

Officer's Report

Application Number	HGY/2022/4307
Type	Lawful development: Proposed use
Location	2 Willoughby Grove, Tottenham, London, N17 0RS
Proposal	Proposed Loft Conversion with Rear Dormer (Less than 40 Cubic Meters).
Case Officer	Michelle Meskell
Valid Date	02/12/2022
Applicant	Mr Z Swiecicki
Agent	other - Homestead - TP&BRC

RECOMMENDATION

Permitted Development

Class B: The enlargement of a dwellinghouse consisting of an addition or alteration to its roof.

A certificate of lawfulness for a formation of rear dormer and hip to gable extension can be issued if the proposal meets all the criteria under The Town and Country Planning (Generally Permitted Development) (England) Order 2015 – Part 1, Class B 'The enlargement of a dwellinghouse consisting of an addition or alteration to its roof'.

The current proposal will be assessed against these requirements as follows:

Class B.1. Requirement

a) permission to use the dwellinghouse as a dwellinghouse has not been granted only by virtue of Class M, N, P or Q of Part 3 of this Schedule (changes of use); **Complies**

b) The height of the part of the dwellinghouse enlarged, improved or altered would not exceed the height of the highest part of the roof of the existing dwellinghouse. **Complies**

c) The enlarged part of the dwellinghouse would not extend beyond the plane of any existing roof slope which forms the principal elevation of the dwellinghouse and fronts a highway. **Complies**

d) The cubic content of the resulting roof space would not exceed the cubic content of the original roof space by more than

i) 40 cubic metres in the case of a terrace house

ii) 50 cubic metres in any other case;

Complies, less than 40 cubic metres

e) it would not consist of or include—

(i) the construction or provision of a veranda, balcony or raised platform, or

(ii) the installation, alteration or replacement of a chimney, flue or soil and vent pipe - **Complies**

f) The dwellinghouse is not on article 2(3) land - **Complies**

Development is permitted by Class B subject to the following conditions:

B.2. Conditions

(a) The materials used in any exterior work must be of a similar appearance to those used in the construction of the exterior of the existing dwellinghouse. Yes- The exterior materials would be of a similar appearance to the existing dwellinghouse.

- (b) The enlargement must be constructed so that—
- (ii) other than in the case of a hip-to-gable enlargement or an enlargement which joins the original roof to the roof of a rear or side extension— (aa) the eaves of the original roof are maintained or reinstated; and
 - (bb) the edge of the enlargement closest to the eaves of the original roof is, so far as practicable, not less than 0.2 metres from the eaves, measured along the roof slope from the outside edge of the eaves; and
 - (ii) other than in the case of an enlargement which joins the original roof to the roof of a rear or side extension, no part of the enlargement extends beyond the outside face of any external wall of the original dwellinghouse
- Yes, the edge of the enlargement would be not less than 0.2m from the eaves.

Any upper-floor window located in a wall or roof slope forming a side elevation of the dwellinghouse shall 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.
- Yes- No side-facing windows are proposed.

Class C: Any other alteration to the roof of a dwellinghouse

A certificate Lawfulness for a for a loft conversion with rear dormer and two front roof lights can be issued if the proposal meets all the criteria under The Town and Country Planning (Generally Permitted Development) (England) Order 2015 – Part 1, Class C ‘Any other alteration to the roof of a dwellinghouse’.

The current proposal will be assessed against these requirements as follows:

Class C.1. Requirement

- (a) permission to use the dwellinghouse as a dwellinghouse has not been granted only by virtue of Class M, N, P or Q of Part 3 of this Schedule (changes of use); Complies
- b) The alteration would not protrude more than 150 millimetres beyond the plane of the slope of the original roof when measured from the perpendicular with the external surface of the original roof. Complies
- c) It would not result in the highest part of the alteration being higher than the highest part of the original roof. Complies
- d) It would not consist of or include—
 - (i) the installation, alteration or replacement of a chimney, flue or soil and vent pipe, or
 - (ii) the installation, alteration or replacement of solar photovoltaics or solar thermal equipment. Complies

Development is permitted by Class C subject to the following conditions.

C.2. Conditions

Any window located on a roof slope forming a side elevation of the dwellinghouse shall 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; - No side-facing windows are proposed.

SUMMARY AND CONCLUSION

The proposed development constitutes permitted development by virtue of Schedule 2, Part 1, Class B & C of the Town and Country Planning (General Permitted Development) Order 2015 and is considered to be lawful.

RECOMMENDATION
Grant Certificate