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# Application for Planning Permission

# Town and Country Planning 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	2				
Suffix					
Property Name					
Address Line 1					
Union Street					
Address Line 2					
Address Line 3					
Sandwell					
Town/city					
Wednesbury					
Postcode					
WS10 7HD					
Description of site location must	be completed if postcode is not known:				
Easting (x)	Northing (y)				
398759	294983				
Description					

# **Applicant Details**

# Name/Company

# Title

# Mr

First name

# Adam

Surname

Hughes

# Company Name

Broomfield Group Ltd

# Address

### Address line 1

27 Market Street

### Address line 2

Alton

### Address line 3

Hants

### Town/City

County

Country

United Kingdom

### Postcode

GU34 1HA

Are you an agent acting on behalf of the applicant?

⊘ Yes

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# **Contact Details**

### Primary number

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

Secondary number

Fax number

#### Email address

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

# **Agent Details**

# Name/Company

### Title

Mr

#### First name

Simon

#### Surname

Brookes

#### Company Name

Affordable Home Designs

### Address

### Address line 1

First Floor, Carrier House

### Address line 2

Carriers Fold

#### Address line 3

Church Road

#### Town/City

Wombourne

#### County

#### Country

United Kingdom

### Postcode

WV5 9DH

### **Contact Details**

Primary number

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econdary number	
ax number	
mail address	
***** REDACTED *****	

# Site Area

What is the measurement of the site area? (numeric characters only).

65.00

Unit

Sq. metres

# **Description of the Proposal**

Please note in regard to:

- Fire Statements From 1 August 2021, planning applications for buildings of over 18 metres (or 7 stories) tall containing more than one dwelling will require a 'Fire Statement' for the application to be considered valid. There are some exemptions. <u>View government planning guidance on fire statements</u> or access the fire statement template and guidance.
- Permission In Principle If you are applying for Technical Details Consent on a site that has been granted Permission In Principle, please include the relevant details in the description below.
- **Public Service Infrastructure** From 1 August 2021, applications for certain public service infrastructure developments will be eligible for faster determination timeframes. See help for further details or <u>view government planning guidance on determination periods</u>.

#### Description

Please describe details of the proposed development or works including any change of use

Change of use of the first floor above existing shops into a two-bedroom apartment.

Has the work or change of use already started?

⊘ Yes

⊖ No

If yes, please state the date when the work or change of use started (date must be pre-application submission)

01/08/2023

Has the work or change of use been completed?

⊘ Yes

⊖ No

If Yes, please state the date when the work or change of use was completed (date must be pre-application submission)

01/12/2023

# **Existing Use**

Please describe the current use of the site

Two-bedroom apartment.

Is the site currently vacant?

⊖ Yes ⊙ No

Does the proposal involve any of the following? If Yes, you will need to submit an appropriate contamination assessment with your application.

Land which is known to be contaminated

⊖ Yes

⊘ No

Land where contamination is suspected for all or part of the site

() Yes

⊘ No

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

⊖ Yes

⊘ No

# **Materials**

Does the proposed development require any materials to be used externally?

⊘ Yes

⊖ No

Please provide a description of existing and proposed materials and finishes to be used externally (including type, colour and name for each material)

Type: Windows

**Existing materials and finishes:** Single-glazed, timber-framed units, painted white.

Proposed materials and finishes:

White upvc double glazed units.

Are you supplying additional information on submitted plans, drawings or a design and access statement?

⊘ Yes

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If Yes, please state references for the plans, drawings and/or design and access statement

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	Pedestrian and Vehicle Access, Roads and Rights of Way
	Is a new or altered vehicular access proposed to or from the public highway?
	<ul><li>○ Yes</li><li>⊘ No</li></ul>
	Is a new or altered pedestrian access proposed to or from the public highway?
	<ul><li>○ Yes</li><li>⊘ No</li></ul>
	Are there any new public roads to be provided within the site?
	<ul><li>○ Yes</li><li>⊘ No</li></ul>
	Are there any new public rights of way to be provided within or adjacent to the site?
	<ul><li>○ Yes</li><li>⊘ No</li></ul>
	Do the proposals require any diversions/extinguishments and/or creation of rights of way?
	() Yes
	⊗ No

# **Vehicle Parking**

Does the site have any existing vehicle/cycle parking spaces or will the proposed development add/remove any parking spaces?

○ Yes⊘ No

# **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 may need to provide a full tree survey, at the discretion of the local planning authority. If a tree survey is required, this and the accompanying plan should be submitted alongside the application. The 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? (Check the location on the Government's <u>Flood map for planning</u>. You should also refer to national <u>standing advice</u> and your local planning authority requirements for information as necessary.)

⊖ Yes

⊘ No

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

How will surface water be disposed of?

Sustainable drainage system

Existing water course

Soakaway

Main sewer

Pond/lake

# **Biodiversity and Geological Conservation**

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?

To assist in answering this question correctly, please refer to the help text which provides guidance on determining if any important biodiversity or geological conservation features may be present or nearby; and whether they are likely to be affected by the proposals.

a) Protected and priority species

○ Yes, on the development site

 $\bigcirc$  Yes, on land adjacent to or near the proposed development  $\oslash$  No

b) Designated sites, important habitats or other biodiversity features

○ Yes, on the development site

 $\bigcirc$  Yes, on land adjacent to or near the proposed development

⊘ No

c) Features of geological conservation importance

○ Yes, on the development site

O 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.

# **Biodiversity net gain**

Biodiversity net gain is a legal requirement for planning permission introduced on 12 February 2024. All applications are required to either provide detailed information proving there will be a biodiversity increase; or explain why they are exempt from doing so.

Find out more about biodiversity net gain, and access digital tools from our partners that can help determine if you are exempt, or produce the biodiversity metric information required.

Do you believe that, if the development is granted permission, the general Biodiversity Gain Condition (as set out in Paragraph 13 of Schedule 7A of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 (as amended)) would apply?

○ Yes⊘ No

Please add all the exemptions or transitional arrangements that apply and provide a reason why

Exemption:

Retrospective planning permission

Reason for selecting exemption: Works have already been completed.

Note: Please read the help text for further information on the exemptions available and when they apply

### **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

O No

⊘ Unknown

### Waste Storage and Collection

Do the plans incorporate areas to store and aid the collection of waste?

⊖ Yes

⊘No

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

### Please note: This question is based on the current housing categories and types specified by government.

If your application was started before 23 May 2020, the categories and types shown in this question will now have changed. We recommend that you review any information provided to ensure it is correct before the application is submitted.

# Proposed

Please select the housing categories that are relevant to the proposed units

Market Housing

- Social, Affordable or Intermediate Rent
- Affordable Home Ownership
- Starter Homes

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Self-build and Custom Build

# Market Housing

Please specify each type of housing and number of units proposed

Housing Type: Flats / Maisonettes						
<b>1 Bedroom:</b> 0						
2 Bedroom: 1						
<b>3 Bedroom:</b> 0						
<b>4+ Bedroom:</b> 0						
Unknown Bedroom: 0						
<b>Total:</b> 1						
Proposed Market Housing Category Totals	1 Bedroom Total	2 Bedroom Total	3 Bedroom Total	4+ Bedroom Total	Unknown Bedroom Total 0	Total
Existing						
Please select the housing cate	gories for any exist	ing units on the site				
☐ Market Housing ☐ Social, Affordable or Interm ☐ Affordable Home Ownership						

<b>Fotals</b>			
otal proposed residential units	1		
otal existing residential units	0		
otal net gain or loss of residen	tial units 1		
All Types of Develo	pment: Non-Residenti	al Floorspace	
	loss, gain or change of use of non-	-	
	s context covers all uses except Us	e Class C3 Dwellinghouses.	
⊘Yes ⊃No			
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Please add details of the Use C	lasses and hoorspace.		
Use Class: E(a) - Display/Sale of goods	other than hot food		
	orspace (square metres) (a):		
54			
-	to be lost by change of use or de	molition (square metres) (b):	
54			
54	oorspace proposed (including cr	nanges of use) (square metres) (c):	
Net additional gross interr	al floorspace following developr	nent (square metres) (d = c - a):	
0			
Totals Existing gross	Gross internal floorspace to be los	t Total gross new internal floorspace	Net additional gross internal
internal floorspace	by change of use or demolition	proposed (including changes of use)	floorspace following development
(square metres) (a)	(square metres) (b)	(square metres) (c)	(square metres) (d = c - a)
54	54	54	0

### Tradable floor area

Does the proposal include use as a shop (e.g. For the display/sale of goods under Use Class E(a), the sale of essential goods under Use Class F2, or as part of any other use)

⊖Yes ⊘No

# Employment

Are there any existing employees on the site or will the proposed development increase or decrease the number of employees?

() Yes

⊘No

# **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

Is the proposal for a waste management development?

⊖ Yes ⊘ No

### **Hazardous Substances**

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

⊖ Yes

⊘ No

# Site Visit

Can the site be seen from a public road, public footpath, bridleway or other public land?

⊘ Yes

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If the planning authority needs to make an appointment to carry out a site visit, whom should they contact?

O 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

# **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 and Agricultural Land Declaration**

Certificates under Article 14 - Town and Country Planning (Development Management Procedure) (England) Order 2015 (as amended)

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

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Is any of the land to which the application relates part of an Agricultural Holding?

⊖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\* of any part of the land or building to which the application relates, and that none of the land to which the application relates is, or is part of, an agricultural holding\*\*

\* "owner" is a person with a freehold interest or leasehold interest with at least 7 years left to run.

\*\* "agricultural holding" has the meaning given by reference to the definition of "agricultural tenant" in section 65(8) of the Act.

NOTE: You should sign Certificate B, C or D, as appropriate, if you are the sole owner of the land or building to which the application relates but the land is, or is part of, an agricultural holding.

Person Role

○ The Applicant⊘ The Agent

Title

Mr

First Name	
Simon	
Surname	
Brookes	

Declaration Date

27/03/2024

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, 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

Simon Brookes

#### Date

27/03/2024