MANCHESTER CITY COUNCIL

Town and Country Planning Act 1990 (as amended) (Section 192) Town and Country Planning (Development Management Procedure) (England) Order 2015 (as amended)

Application reference:

PLA-2026-001171

Applicant:

Alex Risolo

Date of application:

12 August 2026

First Schedule

Loft conversion of the existing roof space with a full width dormer at the rear to provide 2no. new bedrooms, a shower room, storage and a compact air to air heat pump. New stairs from the existing first floor to be provided.

Second Schedule

11 Westbourne Grove Manchester M20 1JA

Grant of Certificate of Lawful Use or Development

Manchester City Council hereby certify that on 12 August 2026 the use/operations specified below and described in the First Schedule in respect of the land specified in the Second Schedule and more particularly identified on the plan attached to this certificate edged in red, was lawful within the meaning of section 192 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 (as amended), for the following reason(s):

1) Rear Dormer

   The proposed rear dormer as shown on drawings numbered 26040-ST-00-DR-A-20-101 and 26040-ST-XX-DR-A-20-102 constitutes permitted development. The rear dormer would comply with Class B of Part 1 to Schedule 2 of the Town and Country Planning (General Permitted Development) Order 2015 (as amended), subject to compliance with the requirements of condition B.2(a).

2) Rooflights

   The proposed rooflights as shown on drawings numbered 26040-ST-00-DR-A-20-101 and 26040-ST-XX-DR-A-20-102 constitute permitted development. The rooflights would comply with Class C of Part 1 to Schedule 2 of the Town and Country Planning (General Permitted Development) Order 2015 (as amended).

3) Internal Alterations

   Alterations that affect "only the interior of the building" are not development by reason of section 55(2)(a) of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990. As the loft conversion

relates to the interior of the building, this element of the proposal would not require planning permission as it would not amount to development.

Refusal of Certificate of Lawful Use or Development

Manchester City Council are not satisfied that on 12 August 2026 the use/operations specified below and described in the First Schedule in respect of the land specified in the Second Schedule and more particularly identified on the plan attached to this certificate edged in red, was lawful within the meaning of section 192 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 (as amended), for the following reason(s):

1) Air Source Heat Pump

   The proposed air source heat pump fails to comply with Class G of Part 14 to Schedule 2 of the Town and Country Planning (General Permitted Development) (England) Order 2015 (as amended), as no details have been provided as to whether the air source heat pump would comply with the MCS planning standards (Paragraph G.1). Furthermore, the air source heat pump would be installed on the side of the proposed dormer, the applicant has failed to provide any information to demonstrate, so far as is practicable that the air source heat pump is sited to minimise its effect on the external appearance of the building (G.3(b)) and, again so far as is practicable, be sited so as to minimise its effect on the amenity of the area (G.3(c)).

Date: 16 October 2026

Signed: 

Julie Roscoe
Director of Planning, Building Control & Licensing
Manchester City Council, P O Box 532, Town Hall, Manchester M60 2LA

Notes – for grant of Certificate

1. This certificate is issued solely for the purposes of section 192 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 (as amended).

2. This certificate is issued solely to the extent of the use/operations described under the heading Grant of Certificate of Lawful Use or Development and to the land specified in the Second Schedule and identified on the attached plan. Any use/operations which is materially different from that described or which relates to other land may render the owner or occupier liable to enforcement action.

3. The effect of the Certificate is also qualified by the proviso in Section 192(4) of the 1990 Act, as amended, which states that the lawfulness of a described use or operation is only conclusively presumed where there has been no material change, before the use is instituted or the operations begun, in any of the matters relevant to determining such lawfulness.

Notes – for refusal of Certificate

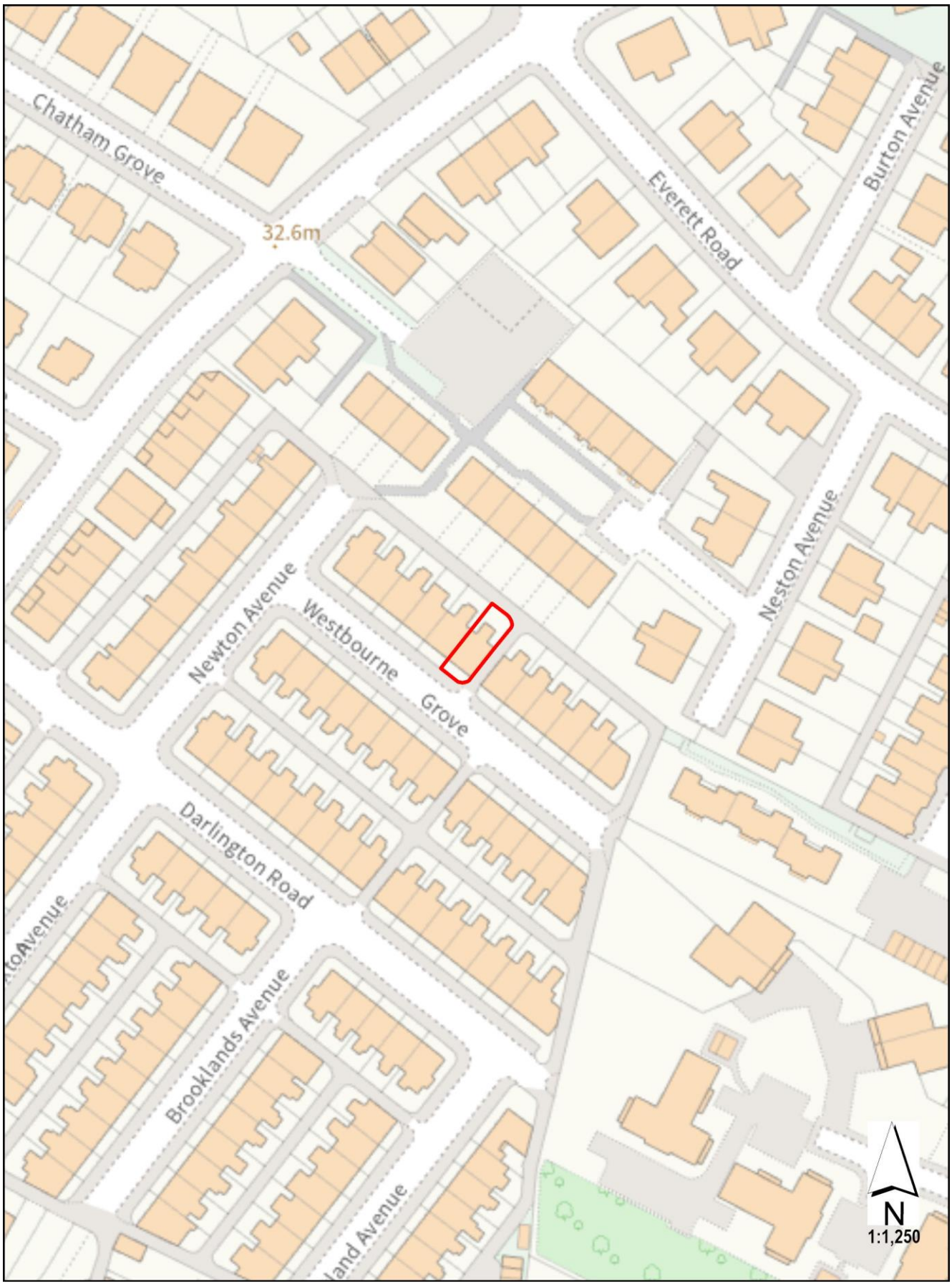
1. If you are aggrieved by the decision of the local planning authority to refuse to grant a certificate of lawfulness for the use/operations described under the heading Refusal of Certificate of Lawful Use or Development, then you may appeal to the Secretary of State under section 195 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 (as amended).

2. There is no deadline for submitting your appeal. The Planning Inspectorate have introduced an online appeals service that can be used to make appeals online. This service is available through the Gov.uk website – www.gov.uk/appeal-lawful-development-certificate-decision.

   The Inspectorate will publish details of your appeal on the internet. This may include a copy of the original 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 gov.uk website.

   Alternatively If you are unable to access the online appeal form, please contact the Planning Inspectorate to obtain a paper copy of the appeal form on tel: 0303 444 5000.

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