BARNSLEY
Metropolitan Borough Council

Place Directorate
Regeneration and Property
Planning and Building Control

REFUSAL OF PLANNING PERMISSION

TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 1990

APPLICATION NO. 2018/0071

To JE Architectural Ltd
23 Windmill Road
Wombwell
Barnsley
S73 8PW

Proposal Conversion of redundant farm buildings into 4 no. dwellings and erection of 3 no. additional new build dwelling houses and associated garage blocks

At Hangman Stone Bar Farm, Moor Lane, Birdwell, Barnsley, S70 5TY

Permission is refused for the proposals which were the subject of the Application and Plans registered by the Council on 04 May 2018and described above.

The reason(s) for the Council's decision to refuse planning permission is/are:

Pursuant to article 31(1)(cc) of the Town and Country Planning (Development Management Procedure) Order 2010 (as amended), the Local Planning Authority have, where possible, made a pre-application advice service available, complied with our Planning Service Charter for Business and otherwise actively engaged with the applicant in dealing with the application.

1 In the opinion of the Local Planning Authority, the proposed new dwellings and associated works are contrary to Local Plan Policies GB1, GB2 and Para 145g of the NPPF as they would not be in the same use as the existing outbuildings, and would be materially larger, and would not be in same location as the existing. They would therefore constitute inappropriate development which would harm the openness and character of the Green Belt and conflict with the purposes of including land within it.

2 In the opinion of the Local Planning Authority, the proposed alterations to the Listed Buildings have not been sufficiently justified and the design does not respond to, nor sympathise with the historic significance of the designated asset, nor would they conserve or enhance their significance. Accordingly the proposals are contrary to Local Plan Policies HE1 and HE3.

3 In the opinion of the Local Planning Authority, it has not been clearly demonstrated that residential use would be a more appropriate way of maintaining and improving the character and appearance of the existing buildings than any other use, contrary to Local Plan Policy GB3.

4 In the opinion of the Local Planning Authority, insufficient conservation, mitigation and enhancement measures have been proposed for bats on the site and the development would therefore not conserve or enhance the biodiversity features of the borough, contrary to Local Plan Policy BIO1.

Signed  Dated 07 February 2019
Joe Jenkinson
Head of Planning and Building Control

Please be aware that the Council monitors construction sites and open land within the vicinity such sites in an attempt to prevent fly tipping (i.e. unauthorised deposit of waste on land), which is illegal under the Environmental Protection Act 1990. The penalties for fly-tipping can include:

- *a fine of up to £50,000 and*
- *up to six months imprisonment on conviction*

NOTES:-

Appeals to the Secretary of State

If you are aggrieved by the decision of the Council to grant permission for the proposed development subject to conditions then you can appeal to the Secretary of State for the Environment, Transport and Regions under Section 78 of the Town and Country Planning Act. If you want to appeal, then you must do so within six months of the date of this notice, using a form which you can get from The Planning Inspectorate, Room 3/24 Hawk Wing, Temple Quay House, 2 The Square, Temple Quay, Bristol, BS1 6PN.

The Secretary of State can allow a longer period for giving notice of an appeal, but he will not normally be prepared to use this power unless there are special circumstances which excuse the delay in giving notice of appeal. The Secretary of State need not consider an appeal if it seems to him that the Local Planning Authority could not have granted planning permission for the proposed development or could not have granted it without the conditions it imposed, having regard to the statutory requirements, to the provisions of the development order and to any directions giving under the order. In practice, the Secretary of State does not refuse to consider appeals solely because the Local Planning Authority based its decision on a direction given by him.

Purchase Notices

If either the Local Planning Authority or the Secretary of State for the Environment, Transport and Regions refuses permission to develop land or grants it subject to conditions, the owner may claim that he can neither put the land to a reasonably beneficial use in its existing state nor can he render the land capable of a reasonably beneficial use by the carrying out of any development which has been or would be permitted. In these circumstances, the owner may serve a purchase notice on the Council in whose area the land is situated. This notice will require the Council to purchase his interest in the land in accordance with the provisions of part VI of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990.

Compensation

In certain circumstances compensation may be claimed from the Local Planning Authority if permission is refused or granted subject to conditions by the Secretary of State on appeal or on reference to the application to him. These circumstances are set out in Sections 114 and related provisions of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990.