

**WELWYN HATFIELD BOROUGH COUNCIL
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR - PLANNING, PUBLIC PROTECTION AND GOVERNANCE**

DELEGATED APPLICATION

Application No: 6/2021/1636/LAWP
Location: 133 The Ridgeway Cuffley Potters Bar EN6 4BG
Proposal: Certificate of lawfulness for the demolition of an outbuilding and the erection of a single storey rear extension incorporating a flat roof roof-light
Officer: Ms Kirsty Shirley

Recommendation: Granted

6/2021/1636/LAWP

Context	
Application Description	Certificate of lawfulness for the erection of a single storey rear extension following demolition of existing outbuilding.
Relevant planning History	<p>Application Number: S6/1976/0312/ Decision: Granted Decision Date: 27 August 1976 Proposal: Two storey and ground floor side extension including new garage</p> <p>Application Number: S6/1979/0014/ Decision: Granted Decision Date: 23 February 1979 Proposal: New dormer</p> <p>Application Number: S6/1980/0775/ Decision: Granted Decision Date: 18 December 1980 Proposal: Detached garage</p> <p>Application Number: S6/1984/0154/ Decision: Granted Decision Date: 24 April 1984 Proposal: Single storey side extension to accommodate a horse box</p> <p>Application Number: 6/2020/1953/HOUSE Decision: Refused Decision Date: 01 October 2020 Proposal: Erection of a single storey side extension and first floor side extension over existing garage</p> <p>Application Number: 6/2020/2932/PA Decision: Refused Decision Date: 08 January 2021 Proposal: Pre-application advice for extension over garage</p> <p>Application Number: 6/2021/1882/PN8</p>

	<p>Decision: Decision Date: Proposal: Prior approval for the erection of a single storey rear extension measuring 8m in depth, 3m in height and 3m to the eaves.</p> <p>Application Number: 6/2021/1883/LAWP Decision: Decision Date: Proposal: Certificate of lawfulness for erection of single storey side extension incorporating 2no. flat roof roof-lights</p>
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The main issues are:

1. Whether the proposed works are permitted development by virtue of Schedule 2, Part 1, Class A of the Town and Country Planning (General Permitted Development) (England) Order 2015 as amended

	Yes / No	To be PD
Have permitted development rights been removed	N	N
Is the property a dwellinghouse	Y	Y
Is it detached?	Y	
Is it semi-detached or terraced?	N	
Is it within a conservation area	N	
(a) Has permission to use the dwellinghouse as a dwellinghouse has been granted only by virtue of Class M, N, P, PA or Q of Part 3 of this Schedule (changes of use); Development not permitted by Class A	N	N
(b) as a result of the works, the total area of ground covered by buildings within the curtilage of the dwellinghouse (other than the original dwellinghouse) would exceed 50% of the total area of the curtilage (excluding the ground area of the original dwellinghouse)	N	N
(c) would the height of the part of the dwellinghouse enlarged, improved or altered exceed the height of the highest part of the roof of the existing dwellinghouse	N	N
(d) would the height of the eaves of the part of the dwellinghouse enlarged, improved or altered exceed the height of the eaves of the existing dwellinghouse	N	N
(e) would the enlarged part of the dwellinghouse extend beyond a wall which:- (i) forms the principal elevation of the original dwellinghouse; or (ii) fronts a highway and forms a side elevation of the original dwellinghouse	N	N
(f) would, subject to paragraph (g), the enlarged part of the dwellinghouse would have a single storey and— (i) extend beyond the rear wall of the original dwellinghouse by more than 4 metres in the case of a detached dwellinghouse, or 3 metres in the case of any other dwellinghouse, or (ii) exceed 4 metres in height	N	N
(g) is the development outside of article 2(3) land (conservation area) or outside of a site of special scientific interest	Y	Y
(g) cont_ would it have a single storey (previous extensions to the rear need to be taken into account)	Y	
(i) Would it extend beyond the rear wall of the original dwellinghouse by up to or the equivalent of 8 metres in the case of a detached dwellinghouse, or 6 metres in the case of any other dwellinghouse	Y	
(ii) Be less than or equal to 4 metres in height	Y	

Have any representations been received from adjoining premises	N	
(h) would the enlarged part of the dwellinghouse have more than one storey and:- (i) extend beyond the rear wall of the original dwellinghouse by more than 3 metres, or (ii) be within 7 metres of any boundary of the curtilage of the dwellinghouse being enlarged which is opposite the rear wall of that dwellinghouse	N	N
(i) would the enlarged part of the dwellinghouse be within 2 metres of the boundary of the curtilage of the dwellinghouse, and the height of the eaves of the enlarged part would exceed 3 metres	N	N
(j) would the enlarged part of the dwellinghouse extend beyond a wall forming a side elevation of the original dwellinghouse, and:- (i) exceed 4 metres in height, (ii) have more than one storey, or (iii) have a width greater than half the width of the original dwellinghouse	N	N
(ja) any total enlargement (being the enlarged part together with any existing enlargement of the original dwellinghouse to which it will be joined) exceeds or would exceed the limits set out in sub-paragraphs (e) to (j);	N	
(k) it would consist of or include:- (i) the construction or provision of a veranda, balcony or raised platform, (ii) the installation, alteration or replacement of a microwave antenna, (iii) the installation, alteration or replacement of a chimney, flue or soil and vent pipe, or (iv) an alteration to any part of the roof of the dwellinghouse	N	N
A.2 In the case of a dwellinghouse on article 2(3) land, development is not permitted if:- (a) it would consist of or include the cladding of any part of the exterior of the dwellinghouse with stone, artificial stone, pebble dash, render, timber, plastic or tiles;	N/A	N
(b) the enlarged part of the dwellinghouse would extend beyond a wall forming a side elevation of the original dwellinghouse;	N/A	N
(c) the enlarged part of the dwellinghouse would have more than one storey and extend beyond the rear wall of the original dwellinghouse	N/A	N
(d) any total enlargement (being the enlarged part together with any existing enlargement of the original dwellinghouse to which it will be joined) exceeds or would exceed the limits set out in sub-paragraphs (b) and (c).	N/A	
A.3 Development is permitted by Class A subject to the following conditions:- (a) would the materials used in any exterior work (other than materials used in the construction of a conservatory) be of a similar appearance to those used in the construction of the exterior of the existing dwellinghouse	Y	Y
(b) would any upper-floor window located in a wall or roof slope forming a side elevation of the dwelling house be:- (i) obscure-glazed, and (ii) non-opening unless the parts of the window which can be opened are more than 1.7 metres above the floor of the room in which the window is installed;	N/A	Y
(c) where the enlarged part of the dwellinghouse has more than a single storey, or forms an upper storey on an existing enlargement of the original dwellinghouse, the roof pitch of the enlarged part must, so far as practicable, be the same as the roof pitch of the original dwellinghouse.	N/A	Y
Conclusion		
The proposed development would be permitted development by virtue of Schedule 2, Part 1, Class A of the General Permitted Development Order 2015 (as amended).		

Conditions:

1. The proposed development would be permitted development by virtue of Schedule 2, Part 1, Class A of the General Permitted Development Order 2015 (as amended).

DRAWING NUMBERS

2. The development/works shall not be started and completed other than in accordance with the approved plans and details:

Plan Number	Revision Number	Details	Received Date
14074-P004-B		Proposed Plans & Elevations	21 May 2021
14074-S-001-A		Existing Plans & Elevations	21 May 2021

REASON: To ensure that the development is carried out in accordance with the approved plans and details.

Determined By:

Mr Isaac Liu
13 July 2021