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Application Ref Z/2008/0824/F

Applicant Big Picture Developments Ltd C/O Agent

RPP Architects Ltd

Clarence Gallery RPP Architects Ltd 155-157

Linenhall Street Donegall Pass
Belfast Belfast
BT2 8BG BT7 1DT

Location Site bounded by Little York Street, Great George Street and Nelson Street, Belfast.

Proposal Construction of 238 No. 1bed and 2 bed apartments with 200 No. parking spaces on ground

and first floor levels with elevated landscaped central courtyard.(Amended Plans)

1 The proposal is unacceptable as it is contrary to the Joint Ministerial Statement of 31 January 2005 as the proposal is considered to be premature in terms of the development plan process as an approval at this stage would prejudice and undermine a key element of the draft Belfast Metropolitan Area Plan, namely the Belfast City Centre Character Areas both individually (due to the scale of the proposal and its visual impact) and cumulatively (through setting a precedent for other sites).

- 2 The proposal is unacceptable as it is contrary to the Draft Belfast Metropolitan Area Plan in that the site is subject to a zoning for social housing and the proposal fails to provide an acceptable design, density and mix of social housing to fulfil the identified social housing need in this area.
- The proposal is unacceptable as it is contrary to UE1 and Designation CC 018 of the Draft Belfast Metropolitan Area Plan and Policy QD1 (a) of Planning Policy Statement 7 in that it fails to respect the surrounding context and is inappropriate to the character and topography of the site in terms of layout, scale, proportions, massing and appearance of buildings, structures and landscaped and hardsurfaced areas.
- 4 The proposal is unacceptable as it is contrary to Policy UE6 of the Draft Belfast Metropolitan Area Plan and Policy QD1 (f) and (i) of Planning Policy Statement 7 in that inappropriate provision is made for car parking providing an unacceptable inactive frontage to the public streets, which results in a development which fails to deter crime and promote personal safety.



Application Ref Z/2011/0037/F

Applicant Orchard House Nursing Home 2 Agent MBArchitecture Ltd 6 Woodland

Cherryvallev Park

BT5 6PL Lisburn

Avenue BT2

Location Orchard House Nursing Home

2 Cherryvalley Park

Belfast BT5 6PL

Extensions and alterations to nursing home to increase occupancy from 36 bedrooms to 57 **Proposal**

bedrooms and ancillary accommodation with external car parking and landscaping. Temporary

opening of former access onto road for use during construction.

The proposal is contrary to ATC 2 of Planning Policy Statement 6 Addendum and Development Control Advice Note 9: Residential and Nursing Homes in that the proposal would, if permitted, result in overdevelopment of the site due to its inappropriate siting, layout, scale, form, massing and design causing unacceptable damage to the character and appearance of the area, and would be harmful to the living conditions of existing residents through overlooking, resulting in a loss of residential amenity.

- The proposal is contrary to the Departments' Planning Policy Statement 2: Planning and Nature Conservation in that it fails to respect the character, topography, and landscape features of the site and would, if permitted, harm the health and condition of significant trees due to its inappropriate siting, layout, and ground remodelling works required to facilitate the proposed development.
- The proposal is contrary to policy QD1 of the Department's Planning Policy Statement 7: "Quality Residential Environments" and related guidance in that it has not been demonstrated that the proposal would provide a satisfactory means of access and adequate facilities for parking and service vehicles as part of the development.

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Application Ref Z/2011/0902/F

Applicant T Reynolds 14 Upper Lisburn Road Agent James McKernan Chartered

Belfast Architect 31 Beechill Road

BT10 0AA Belfast **BT8 7PT**

Location 46 Sicilly Park

Belfast **BT10 0AL**

Proposal Erection of two storey garage with new access from Priory Gardens



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Application Ref Z/2011/1280/F

ApplicantClear Homesc/o agentAgentM. C. Logan Architects 73a Belmont

Belfast BT4 2AA

Location Macrory Memorial Presbyterian Church

Duncairn Gardens

Belfast BT15 2GN

Proposal Change of use from church building to 2no hot food takeaways with alterations to front elevation

1 The proposal would if approved be detrimental to the residential amenity of the immediate area by virtue of noise and nuisance.

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Location

Application Ref Z/2011/1281/F

Applicant Oaklee Homes Group Leslie Horrel Agent

House

37-41 May Street

Belfast BT1 4DN

Vacant land opposite no8 Lime Court

Peter's Hill Belfast BT13 2AA

Proposal Construction of a two storey building containing 13 one person one bedroom selfcontained

apartments with 3 person office, common room, disabled toilet, cleaners store and external

amenity space. (Amended drawings and additional information received)

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Application Ref Z/2012/0139/F

ApplicantBluehouse Developments Ltdc/oAgentDesign And Management 2

agent

Bellsbridge Office Park 100 Ladas Drive

Martin McKernan Chartered

Architects 88 Clifton Street

Belfast

BT13 1AB

Belfast

BT6 9FH

Location 181 Ormeau Road

Belfast BT7 1SQ

Proposal Change of use from retail unit to amusement arcade



Application Ref Z/2012/0165/F

Applicant Belfast Education and Library Board Agent

40 Academy Street

Belfast BT1 2NQ

Location Forge Integrated Primary School. 40 Carolan Road

> Belfast **BT7 3HE**

Proposal

Alterations to existing car park and installation of a pedestrian gate incorporated into the

boundary fence

Application Ref Z/2012/0527/O

Applicant Mr D Cooke 35 Hawthorn View Agent Paul Brannigan Architect 16 Ava

> Hannahstown Gardens Belfast Belfast **BT7 3BW BT17 0RN**

Location 35 Hawthorn View

> Hannahstown Belfast **BT17 0RN**

Proposal Single new build two storey dwelling (amended scheme)

- The proposal is contrary to Policy QD1 of Planning Policy Statement 7: Quality Residential Environments in that it involves overdevelopment of the site and would if permitted result in unacceptable damage to the local character, residential amenity and environmental quality of this residential area.
- The proposal is contrary to Policy LC 1 of the Addendum to PPS 7: Safeguarding the Character of Established Residential Areas, in that the proposed density is significantly higher than that found in the established residential area, the pattern of development is out of keeping with the overall character and environmental quality of the established residential area and would, if permitted would result in unacceptable damage to the local character and environmental quality of this residential area.

Application Ref Z/2012/0806/F

Paddy Byrne Architects 108 **Applicant** Charles Kyles 85 Cluan Mor Drive Agent

Appleton Park Belfast **BT12 7UA Belfast** BT11 9JF

Location 114 Springfield Road

Belfast

Proposal Change of use of ground floor to amusement arcade



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Application Ref Z/2012/0827/F

Applicant James Hunsdale 162 Barnetts Agent

Road Belfast BT5 7BG

Location 162 Barnetts Road

Belfast BT5 7BG

Proposal Erection of carport to side of house

1 The proposal is contrary to Planning Policy EXT 1 of the Addendum to PPS 7 'Residential Extensions and Alterations' in that it would harm the established character of the surrounding area and streetscape due to inappropriate massing and design and as it results in development forward of the building line.

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Application Ref Z/2012/0833/A

Applicant The Mac 10 Exchange Street West Agent

Belfast BT1 2NJ

Location 10 Exchange Street West

Belfast BT1 2NJ

Proposal Temporary 'banner' type advertisement for promotional purposes. Securely fixed to wall

- 1 The proposal is contrary to Policy AD 1 of Planning Policy Statement 17: Control of Outdoor Advertisements, in that if permitted would harm the visual amenity, character and appearance of the area due to inappropriate design, scale and siting on the host building and will set an undesirable precedent for further similar advertisements, resulting in further harm to the character of the area.
- The proposal is contrary to Policy BH13 of the Department's Planning Policy Statement 6: Planning, Archaeology and the Built Heritage in that the site lies within the Cathedral Conservation Area and the advertisement would, if permitted, adversely affect its character, setting and detract from the architectural character of the building upon which it is to be displayed by reason of its inappropriate location which is unduly prominent and its inappropriate size, scale and form.

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Application Ref Z/2012/0962/F

ApplicantAilsa Properties LtdC/o agentAgentRobert Gilmour Architects 64

Haypark Avenue Sunnyside Street

Belfast BT7 3FE

Location No 291 Belmont Road no 1

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1c Tweskard Park

BT4 2LB

Proposal Amendment to previously approved planning application, Z/2009/1274/F, comprising of design

modifications to house types B1, B2, D1, D2.