Dear Council Team,

**Email ID:** **supportassistants@dover.gov.uk.**

**DOVER DISTRICT COUNCIL**

Dover District Council, Dover District Council,Planning Department,White Cliffs Business Park,Dover,CT16 3PJ

Date: 05/02/2024

Our ref: WFGT7N6J

**Title: – WINCHELSEA ROAD DOVER CT17 9SY AND WINCHELSEA ROAD DOVER CT17 9SR.**

**The Electronic Communications Code (Conditions and restrictions) Regulations 2003 (as amended) – Regulation 5 Notice of Intention to Install Fixed Line Broadband Apparatus.**

We act on behalf of British Telecommunications plc (BT) who, as you are aware is an Electronic Communications Operator for the purposes of Schedule 3A of the Communications Act 2003 ‘the Electronic Communications Code’.

For the purpose of building an electronic communications network, and in accordance with The Electronic Communications Code and the relevant Town and Country Planning General Permitted Development Order (as amended) we hereby notify you, the local planning authority, of BT’s intention to install fixed line broadband electronic communications apparatus under Regulation 5, detailed as below.

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| **S.NO** | **POLE SIZE/HEIGHT** | **POLE TYPE** | **MATERIAL USED** | **ADDRESS WHERE POLE NEEDS TO BE INSTALLED** | **GRID REFERENCE**X (EASTING), Y (NORTHING) |
| 1 | 9M | MEDIUM | WOOD POLE | NEW 9M MEDIUM POLE; OPP 13 WINCHELSEA ROAD DOVER CT17 9SY; | 630914, 141393 |
| 2 | 9M | MEDIUM | WOOD POLE | NEW 9M MEDIUM POLE; O/S 14-16 WINCHELSEA ROAD DOVER CT17 9SR; | 630943, 141325 |

This notification is in line with the relevant Planning Act, as listed below:

* England Schedule 2 – Part 16 The Town and Country Planning (General Permitted Development) (England) Order 2015
* Scotland Schedule 1 Part 20 – Class 67 *The Town and Country Planning (General Permitted Development) (Scotland) Order 1992*
* Wales Schedule 2A – Part 24 Town & Country Planning (General Permitted Development) (Amendment)(Wales) order 2019
* Northern Ireland Schedule 3 – Part 18 The Planning (General Permitted Development) (Amendment) Order (Northern Ireland) 2020

I enclose a copy of the plan indicating the approximate position for the proposed apparatus.

As the Local Planning Authority and in line with Regulation 5, you have 28 days from receipt of this letter, to give us (the code operator) written notice of any reasonable conditions with which you wish us to consider in respect of the installation of the above apparatus.

For the avoidance of doubt this letter does not constitute: An application for a determination as to whether the prior approval of the Authority will be required to siting and appearance; or An application for planning permission.

In addition, can you, as the Local Planning Authority, please advise, and provide documentation, of any “Article 4 Directions” that are currently in operation and would restrict an Electronic Communication Operators network permitted development rights in this area?

Should you require further information regarding the above works, please do not hesitate to get in touch with the below listed contacts (It is recommended to include all the below contacts on your email).

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Yours faithfully,

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