

Register Ref: SD22A/0361

Development: Demolition of all existing 1-3 storey industrial/commercial structures and small cafe on site totalling c.5,500sq.m in area; Construction of a 1-5 storey Transitional Care Facility (step-up/step-down) providing 131 bedspaces over partial basement (total floor area c.6,743sq.m) with central courtyard (c.519sq.m); The basement consists of a sprinkler tank and pump rooms, water tank room, plant room and workshop; Provision of dining and kitchen areas, sitting/family rooms, activity rooms, coffee dock, hair salon, oratory, lobbies/reception areas, ancillary offices and staff areas, stores, toilets, shower/changing facilities, ESB substation, generator, switchroom, service yard and waste areas serving the facility; Lobbies, stair/lifts, photovoltaic panels and green roofs throughout; Partial provision of the pocket park identified in the Tallaght LAP (c.1,286sqm); New vehicular access from First Avenue and egress onto Cookstown Road via a one-way system through the subject site; Entrance signage on the eastern elevation of the proposed facility; All associated site development works, services provision, connection to the water supply, foul and surface water networks on First A venue and Cookstown Road including partial diversion of the foul line to the north east of the site at First A venue, temporary foul pump station, attenuation/bioretention systems, vehicular and pedestrian access including internal road and footpaths, interim pedestrian facilities/public realm upgrade works, landscape and boundary treatment works, tree removal, bicycle storage (76 total spaces), car parking (32 total spaces), set-down parking spaces, 1 ambulance set-down space serving the facility and delivery/loading areas to First A venue.

Location: Unit 21 First Avenue, Cookstown Industrial Estate, Dublin 24

Applicant: Bartra Property Cookstown Limited

Application Type: Permission

Planning Officer:

Development Summary

This application is for the demolition of existing 1-3 Storey industrial structures and the construction of a 1-5 storey traditional care facility providing 131 bedrooms, family rooms, activity rooms, kitchen/dining rooms, coffee dock, hair salon, oratory and ESB substation.

Decision:

Noise pollution and air pollution restrictions will be necessary for the construction phase.

The above proposal **is acceptable** to the Environmental Health Department subject to the following conditions:

Noise Control

1. To control, limit and prevent the generation of Environmental Noise Pollution from occurring the Environmental Health Department of South Dublin County Council, hereby informs you that :

The use of machinery, plant, or equipment (which includes pneumatic drills, generators and the movement on and off the site of construction vehicles) is NOT PERMITTED outside the following hours

- Before 07.00 hours on weekdays, Monday to Friday
- Before 09.00 hours on Saturdays.
- After 19.00 hours on weekdays, Monday to Friday.
- After 13.00 hours on Saturdays.
- Not permitted at any time on Sundays, Bank Holidays or Public Holidays.

Reason: In the interest of public health by the prevention of unacceptable levels of noise pollution which could interfere with normal sleep and rest patterns and/or when people could reasonably expect a level of quietness, the proper planning and sustainable development of the area and to uphold the Council's amenity policies set out in the South Dublin County Council Development Plan.

Air Quality

2. During the construction / demolition phase of the development, Best Practicable Means shall be employed to minimise air blown dust being emitted from the site. This shall include covering skips and slack-heaps, netting of scaffolding, daily washing down of pavements or other public areas, and any other precautions necessary to prevent dust nuisances.

Reason: To contain dust arising from construction / demolition in the interests of public health and to prevent nuisance being caused to occupiers of buildings in the vicinity.

ESB Substation

This permission is for a period of 5 years from the date of this grant of planning permission. The telecommunications structure and related ancillary structures shall then be removed unless, prior to the end of the period, planning permission shall have been granted for their retention for a further period by the Planning Authority or by An Bord Pleanala on appeal.

Reason: To enable the impact of the development to be reassessed, having regard to advances in technology and design of radio equipment and antennae, changes in the design of support structures, more stringent or other standards, if considered more appropriate, during the period of five years and to circumstances then prevailing.

Monitoring to determine the adherence to the guidelines of the International Non-Ionising Radiation Committee of the International Radiological Protection Association, under the auspices of the WHO and the European Pre standard RNV 50166-2 Human Exposure to Magnetic Fields-High Frequency (10KHz to 300GHz) promulgated by CENELEC, the

European Committee for Electro technical standardisation shall be made immediately before the site is brought into commission and thereafter at yearly intervals by a competent authority, using up-to-date monitoring equipment. The results of all monitoring shall be available for inspection by the Planning Authority and/or other appropriate body.

Reason: In the interests of public health.

Notes to the Developer:

The applicant is strongly advised to consult with HIQA prior to the commencement of the development.

Please contact your local HSE Environmental Health Officer with respect to the proposed food businesses.

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Senior Environmental Health Officer
27th September 2022

David O'Brien
Principal Environmental Health Officer
27th September 2022