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# **ENFORCEMENT NOTICE** Planning & Building (Jersey) Law 2002

THIS NOTICE TAKES IMMEDIATE EFFECT ON THE DATE IT IS ISSUED

- 1. **This Notice:** is issued pursuant to the powers conferred under Article 40 of the Planning and Building (Jersey) Law 2002 because it appears that a breach of development controls has occurred at the Land stated below. Article 5 of the above Law defines the meaning of development and Article 7 of that Law states that Land shall not be developed without planning permission.
- 2. **The Land to which this Notice relates:** Keppel Tower and Elizabeth Cottage, La Grande Route des Sablons, Grouville, Jersey JE3 9FP shown 'edged in RED' on the attached plan.

#### 3. The Matters which appear to constitute the Breach of Development Controls:

Without Planning Permission;

- 3.1 The excavation of land and the construction of a sub-structure with associated piling to create the foundations of a building larger than that given consent under P/2018/1250. The area in question is shown edged red on attached plan 4856/03 G
- 4. **Reasons for Issuing this Notice:** It appears that the Breach of Development Controls has occurred within the last 8 years.

On 19<sup>th</sup> of February 2019 planning permission (ref: P/2018/1250) was approved to "Demolish 2 No. dwellings. Renovation / conservation of existing Tower. Construct 6No. two bed and 4No. three bed units of residential accommodation with associated landscaping and parking". There is no planning consent for the matters which appear to constitute the current breach of development controls.

- 4.1 The site lies within the Built-up area, wherein lies a presumption in favour of sustainable development. Within the site lies Keppel tower, a Grade 3 Listed Building, situated to the North of the area subject to the current breach of development controls.
- 4.2 The unauthorised works amount to development, for which planning consent has not been granted. Applications P/2019/0900 and P/2019/0855 both sought consent to extend the footprint of the basement in line with the substructure that has already been partially implemented on site. Both applications have been subject to a full assessment and were subsequently refused by the Minister for the Environment. In accordance with Part 5 Article 39 (3) Land is to be taken to have been developed without planning permission if it is developed otherwise

than in accordance with plans of the development approved for the purpose of granting planning permission for the development.

- 4.3 The developer and agent for the scheme have been notified of the breach of development controls in writing. The Department offered an opportunity to apply for consent for the below ground works subject to this notice, however, this was declined. As a result of this, the Department considers that it is necessary to ensure that the area in question is suitably blocked off from the approved basement and retained as such in perpetuity.
- 5 Steps Required to Rectify the Breach: (what you are required to do):
  - 5.1 Within the area outlined in red on the attached plan 4856/03 G, you are required to infill the area in question and separate it from the remainder of the basement by a solid wall of permanent construction and infilled with compacted type 3 hardcore, in accordance with the attached plans labelled 13185 Ba\_FL03 C2 Basement layout and 13185 Ba\_X02 C0 Infill under Block C. Once implemented, the area in question is to be retained as indicated in perpetuity, unless otherwise agreed in writing.
- 6 **Time for Compliance:** You are required to have complied with this notice by the end of 56 days commencing from the day that this notice is issued.
  - 7. Date of Issue:



For and on behalf of the Chief Officer;

Peter Le Gresley

Head of Development and Land (Regulation)

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#### Enclosures.

- 1. Enforcement Notice Plan.
- 2. 4856/03 G
- 3. 13185 Ba\_FL03 C2 Basement layout
- 4. 13185 Ba\_X02 C0 Infill under Block C

**Informative**. Any other item or issue not specified in this enforcement notice may be subject of a separate enforcement notice.

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## **ADVISORY NOTES**

What will happen if this Notice is not complied with: If you fail to comply with the requirements of this Notice you may be liable to prosecution under the appropriate Article of the Planning and Building (Jersey) Law 2002.

**Your Rights of Appeal**: In accordance with Article 109 of the above Law, you may appeal against this Notice by writing to the Greffier no later than 28 days beginning with the date this Notice is issued.







