The Lodge, 2 Northaw Place, EN6 4NQ

Design Statement

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The application is for the erection of a two-storey side extension, to incorporate an additional bedroom to the main dwelling house, together with a granny annexe.

The principal reason for this extension is to provide a granny annexe, in order to accommodate the elderly parents of the home owners.

The elderly parents, both of which are in their mid-eighties, both suffer with ill-health, the main issue being and and the same and the same are so that they live within close proximity to their family, thereby providing them with full time care.

The annexe will be set over two floors. The ground floor will consist of living/kitchen/dining space, together with an accessible shower room. The bedroom will be on the first floor with access via a stair-lift.

There will be two access points into the annexe. There will be a main entrance, where visitors and carers can enter from. There will also be an entrance via the main dwelling house, which will be for family members living in the dwelling house.

The primary element of the extensions is to the first floor, over the existing ground floor footprint. There is a small element of enlarged footprint, where an existing storage room is being demolished in order to accommodate the side extension.

The design of the extension is thought to be sympathetic and in character with the existing dwelling house and its surroundings. It is not considered to be detrimental in any way.