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Important – Planning permission & notices of consent

Compliance with conditions

- Your planning approval or consent is attached. It will contain conditions that you must comply with.
- Please read the conditions and understand their requirements and restrictions, for example submission and approval of details or measures to protect trees.
- Some conditions will require action before you start development and it is imperative that you seek to have these discharged before any work commences.
- Whilst every effort has been made to group conditions logically, it is your responsibility to ensure that you are aware of the requirements and/or restrictions of all conditions.
- If you fail to comply with the conditions this may result in a breach of planning control and this may lead to enforcement action.
- Failure to comply with conditions may also result in the development not being lawful.
- It is in your interests to demonstrate that conditions have been complied with. Failure to do so may cause difficulties if the property is sold or transferred.
- A fee is payable for each request to discharge conditions.
- For advice on any of these matters, please contact Planning, Manchester City Council, PO Box 532, Town Hall, Manchester M60 2LA or email planning@manchester.gov.uk

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Town & Country Planning (Control of Advertisements) (England) Regulations 2007

Advertisement Consent

Applicant

Allied London Group
C/o Agent

Agent (if used)

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Part 1 – Particulars of the application/development

Proposal: Double-sided D6 LED Digital Display Unit.

Location: Crown Square, Manchester, M3 3FL

Date of application: 1 October 2021

Application number: 131800/AOH/2021

Part 2 – Particulars of decision

Manchester City Council gives notice that the development referred to in Part 1 has been **granted** in accordance with the application and plans submitted subject to the condition(s) listed below (if any).

Article 35 Declaration

Condition(s) attached to this decision

1) No advertisement is to be displayed without the permission of the owner of the site or any other person with an interest in the site entitled to grant permission.

No advertisement shall be sited or displayed so as to:
(a) endanger persons using any highway, railway, waterway, dock, harbour or aerodrome (civil or military);
(b) obscure, or hinder the ready interpretation of, any traffic sign, railway signal or aid to navigation by water or air; or
(c) hinder the operation of any device used for the purpose of security or surveillance or for measuring the speed of any vehicle.

Any advertisement displayed, and any site used for the display of advertisements, shall be maintained in a condition that does not impair the visual amenity of the site.

Any structure or hoarding erected or used principally for the purpose of displaying advertisements shall be maintained in a condition that does not endanger the public.

Where an advertisement is required under these Regulations to be removed, the site shall be left in a condition that does not endanger the public or impair visual amenity.

2) The development hereby approved shall be carried out in accordance with the following drawings and documents:

Drawings

Screen schematic
SITE LOCATION PLAN Site 5. Crown Square, MANCHESTER, M3 3FL
84 Double FSD W/Radius Revision P2

Documents

Covering Letter
Planning Statement Spinningfields Manchester by Metropolis Planning and Design on behalf of Allied London Group 07/09/2021 Job Ref: 3203

All of the above drawings and documents received 1st October 2021

The email from Paul O'Neill received 9th June 2022

Reason - To ensure that the development is carried out in accordance with the approved plans. Pursuant to policies SP1 and DM1 of the Core Strategy.

3) (a) For individual advertisements displayed on the LED panel which contain moving images, animation, video or full motion images then a three metre unobstructed footway width should be maintained where possible to avoid the advert from causing a visual obstruction to drivers and to maintain a suitable access route for pedestrians.

(b) No individual advertisements shall be displayed for duration of less than 10 seconds.

(c) Controls shall be in place to ensure smooth uninterrupted transition of images displayed on the panel.

(d) The display panel shall be fitted with a light sensor, designed to adjust the brightness to changes in ambient light levels.

(e) A mechanism shall be in place so that if the installation breaks down, it defaults to a black screen to avoid any flashing error messages or pixilation.

(f) The maximum luminance level of the advertisements displayed on the panel shall not exceed 600 cd/m2 during non daylight hours / inclement weather.

Reason

In the interests of highway safety pursuant to policies SP1 and DM1 of the Core Strategy for the City of Manchester.

4) Prior to the commencement of the development hereby approved, a detailed construction management plan outlining working practices during development shall be submitted for approval in writing by the local planning authority, which for the avoidance of doubt should include:

1. Commentary on types and frequency of vehicular demands together with evidence (including appropriate swept-path assessment) of satisfactory routeing both within the site and on the adjacent highway.

2. A dilapidation survey which should include photographs and commentary on the condition of carriageway / footways on construction vehicle routes surrounding the site.

Development must be carried out in accordance with the approved construction management plan upon commencement of authorised works.

Reason

In the interests of highway safety pursuant to policies SP1 and DM1 of the Core Strategy for the City of Manchester.

5) a) The intensity of the illuminance of the advertisement shall be no greater than 600Cdm2 during hours of darkness to accord with the recommendations of the ILP publication 'PLG05 The Brightness of Illuminated Advertisements' (2015.

b) The luminance level of the digital sign shall be controlled by a light sensor to adjust the screen brightness to reflect the ambient levels during the daytime and set to a maximum brightness of 600Cdm2 during hours of darkness to accord with the recommendations of the ILP publication 'PLG05 The Brightness of Illuminated Advertisements' (2015). In the event of breakdown or malfunction the screen will automatically switch off

c) Should a fault be detected or reported with the screen or advertisement, the screen will be programmed to automatically switch to a blank screen with black background.

Reason - In the interests of the amenities of the occupiers of nearby premises pursuant to policies SP1 and DM1 of the Core Strategy for the City of Manchester

6) Before the development hereby approved commences, a plan must be submitted to and approved in writing by the City Council as Local Planning Authority. The plan must demonstrate how the development will be maintained to ensure the agreed light levels and noise levels are maintained and not exceeded. The plan must include details of remote monitoring and control capability, how the operator is alerted if any fault is detected and details of what action is taken where a fault is identified or reported including response time to undertake repair. The plan must include details of proposed physical inspection and monitoring frequency.

Reason

In the interests of visual amenity pursuant to policies SP1 and DM1 of the Core Strategy for the City of Manchester

7) The consent hereby granted is for the installation of 1 No. Double-sided D6 LED Digital advertising Unit only and for no other purposes. The consent hereby granted does not grant or imply grant of consent or permission for any other purpose including facial recognition by camera equipment.

Reason - Pursuant to policies DC15.1 and DC15.2 of the Unitary Development Plan for the City of Manchester and policies SP1 and DM1 of the Core Strategy for the City of Manchester.

8) The pavement on which the new D6 Digital Display structure to be installed shall be reinstated/made good following the installation of the D6 Digital Display in accordance with a scheme that shall be submitted to and approved in writing by the City Council as Local Planning Authority before the development commences. The development shall be carried out in accordance with the approved details.

Reason - To ensure an acceptable development , pursuant to policies SP1 and DM1 of the Core Strategy.

Informatives

There are no informatives attached to this decision.

Date: 4 August 2022

Signed: 

Julie Roscoe
Director of Planning, Building Control & Licensing

Manchester City Council, P O Box 532, Town Hall, Manchester M60 2LA

Notes

1. This consent refers only to that required under the Town and Country (Control of Advertisements) (England) Regulations 2007 does not include any consent or approval under any other enactment, byelaw, order or regulation.

2. If the applicant is aggrieved by the decision of the local planning authority to refuse consent or approval for the proposed development, or to grant consent or approval subject to conditions, he may appeal to the Secretary of State in accordance with section 78 of the Act as amended by the Regulations within eight weeks of the date of the notice of the decision.

The Planning Inspectorate have introduced an online appeals service that is available through the gov.uk website at www.gov.uk/appeal-planning-inspectorate. The Inspectorate will publish details of your appeal on the internet.

This may include a copy of the original planning application form and any supporting documents supplied to the local planning authority. By you or your agent, together with the completed appeal form and information you submit to the Planning Inspectorate. Please ensure that you only provide information, including personal information, that you are happy will be made available to others in this way. If you supply personal information belonging to a third party please ensure you have their permission. More detailed information about data protection and privacy matters is available on the Planning Portal.

Alternatively, appeals can be made on a form which is obtainable from Planning Inspectorate, Customer Support Unit, Room 3/15, Eagle Wing, Temple Quay House, 2 The Square, Temple Quay, Bristol BS1 or by telephone 0117 372 6372.