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## Application for Planning Permission

### Town and Country Planning Act 1990

#### 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 Details

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

Riverside Court

Address Line 1

Commercial Street

Address Line 2

Town/city

Pontllanfraith

Postcode

NP12 2JG

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

Easting (x)

318073

Northing (y)

196034

Description

Unit C

#### Applicant Details

## Name/Company

Title

Mr

First name

Gavin

Surname

Evans

Company Name

Blackwood Welding & Safety Supplies Ltd

## Address

Address line 1

Blackwood Welding & Safety Supplies Ltd

Address line 2

Unit C, Riverside Court,

Address line 3

Commercial Street, Pontllanfraith

Town/City

Blackwood

Country

United Kingdom

Postcode

NP12 2JG

Are you an agent acting on behalf of the applicant?

Yes

No

## Contact Details

Primary number

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

Secondary number

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

Email address

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

## Site Area

What is the site area?

5000.00

Scale

Sq. metres

Does your proposal involve the construction of a new building which would result in the loss or gain of public open space?

Yes

No

## Description of the Proposal

### Description

Please describe the proposed development including any change of use

The business wishes to begin selling bottled gas (welding gases and propane) from the premises. We propose to store the gas bottles within a secure area in the yard of the premises.

The premises is currently surrounded and secured by an 8ft high palisade fence. We propose adding an additional enclosure within the existing boundary to store and secure the gas bottles. Said enclosure will be consist of additional 8 ft high palisade fencing and a gating system

Fire escape access from the 'river side' of the building will be unaffected by the new enclosure.

In addition, a vehicle to be used for the transportation of the gas bottles will be parked in the yard overnight and on weekends

Details of staff and customer parking, plus means of vehicle turning for the premises is also included within this application

Has the work or change of use already started?

Yes

No

## Existing Use

Please describe the current use of the site

Warehouse and offices. The business buys and sells welding and safety equipment

Is the site currently vacant?

Yes

No

**Does the proposal involve any of the following?**

Land which is known or suspected to be contaminated for all or part of the site

Yes

No

A proposed use that would be particularly vulnerable to the presence of contamination

Yes

No

### Application advice

If you have said Yes to any of the above, you will need to submit an appropriate contamination assessment.

Does your proposal involve the construction of a new building?

- Yes  
 No

### Materials

Does the proposed development require any materials to be used in the build?

- Yes  
 No

### Pedestrian and Vehicle Access, Roads and Rights of Way

Is a new or altered vehicle or pedestrian access proposed to or from the public highway?

- Yes  
 No

Are there any new public roads to be provided within the site?

- Yes  
 No

Are there any new public rights of way to be provided within or adjacent to the site?

- Yes  
 No

Do the proposals require any diversions/extinguishments and/or creation of rights of way?

- Yes  
 No

**Please show details of any existing or proposed rights of way on or adjacent to the site, as well as any alterations to pedestrian and vehicle access, on your plans or drawings.**

### Vehicle Parking

Is vehicle parking relevant to this proposal?

- Yes  
 No

**Please provide information on the existing and proposed number of on-site parking and cycling spaces on your plans.**

### Trees and Hedges

Are there trees or hedges on the proposed development site?

- Yes  
 No

And/or: Are there trees or hedges on land adjacent to the proposed development site that could influence the development or might be important as part of the local landscape character?

- Yes  
 No

If Yes to either or both of the above, you will need to provide a full tree survey with accompanying plan before your application can be determined. Your local planning authority should make clear on its website what the survey should contain, in accordance with the current 'BS5837: Trees in relation to design, demolition and construction - Recommendations'

## Assessment of Flood Risk

Is the site within an area at risk of flooding?

- Yes  
 No

[Refer to the Welsh Government's Development Advice Maps website.](#)

If Yes, and you are proposing a new building or a change of use, please add details of the proposal in the following table

Type	Residential (number of units)	Non-residential (Area of land)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Floodplain C1	<input type="text" value="0"/>	<input type="text" value="0.20"/> Hectares
<input type="checkbox"/> Floodplain C2	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/> Hectares

If the proposed development is within an area at risk of flooding you will need to consider whether it is appropriate to submit a flood consequences assessment.

Refer to Section 6 and 7 and Appendix 1 of [Technical Advice Note 15: Development and Flood Risk](#)

Is your proposal within 20 metres of a watercourse (e.g. river, stream or beck)?

- Yes  
 No

Will the proposal increase the flood risk elsewhere?

- Yes  
 No

From 7 January 2019, all new developments of more than 1 dwelling house or where the construction area is 100 square metres or more, require Sustainable Drainage Systems (SuDS) for surface water designed and built in accordance with the Welsh Ministers' [Statutory SuDS Standards](#). SuDS Schemes must be approved by your local authority acting in its SuDS Approving Body (SAB) role. Please contact your local authority for details of how to apply.

How will surface water be disposed of?

- Sustainable drainage system  
 Existing water course  
 Soakaway  
 Main sewer  
 Pond/lake

## Biodiversity and Geological Conservation

To assist in answering the following questions refer to the help text. The help text provides further information on when there is a reasonable likelihood that any important biodiversity or geological conservation features may be present or nearby and whether they are likely to be affected by your proposals.

Having referred to the help text, is there a reasonable likelihood of the following being affected adversely or conserved and enhanced within the application site, or on land adjacent to or near the application site?

a) Protected and priority species

- Yes, on the development site  
 Yes, on land adjacent to or near the proposed development  
 No

b) Designated sites, important habitats or other biodiversity features

- Yes, on the development site  
 Yes, on land adjacent to or near the proposed development  
 No

c) Features of geological conservation importance

- Yes, on the development site  
 Yes, on land adjacent to or near the proposed development  
 No

### Supporting information requirements

Where a development proposal is likely to affect features of biodiversity or geological conservation interest, you will need to submit, with the application, sufficient information and assessments to allow the local planning authority to determine the proposal.

Failure to submit all information required will result in your application being deemed invalid. It will not be considered valid until all information required by the local planning authority has been submitted.

Your local planning authority will be able to advise on the content of any assessments that may be required.

## Foul Sewage

Please state how foul sewage is to be disposed of:

- Mains sewer  
 Septic tank  
 Package treatment plant  
 Cess pit  
 Other  
 Unknown

Are you proposing to connect to the existing drainage system?

- Yes  
 No  
 Unknown

## Waste Storage and Collection

Do the plans incorporate areas to store and aid the collection of waste and have arrangements been made for the separate storage and collection of recyclable waste?

- Yes  
 No

## Trade Effluent

Does the proposal involve the need to dispose of trade effluents or trade waste?

Yes

No

## Residential/Dwelling Units

Does your proposal include the gain, loss or change of use of residential units?

Yes

No

## All Types of Development: Non-Residential Floorspace

Does your proposal involve the loss, gain or change of use of non-residential floorspace?

Yes

No

## Employment

Will the proposed development require the employment of any staff?

Yes

No

### Existing Employees

Please complete the following information regarding existing employees:

Full-time

9

Part-time

0

Total full-time equivalent

9.00

### Proposed Employees

If known, please complete the following information regarding proposed employees:

Full-time

11

Part-time

0

Total full-time equivalent

11.00

## Hours of Opening

Are Hours of Opening relevant to this proposal?

- Yes  
 No

## Industrial or Commercial Processes and Machinery

Does this proposal involve the carrying out of industrial or commercial activities and processes?

- Yes  
 No

Please describe the activities and processes which would be carried out on the site and the end products including plant, ventilation or air conditioning. Please include the type of machinery which may be installed on site:

on site storage of gas bottles and a suitable transportation vehicle

Is the proposal for a waste management development?

- Yes  
 No

## Renewable and Low Carbon Energy

Does your proposal involve the installation of a standalone renewable or low-carbon energy development?

- Yes  
 No

## Hazardous Substances

Does the proposal involve the use or storage of Hazardous Substances?

- Yes  
 No



If Yes, please specify each hazardous substance and the amount involved:

**Hazardous substance :**

Other (please specify)

**Other (please specify):**

Bottled Propane

**Amount - Tonne(s):**

7.0000

**Hazardous substance :**

Other (please specify)

**Other (please specify):**

Bottled Acetylene

**Amount - Tonne(s):**

2.5000

## Neighbour and Community Consultation

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

Yes

No

If Yes, please provide details

Verbal discussions regarding our intentions to store bottled gas on site

## 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? (Please select only one)

The agent

The applicant

Other person

## Pre-application Advice

Has pre-application advice been sought from the local planning 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

Telephone / email conversations

Date (must be pre-application submission)

14/02/2024

Details of the pre-application advice received

Having explained our intentions, the planning officer advised that we submitted a full planning application which included our request to store gas bottles on site and to include details of parking and turning facilities to cover an open condition in planning permission 21/0990/COU

## Authority Employee/Member

With respect to the Authority, is the applicant 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

Do any of these statements apply to you?

- Yes  
 No

## Ownership Certificates

Town and Country Planning (Development Management Procedure) (Wales) Order 2012

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

Are you the sole owner of ALL the land?

- Yes  
 No

If No, can you give appropriate notice to ALL the other owners?

- Yes  
 No

## Certificate of Ownership - Certificate B

I certify/the applicant certifies that I have/the applicant has given the requisite notice to everyone else (as listed below) who, on the day 21 days before the date of this application, was the owner (owner is a person with a freehold interest or leasehold interest with at least seven years left to run) of any part of the land or building to which this application relates.

**Name of Owner/Agricultural Tenant:**

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

**House name:**

**Number:**

27

**Suffix:**

**Address line 1:**

Highfield Road

**Address Line 2:**

**Town/City:**

Blackwood

**Postcode:**

NP12 2EB

**Date notice served (DD/MM/YYYY):**

15/02/2024

**Person Family Name:**

**Name of Owner/Agricultural Tenant:**

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

**House name:**

**Number:**

44

**Suffix:**

**Address line 1:**

Y Cedrwydden

**Address Line 2:**

**Town/City:**

Blackwood

**Postcode:**

NP12 1FD

**Date notice served (DD/MM/YYYY):**

15/02/2024

**Person Family Name:**

Person Role

The Applicant

The Agent

Title

Mr

First Name

Gavin

Surname

Evans

Declaration Date

15/02/2024

Declaration made

## Agricultural Holding Certificate

### Town and Country Planning (Development Management Procedure) (Wales) Order 2012

Agricultural land declaration - you must select either A or B

- (A) None of the land to which the application relates is, or is part of an agricultural holding
- (B) I have/The applicant has given the requisite notice to every person other than myself/the applicant who, on the day 21 days before the date of this application, was a tenant of an agricultural holding on all or part of the land to which this application relates, as listed below

Person Role

- The Applicant
- The Agent

Title

Mr

First Name

Gavin

Surname

Evans

Declaration Date

15/02/2024

Declaration made

## Declaration

I/We hereby apply for Full planning permission 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:

- Once submitted, this information will be made available 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

Gavin Evans

Date

15/02/2024