration test results completed in accordance with BRE365 should be submitted identifying the test location on a plan.' See document 'Soakaway Test Report', section 3.2 for calculations. The proposed soakaways have been designed using 'InfoDrainage' which we understood was acceptable.
- D) 'Submission of a ground Investigation Study' See document 'Soakaway Test Report' carried out by the drainage consultant.
- E) 'Details of the existing surface water drainage system for the adjacent property should be submitted to confirm there is no conflict with the proposed system on their land.' The applicant is the owner of the adjacent property as displayed by the applicant land ownership in drawings '23283-ADG-XX-XX-EX-A-9001-E Site Location Plan', '23283-ADG-XX-XX-EX-D-9002-D Existing Site Block Plan', 23283-ADG-XX-XX-EX-D-9011-E Proposed Site Layout Plan', '23283-ADG-XX-XX-EX-A-9002-E Proposed Block Plan'.