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Application for Listed Building Consent for alterations, extension or demolition of a listed building**Planning (Listed Buildings and Conservation Areas Act) 1990 (as amended)****Publication of applications on planning authority websites**

Please note that the information provided on this application form and in supporting documents may be published on the Authority's website. If you require any further clarification, please contact the Authority's planning department.

Site Location

Disclaimer: We can only make recommendations based on the answers given in the questions.

If you cannot provide a postcode, the description of site location must be completed. Please provide the most accurate site description you can, to help locate the site - for example "field to the North of the Post Office".

Number

Suffix

Property Name

Whitworth Institute

Address Line 1

Oxford Road

Address Line 2

Address Line 3

Manchester

Town/city

Manchester

Postcode

M15 6ER

Description of site location must be completed if postcode is not known:

Easting (x)

384871

Northing (y)

395975

Description

Applicant Details

Name/Company

Title

Mrs

First name

Jo

Surname

Wavish

Company Name

University of Manchester

Address

Address line 1

Directorate of Estates & Facilities

Address line 2

4.001b Beyer Building

Address line 3

The University of Manchester

Town/City

Manchester

County

Country

Postcode

M13 9PL

Are you an agent acting on behalf of the applicant?

- ☒ Yes
☐ No

Contact Details

Primary number

***** REDACTED *****

Secondary number

Fax number

Email address

Agent Details

Name/Company

Title

First name

Surname

Company Name

Address

Address line 1

Address line 2

Address line 3

Town/City

County

Country

Postcode

Contact Details

Primary number

***** REDACTED *****

Secondary number

Fax number

Email address

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Description of Proposed Works

Please describe the proposals to alter, extend or demolish the listed building(s)

The proposed works are to provide safe access to the roof void above the Grand Hall at the Whitworth Gallery, to enable maintenance of the fire alarm system.

Mechanical plant beneath the existing access hatch to the roof void means that it is not possible to install a fixed ladder to the wall, and there isn't sufficient space to install a set of steps to the hatch. It is therefore proposed to install an access platform with edge protection to prevent falling from height. A ladder will give access from the floor to the platform, and a second ladder fixed to the wall will give access from the platform to the hatch. Two grab rails either side of the hatch will facilitate access through it.

Has the development or work already been started without consent?

- ☐ Yes
☒ No

Listed Building Grading

What is the grading of the listed building (as stated in the list of Buildings of Special Architectural or Historical Interest)?

- ☐ Don't know
☐ Grade I
☐ Grade II*
☒ Grade II

Is it an ecclesiastical building?

- ☐ Don't know
☐ Yes
☒ No

Demolition of Listed Building

Does the proposal include the partial or total demolition of a listed building?

- ☐ Yes
☒ No

Related Proposals

Are there any current applications, previous proposals or demolitions for the site?

- ☐ Yes
☒ No

Immunity from Listing

Has a Certificate of Immunity from Listing been sought in respect of this building?

- ☐ Yes
☒ No

Listed Building Alterations

Do the proposed works include alterations to a listed building?

- ☒ Yes
☐ No

If Yes, do the proposed works include

a) works to the interior of the building?

- ☒ Yes
☐ No

b) works to the exterior of the building?

- ☐ Yes
☒ No

c) works to any structure or object fixed to the property (or buildings within its curtilage) internally or externally?

- ☒ Yes
☐ No

d) stripping out of any internal wall, ceiling or floor finishes (e.g. plaster, floorboards)?

- ☐ Yes
☒ No

If the answer to any of these questions is Yes, please provide plans, drawings and photographs sufficient to identify the location, extent and character of the items to be removed. Also include the proposal for their replacement, including any new means of structural support, and state references for the plan(s)/drawing(s).

Drawing numbers: 031AA-8504-A001, 031AA-8504-A101, 031AA-8504-A201, Design and Access Statement

Materials

Does the proposed development require any materials to be used?

- ☒ Yes
☐ No

Please provide a description of existing and proposed materials and finishes to be used (including type, colour and name for each material) demolition excluded

Type:

Other

Other (please specify):

Access platform & handrail

Existing materials and finishes:

None

Proposed materials and finishes:

Galvanised steel

Type:

Other

Other (please specify):

2 nr ladders

Existing materials and finishes:

None

Proposed materials and finishes:

Aluminium

Type:

Other

Other (please specify):

2 nr grab rails

Existing materials and finishes:

None

Proposed materials and finishes:

Galvanised steel

Are you supplying additional information on submitted plans, drawings or a design and access statement?

☒ Yes

☐ No

If Yes, please state references for the plans, drawings and/or design and access statement

Drawings 031AA-8504-A001, 031AA-8504-A101, 031AA-8504-A201, Design and Access Statement

Neighbour and Community Consultation

Have you consulted your neighbours or the local community about the proposal?

☐ Yes

☒ No

Site Visit

Can the site be seen from a public road, public footpath, bridleway or other public land?

☒ Yes

☐ No

If the planning authority needs to make an appointment to carry out a site visit, whom should they contact?

☒ The agent

☐ The applicant

☐ Other person

Pre-application Advice

Has assistance or prior advice been sought from the local authority about this application?

☒ Yes

☐ No

If Yes, please complete the following information about the advice you were given (this will help the authority to deal with this application more efficiently):

Officer name:

Title

***** REDACTED *****

First Name

***** REDACTED *****

Surname

***** REDACTED *****

Reference

Date (must be pre-application submission)

19/12/2022

Details of the pre-application advice received

A site walkround was held on 19 December 2022 with Tony Mitchell and Paul Mason to discuss the proposed works. Tony Mitchell asked that an application be made for listed building consent.

Authority Employee/Member

With respect to the Authority, is the applicant and/or agent one of the following:

- (a) a member of staff
- (b) an elected member
- (c) related to a member of staff
- (d) related to an elected member

It is an important principle of decision-making that the process is open and transparent.

For the purposes of this question, "related to" means related, by birth or otherwise, closely enough that a fair-minded and informed observer, having considered the facts, would conclude that there was bias on the part of the decision-maker in the Local Planning Authority.

Do any of the above statements apply?

- ☐ Yes
- ☒ No

Ownership Certificates

Certificates under Regulation 6 - Planning (Listed Buildings and Conservation Areas) Regulations 1990

Please answer the following questions to determine which Certificate of Ownership you need to complete: A, B, C or D.

Is the applicant the sole owner of **all** the land to which this application relates; **and** has the applicant been the sole owner for more than 21 days?

- ☒ Yes
- ☐ No

Certificate Of Ownership - Certificate A

I certify/The applicant certifies that on the day 21 days before the date of this application nobody except myself/the applicant was the owner (owner is a person with a freehold interest or leasehold interest with at least 7 years left to run) of any part of the land or building to which the application relates.

Person Role

- ☐ The Applicant
- ☒ The Agent

Title

First Name

Jo

Surname

Wavish

Declaration Date

14/02/2023

☒ Declaration made

Declaration

I / We hereby apply for Listed building consent as described in this form and accompanying plans/drawings and additional information. I / We confirm that, to the best of my/our knowledge, any facts stated are true and accurate and any opinions given are the genuine options of the persons giving them. I / We also accept that: Once submitted, this information will be transmitted to the Local Planning Authority and, once validated by them, be made available as part of a public register and on the authority's website; our system will automatically generate and send you emails in regard to the submission of this application.

☒ I / We agree to the outlined declaration

Signed

Jo Wavish

Date

14/02/2023