## APPENDIX I APPLICATION FOR PLANNING PERMISSION

Reference 22/01129/PPP Nature of Development
Erection of dwellinghouse

**Location** 

Garden ground of The Croft, Chamber's Terrace, Peebles

DECISION: Approved as per officer recommendation, subject to the following conditions and informatives:

- 1. The development hereby permitted shall be begun before the expiry of two years from the date of approval of the last of the matters specified in the conditions set out in this decision. Reason: To achieve a satisfactory form of development and to comply with the requirements of section 59 of the Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997, as amended.
- 2. Application for approval of matters specified in the conditions set out in this decision shall be made to the planning authority before whichever is the latest of the following:
  - (a) the expiry of three years from the date of this permission or;
  - (b) the expiry of six months from the date on which an earlier application for approval of matters specified in the conditions set out in this decision notice was refused or dismissed following an appeal.

Only one application may be submitted under paragraph (b) of this condition, where such an application is made later than three years after the date of this consent. Reason: To achieve a satisfactory form of development and to comply with the requirements of section 59 of the Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997, as amended.

- 3. No development shall commence until precise details of: the layout, siting, design and external appearance of the building; the means of access thereto; two off-street parking spaces (excluding garages); refuse and recycling bin storage and the landscaping and boundary treatments of the site, have first been submitted to and approved in writing by the planning authority. The development shall be completed in accordance with the approved details unless otherwise agreed in writing with the planning authority.

  Reason: To achieve a satisfactory form of development and to comply with the requirements of section 59 of the Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997, as amended.
- 4. No development shall commence until all matters specified in conditions have, where required, been submitted to and approved in writing by the planning authority. Thereafter the development shall take place only in strict accordance with the details so approved. Reason: To achieve a satisfactory form of development and to comply with the requirements of section 59 of the Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997, as amended.
- 5. The layout details required by condition 1 shall include an arboricultural impact assessment. The assessment shall identify all existing trees within and adjacent to the site and their root protection areas. The assessment shall also identify those trees to be retained and those proposed to be removed. The assessment shall also identify a suitable tree protection plan, demonstrating that these can be safeguarded by the design of the development and protected during construction works in accordance with BS5837:12 "Trees in relation to design, demolition and construction". The development shall be implemented in accordance with the approved assessment and protection plan and only those trees approved for

removal shall be so removed, the remainder of trees within the site shall be retained, unless otherwise agreed in writing with the planning authority.

Reason: To enable the sympathetic assimilation of the development into its wider surroundings and to ensure that existing trees, including protected and unprotected trees that represent an important visual feature are retained and given adequate protection during construction.

- 6. No development shall commence until precise details of water supply and of both surface water and foul water drainage have been submitted to and approved in writing by the planning authority and thereafter, no development shall take place except in strict accordance with the approved scheme. All surface water drainage shall comply with the SUDS manual (C753) and maintain existing pre-development run off levels. Reason: To ensure that there are no unacceptable impacts upon the amenity of any neighbouring properties and that surface water is managed in a sustainable manner that does not increase off-site run-off.
- 7. A design statement shall be submitted with the first approval of matters specified in conditions application for this site. The design statement shall outline the rationale in terms of the siting, design, scale, size, proportions and materials of the proposed dwellinghouse, boundary treatments and landscaping. The statement shall also demonstrate how the development relates to the context of the surrounding area and the setting of the adjacent house.

Reason: To ensure an appropriate scale and design of development that is in keeping with the character, and enhances the visual amenities, of the area.

- 8. The finished floor levels of the dwellinghouse hereby approved shall be consistent with those indicated on a scheme of details, which shall be submitted with the first approval of matters specified in conditions application for the site for approval in writing by the Planning Authority. Such details shall indicate the existing and proposed levels throughout the application site and shall be measurable from a fixed datum point in a location clearly indicated in the scheme of details so approved.

  Reason: To ensure that the proposed development does not have an adverse effect upon the amenity currently enjoyed by adjoining occupiers.
- 9. No development, vegetation removal or tree felling shall commence during the breeding bird season (March-August inclusive) unless in strict compliance with a Species Protection Plan for breeding birds, that shall be submitted to and approved in writing by the Planning Authority, and that shall include provision for a pre-development checking survey and mitigation.
  - Reason: To protect the ecological interest in accordance with Local Development Plan policies EP1, EP2 and EP3.
- 10. Detailed plans for the vehicular access serving the site shall be submitted with the first application for approval of matters specified in conditions. The plans shall include details showing the vehicular access from Chambers Terrace widened to 5.5m over the first 7.5m and the vehicular footway crossing also widened to match the width of the access (5.5m). The approved access arrangements shall be completed prior to the occupation of the dwelling hereby approved.

Reason. In the interests of road safety and to ensure two vehicles can pass in the junction.

## Informatives

1. In respect of condition 5, any trees to be felled should be surveyed by a qualified person before felling.

The applicant is advised that, under the Conservation Regulations (Natural Habitats & c.) 1994 (as amended) it is an offence to deliberately or recklessly damage or destroy a breeding site or resting place of bats (whether or not deliberately or recklessly), capture, injure or kill a bat, harass a bat or group of bats, disturb a bat in a roost (any structure or place it uses for shelter or protection), disturb a bat while it is rearing or otherwise caring for its young, obstruct access to a bat roost or otherwise deny an animal use of a roost, disturb a bat in a manner or in circumstances likely to significantly affect the local distribution or abundance of the species, disturb a bat in a manner or in circumstances likely to impair its ability to survive, breed or reproduce, or rear or otherwise care for its young.

In the event that bats are discovered following the commencement of works, works should stop immediately and the developer must contact Scottish Natural Heritage (Tel: 01896-756652 or 01463 725 364) for further guidance. Works can only recommence by following any guidance given by SNH. The developer and all contractors to be made aware of accepted standard procedures of working with bats at www.bats.org.uk. Further information and articles available at:

http://www.bats.org.uk/pages/bats\_and\_buildings.html http://www.bats.org.uk/pages/existing\_buildings.html https://cdn.bats.org.uk/pdf/Bats-Trees.pdf?mtime=20181101151317

- 2. In respect of condition 9, all wild birds are afforded protection and it is an offence to deliberately or recklessly kill, injure and destroy nests and eggs of wild birds. Additionally for those species protected under Schedule 1 of the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981 (as amended) it is illegal to intentionally or recklessly disturb any bird whilst it is nest-building or at or near a nest containing eggs or young, or to disturb any of its dependent young.
- 3. In respect of Condition 10, all works to the footway must be completed by a contractor on the Council's Approved List.