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Town and Country Planning Act 1990
The Town and Country Planning (Development Management Procedure) (England)
Order 2015

Application No. H/22/93749

In pursuance of their powers under the above Act and in accordance with your application received on Monday 5 September 2022 the Council, as Local Planning Authority hereby **Permit** the following :

Description: First floor side extension over garage space with internal alterations, changes to fenestration on rear ground floor elevations
Site: 3 PRECOSA ROAD, BOTLEY, SOUTHAMPTON, SO30 2NW

Subject to due compliance with the following conditions:

- 1 The development hereby permitted shall be implemented in accordance with the following plans numbered: 100 and 101

Reason: For the avoidance of doubt and in the interests of proper planning.

- 2 The development hereby permitted shall start no later than three years from the date of this decision.

Reason: To comply with Section 91 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990.

- 3 The materials to be used in the construction of the external surfaces of the development hereby permitted shall match in type, colour and texture those used on the existing building.

Reason: To ensure a satisfactory visual relationship between the new development and the existing.

Note to Applicant: In the unlikely event of any bats being found during demolition or construction, all work must stop immediately, and Natural England must be informed. Additional information is available on the Bat Conservation Trust website at <https://www.bats.org.uk/advice/im-working-on-a-building-with-bats/ive-found-a-bat-during-works>.

Note to Applicant: Biodiversity enhancement is required. A swift brick or bat brick or tube could be built into the new extension. Since the main part of the extension would be facing north or northeast a swift brick would be more appropriate. A bat box could also be installed on a tree if there is a large enough tree in a suitable position.

The Bat Conservation Trust recommends installing a bat brick/box at least 4 m above the ground, away from artificial light sources, sheltered from strong winds and exposed to the sun for part of the day, facing south, south-east or south-west. (<https://www.bats.org.uk/our-work/putting-up-your-box>)

Swift nest boxes are best positioned under the eaves or on walls facing north, northeast or north-west out of direct sunlight, five metres above the ground, with clear adjacent airspace so swifts can access them in a high-speed direct flight. (<https://www.swiftconservation.org/Nestboxes%26Attraction.htm>)

Additional information is available at:

<https://sussexwildlifetrust.org.uk/discover/in-your-garden/article/31>, planting for bats

<https://www.rhs.org.uk/science/conservation-biodiversity/wildlife/plants-for-pollinators>

<https://www.bats.org.uk/our-work/buildings-planning-and-development/bat-boxes>

<https://www.hampshireswifts.co.uk/nesting>

<https://www.rspb.org.uk/birds-and-wildlife/advice/how-you-can-help-birds/nestboxes/nestboxes-for-small-birds/>

<https://www.swift-conservation.org/OurLeaflets.htm>

Note to Applicant: In accordance with paragraph 38 of the National Planning Policy Framework (July 2021), Eastleigh Borough Council takes a positive approach to the handling of development proposals so as to achieve, whenever possible, a positive outcome and to ensure all proposals are dealt with in a timely manner.

Yours faithfully

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Andy Grandfield". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Andy Grandfield
Executive Head for Planning and Economy

N.B. See Attached Notes