# In the Royal Court of Jersey

Samedi Division

In the year two thousand and seventeen, the sixth day of November.

Before the Judicial Greffier.

Upon the application of Her Majesty's Attorney General, IT IS ORDERED that the Planning Obligation Agreement between The Chief Officer for the Environment and Union Street Apartments Limited in relation to 24, Union Street, St Helier, be registered in the Public Registry of this Island.

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## Planning Obligation Agreement under Article 25 of the Planning and Building (Jersey)

Law 2002

relating to the development of 24 Union Street, St Helier

Dated

3 November

October 2017

The Chief Officer for the Environment (1)

Union Street Apartments Limited (2)

DATE

October 2017

### PARTIES

- The Chief Officer for the Environment of States Offices, South Hill, St (1) Helier, Jersey JE2 4US ("the Chief Officer");
- Union Street Apartments Limited (co regn. 123875) ("the Owner") of (2)Rouen House, La Rue de Tapon, St Saviour, Jersey, JE2 7UL

## RECITALS

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- 1 The Owner warrants that by right under hereditary contract of purchase of 11 August 2017 from 24 Union Street Properties Limited it is the owner in perpetuity (à fin d'héritage) as to the Site.
- 2 The Owner submitted an application (accorded the reference P/2017/1004) for planning permission for the Development.
- 3 Having regard to the purposes of the Law the Island Plan 2011 and all other material considerations the Chief Officer is minded to approve the grant of planning permission for the Development subject to the prior completion of this Agreement for a financial contribution to the cycling facilities as required by the Island Plan, 2011.
- 4 The parties hereto have agreed to enter into this Agreement in order to secure the planning obligations contained herein.
- 5 The parties acknowledge that this Agreement is legally binding.
- 6 This Agreement shall be construed so as to give effect to the purpose and intention of the Law.

## NOW THIS AGREEMENT WITNESSES AS FOLLOWS: **OPERATIVE PART**

#### 1 DEFINITIONS

For the purposes of this Agreement the following expressions shall have the following meanings:

"Agreement"	this agreement including the recitals and schedules hereto;
"Application"	the application for planning permission in respect of the Site and described as "Change of use from Class C (office) to residential accommodation to create 25 No. one bed and 2 No. two bed apartments." and given the reference P/2017/1004;

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"Chief Officer"	the person appointed from time to time as the chief executive officer (or equivalent) of the administration of the States responsible for planning and building in accordance with Article 1 of the Law;
"Commencement"	the date on which any operation forming part of the Development permitted by the Planning Permit or any subsequent planning permission for the Development begins to be carried out, and "Commence" and "Commenced" shall be construed accordingly;
"Cycling Contribution"	the sum of one thousand pounds (£1,000) Sterling to be paid by the Ownes to the Treasurer of the States to be applied by the Minister for Infrastructure towards an off- site cycle provision to Dumaresq Street.
"Development"	the development of the Site as set out in the Application;
"GST"	goods and services tax under the Goods and Services Tax (Jersey) Law 2007;
"Index"	the all Items Index of Retail Prices for Jersey as issued from time to time by the Statistics Unit to the States of Jersey.
"Interest"	interest at three per cent above the base lending rate of the HSBC Bank Plc from time to time.
"Island Plan 2011"	The States of Jersey Island Plan, 2011 (as amended from time to time);
"Law"	the Planning and Building (Jersey) Law 2002;

"Minister for Infrastructure"	the Minister for Infrastructure, including his or her successor and any person or body to whom the functions of the Minister for Infrastructure may be transferred hereafter or lawfully delegated from time to time
"Plan"	the plan of the Site attached at the First Schedule to this Agreement;
"Planning Permit"	the planning permission for the Development granted by the Chief Officer pursuant to the Application, a copy of which is attached at the Second Schedule and references to the Planning Permit include where the context permits any variations to the said planning permission from time to time;
"Royal Court"	the Royal Court of the Island of Jersey;
"Site"	24, Union Street, St. Helier, JE2 3RF, as shown for the purpose of identification edged by a thick black line and hatched black on the Plan;

#### 2 CONSTRUCTION OF THIS AGREEMENT

- Where in this Agreement reference is made to any clause, paragraph or 2.1 schedule or recital such reference (unless the context otherwise requires) is a reference to a clause, paragraph or schedule or recital in this Agreement.
- 2.2 Words importing the singular meaning where the context so admits include the plural meaning and vice versa.
- 2.3 Words of the masculine gender include the feminine and neuter genders and words denoting actual persons include companies, corporations and firms and all such words shall be construed interchangeably in that manner.
- Wherever there is more than one person named as a party and where more 2.4 than one party undertakes an obligation all their obligations can be enforced against all of them jointly and against each individually unless there is an express provision otherwise.

- 2.5 Any reference to a law of the States of Jersey shall include any modification, extension or re-enactment of that law for the time being in force and shall include all instruments, orders, plans, regulations, permissions and directions for the time being made, issued or given under that Law or deriving validity from it.
- 2.6 References to any party to this Agreement shall include the successors in title to that party and to any deriving title through or under that party and in the case of the Chief Officer the successors to his statutory functions.
- 2.7 This Agreement shall be construed so as to give effect to the purpose of the Law.

#### 3 LEGAL BASIS

- 3.1 This Agreement is made pursuant to Article 25 of the Law.
- 3.2 The covenants, restrictions and requirements imposed upon the Owner under this Agreement create planning obligations pursuant to Article 25 of the Law and are enforceable by the Chief Officer against the Owner.

#### 4 CONDITIONALITY

This Agreement shall come into effect immediately upon the date on which this Agreement has been recorded as registered in the Royal Court as evidenced by an Act of the said Court.

#### 5 OWNER'S COVENANTS

The Owner covenants and agrees with the Chief Officer as set out in the Third Schedule so that this Agreement shall be enforceable without limit of time against the Owner and any person claiming or deriving title through or under the Owner to the Site or any part or parts thereof.

#### 6 CHIEF OFFICER'S COVENANTS

The Chief Officer covenants with the Owner as set out in the Fourth Schedule.

#### 7. PUBLIC REGISTRY OF CONTRACTS

The Chief Officer shall as soon as practicable apply to the Royal Court for an order that this Agreement be registered in the Public Registry of Contracts.

#### 8 MISCELLANEOUS

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8.1 Where the agreement, approval, consent or expression of satisfaction is required by the Owner from the Chief Officer under the terms of this Agreement such agreement, approval or consent or expression of satisfaction shall not be unreasonably withheld or delayed and any such agreement, consent, approval or expression of satisfaction may be given on behalf of the Chief Officer by the Director - Development Control of Planning and notice or communication to the Chief Officer pursuant to the provisions of this Agreement shall be addressed to the Director - Development Control of Planning at Planning and Building Services South Hill St Helier Jersey JE2 4US or as otherwise notified for the purpose by notice in writing.

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- 8.2 Any notices on the Owner shall be deemed to have been properly served if sent by ordinary post to and addressed to such party at the address referred to above or as otherwise notified for the purpose by notice in writing.
- 8.3 Insofar as any clause or clauses of this Agreement are found (for whatever reason) to be invalid illegal or unenforceable then such invalidity illegality or unenforceability shall not affect the validity or enforceability of the remaining provisions of this Agreement.
- 8.4 This Agreement shall cease to have effect (insofar only as it has not already been complied with) if the Planning Permit shall be quashed cancelled, revoked or otherwise withdrawn or (without the consent of the Owner) it is modified (other than by process under Article 10 of the Law) by any statutory procedure or expires prior to the Commencement of Development.
- 8.5 No person shall be liable for any breach of any of the planning obligations or other provisions of this Agreement after it shall have parted with its entire interest in the Site but without prejudice to liability for any subsisting breach arising prior to parting with such interest.
- 8.6 Nothing in this Agreement shall prohibit or limit the right to develop any part of the Site in accordance with a planning permission (other than the Planning Permit) granted (whether or not on appeal) after the date of this Agreement.
- 8.7 Except in so far as legally or equitably permitted this Agreement shall not prejudice or fetter or affect any statutory power discretion or duty of the Chief Officer and without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing it is agreed between the parties here to that any benefit or power conferred on the Chief Officer by any of the obligations or covenants by the Owner in

favour of the Chief Officer under this Agreement are in addition to any of the Chief Officer's statutory powers under the Law.

- 8.8 Nothing contained herein shall be construed as obviating the need for the Owner to obtain or acquire from any third party with respect to the Development or its use any consents permits authorisations rights interests in land or servitudes.
- 8.9 Nothing in this Agreement shall be construed or interpreted in such a way or inference to be drawn so as to place or create a duty of care upon the Chief Officer as a result of the Chief Officer agreeing to accept the covenants agreements and undertakings on the part of the Owner as contained herein.
- 8.10 The Owner shall not be entitled to any costs or compensation as a result of the making of this Agreement and the obligations contained herein.
- 8.11 All communications and notices served or made under this Agreement shall be in writing.

#### 9 WAIVER

No waiver (whether expressed or implied) by the Chief Officer of any breach or default in performing or observing any of the covenants terms or conditions of this Agreement shall constitute a continuing waiver and no such waiver shall prevent the Chief Officer from enforcing any of the relevant terms or conditions or from acting upon any subsequent breach or default.

#### CHANGE IN OWNERSHIP 10

The Owner agrees with the Chief Officer to give the Chief Officer written notice (as soon as reasonably practical following such change) of any change in ownership of its interest in the Site occurring before all the obligations under this Agreement have been discharged.

#### 11 INDEXATION

Any sum referred to in the Third Schedule shall be increased by an amount equivalent to the increase in the Index from the date on which this Agreement is registered in the Public Registry of Contracts until the date on which such sum is payable.

If any payment due under this Agreement is paid late, Interest will be payable from the date payment is due to the date of payment.

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#### DISPUTE RESOLUTION 13

In the event that any dispute shall arise in respect of any provision of this Agreement it shall be referred if not resolved within seven working days to the arbitration of an independent arbitrator under the provisions of the Arbitration (Jersey) Law 1998 such arbitrator to be named by the agreement of the parties to the dispute or in default of agreement by the President for the time being of the Royal Institution of Arbitrators upon the application of any party to the dispute.

#### GOODS AND SERVICES TAX 14

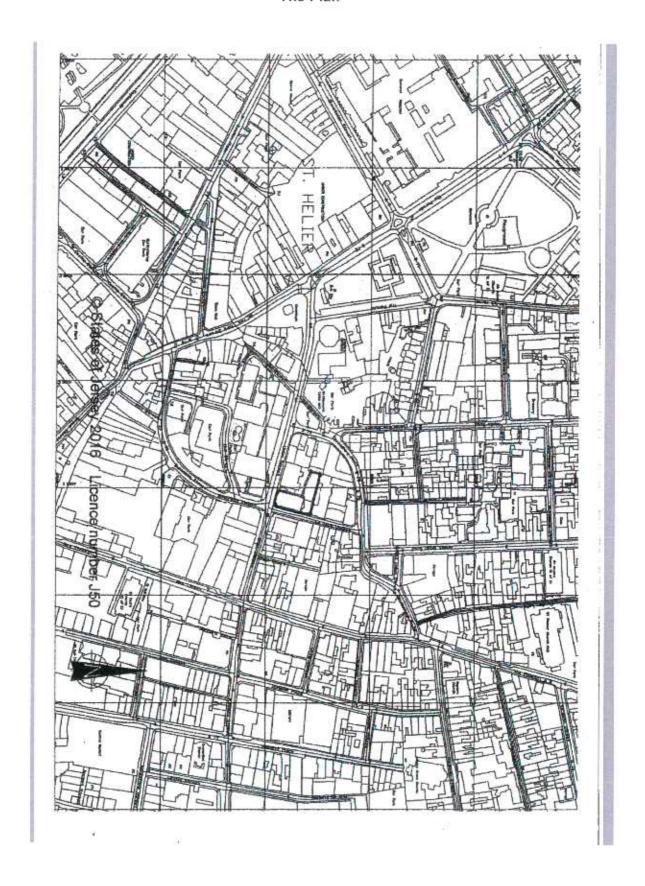
- 14.1 All cause given in accordance with the terms of this Agreement shall be exclusive of any GST properly payable in respect thereof.
- 14.2 If at any time GST is or becomes chargeable in respect of any supply made in accordance with the terms of this Agreement then to the extent that GST had not previously been charged in respect of that supply the person making the supply shall have the right to issue a GST invoice to the person to whom the supply was made and the GST shall be paid accordingly.

#### 15 JURISDICTION

This Agreement is governed by and interpreted in accordance with the law of the Island of Jersey.

## FIRST SCHEDULE

## The Plan



## SECOND SCHEDULE

## The Planning Permit

Department of the Environment
Planning and Building Services
South Hill

St Helier, Jersey, JE2 4US Tel: +44 (0)1534 445508 States of Jersey

Arkitecture Limited 4 Le Petit Catelet La Route de St Jean St John JE3 4EN

Planning Application Number P/2017/1004

Dear Sir

Application Address: UBS, 24, Union Street, St. Helier, JE2 3RF.

Description of Work: Change of use from Class C (office) to residential

accommodation to create 25 No. one bed and 2 No. two

bed apartments.

Please find enclosed the decision notice for the above application.

The approved plans and any conditions attached to the decision are important and should be complied with. If there is any variation from the approved plans or the conditions please notify us immediately.

Failure to comply with the approved plans or conditions may result in enforcement action.

If you are unhappy with a condition attached to this permission, you may request a review or make an appeal. How to do this is set out in Supplementary Planning Guidance Practice Note No. 3 available online at www.gov.je

Yours faithfully

Jonathan Gladwin

Planning Application Number P/2017/1004

## **Decision Notice**

## PLANNING AND BUILDING (JERSEY) LAW 2002

This permission enures (unless otherwise stated) for the benefit of the land to which it relates and of each person for the time being having an estate or interest in that land.

This decision does not absolve the parties concerned from obtaining, nor does it overrule, any other permission that may be required under any other law. In addition, it does not overrule any private property rights, nor does it absolve the need to obtain the permission of the owner of the land to which this permission relates.

This is notification of the decision to GRANT permission to develop land under Article 19 of the Planning and Building (Jersey) Law 2002;

In respect of the following development: Change of use from Class C (office) to residential accommodation to create 25 No. one bed and 2 No. two bed apartments.

To be carried out at: UBS, 24, Union Street, St. Helier, JE2 3RF.

REASON FOR APPROVAL: Permission has been granted having taken into account the relevant policies of the approved Island Plan, together with other relevant policies and all other material considerations, including the consultations and representations received.

Given comments received during the assessment of the application, the States of Jersey recommends that the applicant should be aware that any sign, structure, or object which overhangs a public footway or highway requires an encroachment permit from TTS Highways Department under the Highways (Jersey) Law 1956.

This permission is granted subject to compliance with the following conditions and approved plan(s):

- The development shall commence within three years of the decision date.
  - Reason: The development to which this permission relates will need to be reconsidered in light of any material change in circumstance.
- B. The development hereby approved shall be carried out entirely in accordance with the plans, drawings, written details and documents which form part of this permission.
  - Reason: To ensure that the development is carried out and completed in accordance with the details approved.



## Condition(s):

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- The amenity spaces shown on the approved plans shall be available on a free and unrestricted basis for use by the occupants of the development.
- No part of the development hereby approved shall be occupied until the vehicular manoeuvring area and respective car parking spaces have been laid out, surfaced and drained as indicated on the approved plans. The car parking spaces shall thereafter be retained solely for the use of occupants of the development and shall not be sub-let for any other purpose.
- No part of the development hereby approved shall be occupied until the cycle parking facilities as indicated on the approved plan have been wholly constructed in accordance with the approved plans. The facilities shall thereafter be retained solely for the use of occupants of the development and maintained as such.
- No part of the development hereby approved shall be occupied until the electric car charging facilities have been wholly constructed in accordance with the approved plans. The facilities shall thereafter be retained solely for the use of occupants of the development and maintained as such.
- No part of the development hereby approved shall be occupied until all hard and soft landscape works as indicated on the approved plan have been carried out in full. Following completion, the landscaping areas shall be thereafter maintained as such.
- No part of the development hereby approved shall be occupied until the terrace at first floor level above the car park is fitted with privacy screens/walls as indicated on the approved plans. Once constructed, the screens/walls shall be maintained as such thereafter.
- No part of the development hereby approved shall be occupied until the 7. provisions and arrangements to be made for the storage, sorting, recycling and disposal of refuse are completed in accordance with the approved plans, and thereafter be retained and maintained as such.
- No part of the development hereby approved shall be occupied until the proposed window(s) in the east elevation at first floor level is fitted with obscure glass and restricted in its/their opening mechanism to no more than 200mm. Once implemented, the obscure glazing and restricted opening mechanism shall be maintained as such thereafter.

## Reason(s):

- To ensure that there is permanent access to adequate outdoor amenity space, in accordance with Policies GD1 and H6 of the Adopted Island Plan 2011 (Revised 2014).
- To ensure that the development provides adequate provision for offstreet parking and manoeuvring for users of the site, in the interests of highway safety and the general amenities of the area, in accordance with Policy GD1 of the Adopted Island Plan 2011 (Revised 2014).



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- In the interests of promoting sustainable patterns of development, in accordance with Policies TT9 and SP6 of the Adopted Island Plan 2011 (Revised 2014).
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- To ensure that the benefits of the approved landscaping scheme are carried out and completed, making a positive contribution to the amenities of the site in accordance with Policies GD1, GD7, NE1, NE2 and NE4 of the Adopted Island Plan 2011 (Revised 2014).
- To safeguard the amenities and privacy of the occupants of the adjoining properties in accordance with Policy GD1 of the Adopted Island Plan 2011 (Revised 2014).
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## FOR YOUR INFORMATION

The approved plans can be viewed on the Planning Register at www.gov.je/planning

The following plan(s) has/have been approved: Location Plan Site Location Plan 3817.06A Ground Floor Plan 3817.07A First Floor Plan 3817.08C Second Floor Plan 3817.09A Third Floor Plan 3817.10A Fourth Floor Plan 3817.11A Courtyard Plan 3817.12B First Floor Terrace Plan 3817.13C Proposed East Elevation 3817.14A Proposed South Elevation 3817.15A Proposed West Elevation 3817.16B Proposed Sections 3817.17A

DECISION DATE:



## **Decision Notice**

PLANNING AND BUILDING (JERSEY) LAW 2002

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The development may also require building permission, for which a separate application will need to be made. If you are in any doubt as to whether building permission is required please telephone the Building Applications Team on 448407.



## THIRD SCHEDULE

## The Owner's Covenants with the Chief Officer

The Owner covenants, agrees and undertakes to pay the Cycling Contribution to the Treasurer of the States forthwith on the registration of this Agreement.

## FOURTH SCHEDULE

## Chief Officer's covenants

- The Chief Officer covenants with the Owner to, at the written request of the Owner from time to time, to provide written confirmation of the discharge of the obligations contained in this Agreement (or any of them) when and to the extent that the Chief Officer is satisfied that such obligations have been performed.
- The Chief Officer hereby covenants with the Owner to use all sums received by the Treasurer of the States from the Owner under the terms of this Agreement for the purposes specified in this Agreement for which they are to be paid.
- 3. The Chief Officer covenants with the Owner that he will procure or arrange that the Treasurer of the States will pay to the Owner such amount of any payment made by the Owner to the Treasurer of the States under this Agreement which has not been expended in accordance with the provisions of this Agreement within seven years of the date of receipt by the Treasurer of the States of such payment.

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Signed on behalf of the Chief Officer: Name and Position: PETER LE GRESLEY (DIRECTOR) in the presence of Name and Position . 3 6----- flow :- ( serior runn) day of November 2017 Signed on behalf of the Owner MICH MIER (DIRECTOR OF WHICH ST APTS LTD.) Name and Position Garry REMANT, HEAD OF PROPERTY, JONEY

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