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Date: 12/02/2024

Our Ref: SDNP/24/00448/FUL

District/Borough Ref: SDNP/24/00448/FUL

Applicant: Mr R Beacroft

Location: 50 Lewes Road, Ditchling, East Sussex, BN6 8TU

Development: Demolition of existing bungalow and garage, erection of a replacement single storey dwelling and outbuilding with associated works

Road Name or Number	B2116	Consultation Date	7 February 2024
National Grid Reference	532857114944	Contact Officer Details	Joe McNamara

Recommendation:

No objection	х	Objection	
No objection subject to the imposition of conditions		Objection due to insufficient information	

Executive Summary

This application seeks consent for the demolition of an existing dwelling and erection of a replacement dwelling.

I do not wish to object to this application.

Response

The site is currently served from an existing shared access from Lewes Road (B2116). The access ideally should be 4.8m wide to accommodate two-way flow traffic with visibility splays of 2.4m X 25m either side of the access point in accordance with Manual for Streets. Because the access will not experience any intensification due to the proposal of a replacement dwelling this could not be insisted on. However, the access should be improved if there is scope to do so/ if required to bring it up to standard.

Sufficient car parking can be provided on site with a similar arrangement to the existing dwelling with minimal risk of overspill onto the highway.

I therefore have no objection to the proposed application.

On behalf of the Highway Authority For Director of Communities, Economy and Transport (sent by email)