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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.
- 3 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.

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Application Ref Z/2011/0726/O

Applicant First Trust Agent Turley Associates Hamilton House

Joy Street Belfast BT2 8LE

Location Lands northwest of 1-8 Springfield Heights and north of Moyard Crescent

Belfast BT13

**Proposal** Proposed site for residential development, new access and ancillary site works.

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Application Ref Z/2012/0770/F

Applicant John Green c/o agent Agent Ivory Architects 66 Rawbrae Road

Whitehead BT38 9SZ

**Location** 4a Newforge Lane

Belfast BT9

Proposal Demolition of existing dwelling and proposed 4no detached dwellings



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Application Ref Z/2012/0861/F

Applicant Brian Kennedy 19 Myrtlefield Park Agent Dynan Architecture 147 Sandown

Belfast Road
BT9 6NE Belfast
BT5 6GX

**Location** 19 Myrtlefield Park

Belfast BT9 6NE

Proposal Conversion of existing detached dwelling house into two apartments, extension to existing

dwelling to create 3 new apartments, including landscaping and parking (amended plans)

1 The proposal is contrary to Policy BH12 of the Department's Planning Policy Statement 6: Planning, Archaeology and the Built Heritage in that it would, if permitted, result in harm to the character and appearance of Malone Conservation Area through inappropriate scale, massing, layout and design.

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Application Ref Z/2012/1036/F

Applicant NZNI Agent Site Express 45 Church View

Holywood Co Down BT18 9DP

Location 73 Castlehill Road

Belfast BT4 3GP

Proposal GResidential development of 2 no. 3 storey detached dwellings. (Amended Plans and Additional

information).

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Application Ref Z/2012/1115/LBC

Applicant LJ Fon C/O Agent Agent Dempsey Architects 677 Lisburn

Road Belfast BT9 7GT

**Location** 16 College Gardens

Belfast BT9 6BQ

Proposal Amendments to rear windows & replacement of all windows throughout building.



**Application Ref** Z/2012/1118/F

**Applicant** Mr L J Fon Agent Dempsey Architects 677 Lisburn

> Road Belfast **BT97GT**

Location 16 College Gardens

Belfast **BT9 6BQ** 

Conversion to 6 no. apartments including alterations (upgrade of existing dormers, replacement **Proposal** 

windows and external rear staircase) (amended plans)

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**Application Ref** Z/2012/1162/F

**Applicant** Dr and Ms Manning and Burns 35 Agent Consarc Design Group The Gas

> Office Bridgefield Avenue

Wilmslow 4 Cromac Quay Cheshire Ormeau Road SK9 2JS Belfast BT7 2JD

Location Lands Adjacent to 15 Osborne Park

> **Belfast** BT9 6JN

**Proposal** Erection of single storey dwelling incorporating a garage.

The proposal is contrary to Policy BH12 of Planning Policy Statement 6 Planning Archaeology and the Built Heritage, the Malone Conservation Area Design Guide, and Policy QD1 of the Department's Planning Policy Statement 7 Quality Residential Environments in that the proposal would, if permitted, result in overdevelopment of the site due to its inappropriate layout, scale, form, massing and design, failure to provide adequate private amenity space, and would result in unacceptable areas of hardsurfacing, causing harm to the character and appearance of the Malone Conservation Area.

**Application Ref** Z/2012/1283/F

**Applicant** Mary E Patterson 60 Quarry Road The Boyd Partnership LLP 1 River's Agent Belfast

Edge

BT4 2NQ 13 Ravenhill Road

Belfast BT6 8DN

Location Lands East of 60 Quarry Road

Belfast BT4 2NQ

**Proposal** Proposed minor re-siting and change to house type design of existing approved dwelling on

> farm (ref:Z/2009/0413/F) - approved under current policy with new farm building and associated yard to accommodate and support the sustainable dvelopment of the existing farm business.

The proposal is contrary to Policies CTY1 and CTY10 of Planning Policy Statement 21, Sustainable Development in the Countryside and does not merit being an exceptional case in that a dwelling has already been granted permission on the farm in the last 10 years.



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Application Ref Z/2012/1428/DCA

Applicant Queen's University Belfast Estates Agent

Fleming Mountstephen Planning

Level 5 The Gasworks
Adminiatration Building 5 Cromac Avenue

Belfast Belfast BT7 1NN BT7 2JA

**Location** 55-63 University Street

101 -111 Botanic Avenue and Queen's University Garage

University Square Mews

Belfast BT7

Department

Proposal Demolition of 55-63 University Street and Queen's University garage with facade retention of 63

University Street, demolition of 101-11 Botanic Avenue with facade retention of 101-111 Botanic Avenue (to enable development of 12 HMO townhouses and 3 apartments to provide purpose

built student accommodation with associated operational development)

1 The proposal is contrary to Policy BH14 of the Department's Planning Policy Statement 6: Planning, Archaeology and the Built Heritage in that the buildings makes a material contribution to the character and appearance of the Queens Conservation Area and no exceptional reason has been demonstrated which, in the judgement of the Department, justifies its demolition.

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Application Ref Z/2013/0012/F

Applicant Queen's University Belfast Estates Agent

Department Fleming Mountstephen Planning

Level 5 The Gasworks
Admin Building 5 Cromac Avenue

Belfast Belfast BT7 1NN BT7 2JA

**Location** 55-63 University Street

101-111 Botanic Avenue and Queen's University garage

University Square Mews

Belfast BT7

Proposal Demolition of 55-63 University Street and Queen's University garage at University Square Mews

with facade. Retention of 63 University Street, demolition of 101-111 Botanic Avenue with facade. Retention of 101-111 Botanic Avenue and development of 12 HMO townhouses (7 with five study bedrooms and 5 with six study bedrooms) and 3 apartments (each with two study bedrooms) to provide purpose built student accommodation with associated operational

development. (Additional Information)

1 The proposal is contrary to Policy HMO 1 of the HMO Subject Plan for Belfast City Council Area 2015 in that it would if permitted exceed the 30% limit for HMO's within the Mountcharles HMO policy area (Designation HMO 2/16).

- 2 The proposal is contrary to Policy HMO 6 of the HMO Subject Plan for Belfast City Council Area 2015 in that it would if permitted exceed the 4 bedroom limit for HMO's within the designated area.
- 3 The proposal is contrary to Policy BH12 of the Department's Planning Policy Statement 6: Planning, Archaeology and the Built Heritage in that it would, if permitted, result in harm the character and appearance of the Queens Conservation Area through inappropriate design and detailing and would fail to protect important views into the Conservation Area.
- 4 The proposal is contrary to Policy QD1 of the Department's Planning Policy Statement 7: Quality Residential Environments and the 2nd Addendum: Safegauding the character of established residential areas in that in would, if permitted, result in poor outlook for prospective residents.



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Application Ref Z/2013/0232/F

Applicant MUL c/o Agent Agent Ada Architects 5 Gransha Road

Gransha Newry BT34 1NS

**Location** 1 Seaview Gardens

Belfast BT15 3NY

**Proposal** Erection of 2no. 2 bed apartments in 2 storey block (Amended plans).

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Application Ref Z/2013/0296/F

Applicant Glendarragh Properties c/o agent Agent McCann Moore Architects Ltd 715

Lisburn Road Belfast BT9 7GU

**Location** 94-100 Sunnyside Street

**Belfast** 

**Proposal** Demolition of existing building on site and the construction of 2 ground floor retail units and 25

apartments over the ground, first and second floors. Also associated car parking and storage to

rear.(reduced scheme)

1 The proposal is contrary to Policy QD1 of the Department's Planning Policy Statement 7: Quality residential environments in that in that it would if permitted result in overdevelopment of the site and would cause unacceptable damage to the residential amenity of the area through inappropriate layout and design and would result in poor outlook for prospective residents and lack of amenity space.

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Application Ref Z/2013/0306/F

Applicant Kieran Fitzpatrick 103 Osbourne Agent

Drive Belfast BT9 6LJ

**Location** 103 Osbourne Drive

Belfast BT9 6LJ

**Proposal** Garage conversion to create bedroom (amended proposal/plans)

1 The proposal is contrary to policy BH12 of PPS 6 - Planning, Archaeology and the Built Heritage and would, if permitted, harm the character and appearance of the Malone Conservation Area through its inappropriate siting, scale, form and design and would set a precedent for further such inappropriate development in then locality.



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Application Ref Z/2013/0348/F

Applicant Philip Graham

18 Olympia Parade

Belfast BT12 6NT

**Location** 18 Olympia Parade

Belfast BT12 6NT

Proposal Retrospective application for alterations to previously approved extension, application no Z/

2009/0591/F - Peak roof changed to flat roof, external wall moved from steel beam to boundary

Agent

wall and overall length of extension reduced.

1 The proposal is contrary to Policy EXT 1 of the Addendum to PPS 7 'Residential Extensions and Alterations' by reason of unacceptable scale, massing and design which would if permitted harm the amenity of adjacent residents by reason of its dominant and overbearing nature.

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Application Ref Z/2013/0413/F

Applicant P McPeake c/o agent Agent Slemish Design Studio 12 Woodside

Park

Woodside Road Ballymena BT42 4HG

**Location** 118 Eglantine Avenue

Belfast

Proposal Demolition of existing 3 storey building and return and replacement with 7no 2 bedroom

apartments, front facade to be rebuilt as existing with 4 storey return to rear

1 The proposal is contrary to Policy BH12 of the Department's Planning Policy Statement 6: Planning, Archaeology and the Built Heritage in that it would, if permitted, result in harm to the character and appearance of Malone Conservation Area through inappropriate scale, massing and design.

2 The proposal is contrary to Policy QD1 of the Department's Planning Policy Statement 7: Quality Residential Environments and LC 2 of the 2nd Addendum: Safegauding the character of established residential areas in that in would, if permitted, result in poor outlook for prospective residents.

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Application Ref Z/2013/0708/A

Applicant Clear Channel N i LTd Channel Agent

Commercial Park Queens road Belfast BT3 9DT

**Location** Vacant ground at 7-9 Ormeau Road

Belfast

**Proposal** Conversion of existing 96 sheet prismatic to 96 light box

1 The proposed signage is contrary to Policy AD1of Planning Policy Statement 17 in that, if permitted, would have an adverse impact on the amenity of the area by virtue of visual clutter created by a proliferation of existing and proposed hoardings along this section of the Ormeau Road.



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BT17 0JG

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Application Ref Z/2013/0715/F

Applicant Larry McAllister 39 Locksley Park Agent Peter Morgan 17 Glengoland

Lisburn Road

BT10

**Location** 39 Locksley Park

Lisburn Road Belfast

Proposal Kitchen extension to the rear (Amended Plan)

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Application Ref Z/2013/0972/F

Applicant Una Somerville-Todd Architects and Agent

Planners 2nd Floor Titanic House

6 Queen's Road

Belfast BT3 9DT

Location 2 8 10 12 14 Piney Hills and 166 Malone Road Belfast BT9 5NR

Proposal Erection of 6 apartments, 5 detached dwellings and residential nursing care home and

associated car parking/landscaping and ancillary works. (amended site address)

1 The proposal is contrary to Policy QD1 of the Department's Planning Policy Statement 7: Quality residential environments in that in that it would if permitted result in overdevelopment of the site and would cause unacceptable damage to the character and environmental quality and residential amenity of the area through inappropriate scale, form, massing, layout and would result in overlooking and dominance to neighbouring residents.

- 2 The proposal is contrary to LC1 of the Department's 2nd Addendum to Planning Policy Statement 7: Safeguarding the character of established residential areas in that it would, if permitted, result in development which is significantly higher than that found in the locality.
- The proposal is contrary to the Department's Planning Policy Statement 2: Natural Heritage, in that it fails to respect the topography, and landscape features of the site and would, if permitted, harm the health and condition of significant trees which are subject to a Tree Preservation Order due to its inappropriate siting, layout, and ground remodelling works required to facilitate the proposed development.

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Application Ref Z/2013/0991/A

Applicant CBS Outdoor Ltd 6 Murray Street Agent BGA Architects Ltd 50 Regent

Belfast Street

BT1 6DN Newtownards
BT23 4LP

**Location** Adjacent to car park at junction of Ormeau Street and Ormeau Road

Belfast BT7 1DY

**Proposal** 1No. 48 sheet advertising hoarding

1 The proposed signage is contrary to Policy AD1of Planning Policy Statement 17 in that, if permitted, would have an adverse impact on the amenity of the area by virtue of visual clutter created by a proliferation of existing and proposed hoardings along this section of the Ormeau Road.



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Application Ref Z/2013/1019/A

Applicant CBS Outdoor Ltd 6 Murray Street Agent BGA Architects Ltd 50 Regent

Belfast Street
BT1 6DN Newto

Newtownards BT23 4LP

**Location** 55 Ormeau Road

Belfast BT7 1DY

**Proposal** 2no 96 sheet advertising hoardings

1 The proposed signage is contrary to Policy AD1of Planning Policy Statement 17 in that, if permitted, would have an adverse impact on the amenity of the area by virtue of visual clutter created by a proliferation of existing and proposed hoardings along this section of the Ormeau Road.

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Application Ref Z/2013/1048/F

ApplicantAssembly Coffee LTDAgentDonaldson Planning 50a High Street

Holywood Co Down BT18 9AE

Location 33 Massey Avenue

Belfast BT4 2JT

Proposal Non-compliance with planning conditions 2 (the development shall operate between 08:00 and

22:00 hrs Monday to Saturday) and 3 (No frying of food shall take place in the development

hereby approved) of Z/2011/0481/F

1 The non-compliance with conditions 2 and 3 of planning approval Z/2011/0481/F is contrary to Planning Policy Statement 1: General Principles in that it would, if permitted, result in demonstrable harm to the amenity of nearby residents through noise nuisance and the potential for unacceptable odour.