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## Application for a Lawful Development Certificate for a Proposed Use or Development

## Town and Country Planning Act 1990 (as amended)

**Publication of applications on planning authority websites**

Please note that the information provided on this application form and in supporting documents may be published on the Authority's website. If you require any further clarification, please contact the Authority's planning department.

## Site Location

**Disclaimer:** We can only make recommendations based on the answers given in the questions.

If you cannot provide a postcode, the description of site location must be completed. Please provide the most accurate site description you can, to help locate the site - for example "field to the North of the Post Office".

Number: 24

Suffix:

Property Name:

Address Line 1: Warwick Gardens

Address Line 2: Worthing Central

Address Line 3: West Sussex

Town/city: Worthing

Postcode: BN11 1PF

### Description of site location must be completed if postcode is not known:

Easting (x): 515196

Northing (y): 102817

Description:

## Applicant Details

### Name/Company

Title

Mr

First name

Clément

Surname

Lapeyre

Company Name

### Address

Address line 1

24 Warwick Gardens

Address line 2

Address line 3

Town/City

Worthing

County

Country

United Kingdom

Postcode

BN111PF

Are you an agent acting on behalf of the applicant?

◯ Yes
⊘ No

### Contact Details

Primary number

***** REDACTED ******

Secondary number

Fax number

Email address

***** REDACTED ******

## Description of Proposal

Does the proposal consist of, or include, the carrying out of building or other operations?

◯ Yes
⊘ No

Does the proposal consist of, or include, a change of use of the land or building(s)?

◯ Yes
⊘ No

Has the proposal been started?

◯ Yes
⊘ No

## Grounds for Application

**Information about the existing use(s)**

Please explain why you consider the existing or last use of the land is lawful, or why you consider that any existing buildings, which it is proposed to alter or extend are lawful

Solar panels are recommended by the UK Energy Performance Certificate for my property.
The proposal considers the installation of up to 12 solar panels on the south facing part of the roof. There would be no change to the roof exposed towards the street side.
Certificate of Lawfulness is sought as Warwick Gardens is located in a conservation area for the purpose or replacing a portion of the roof which has become damaged internally due time/weather with the inclusion of up to 12 solar panels, in accordance with the requirements of the property's EPC.

Please list the supporting documentary evidence (such as a planning permission) which accompanies this application

Most experts have told me that solar panels are permitted even in conservation areas. This application is to seek approval that this is indeed authorised.

Neighbouring properties have similar installations including solar panels already in place. See photographs for contextual evidence.

Select the use class that relates to the existing or last use.

C2 - Residential institutions

**Information about the proposed use(s)**

Select the use class that relates to the proposed use.

C2 - Residential institutions

Is the proposed operation or use

- [x] Permanent
- [ ] Temporary

Why do you consider that a Lawful Development Certificate should be granted for this proposal?

Most solar panels installations are required for sustainability, as reflected within the Energy Performance Certificate recommendations for my property that recommends the installation of solar panels.

## Site Visit

Can the site be seen from a public road, public footpath, bridleway or other public land?

- [x] Yes
- [ ] No

If the planning authority needs to make an appointment to carry out a site visit, whom should they contact?

- [ ] The agent
- [x] The applicant
- [ ] Other person

## Pre-application Advice

Has assistance or prior advice been sought from the local authority about this application?

- [ ] Yes
- [x] No

## Authority Employee/Member

**With respect to the Authority, is the applicant and/or agent one of the following:**
**(a) a member of staff**
**(b) an elected member**
**(c) related to a member of staff**
**(d) related to an elected member**

It is an important principle of decision-making that the process is open and transparent.

For the purposes of this question, "related to" means related, by birth or otherwise, closely enough that a fair-minded and informed observer, having considered the facts, would conclude that there was bias on the part of the decision-maker in the Local Planning Authority.

Do any of the above statements apply?

- [ ] Yes
- [x] No

## Interest in the Land

Please state the applicant's interest in the land

- [x] Owner
- [ ] Lessee
- [ ] Occupier
- [ ] Other

## Declaration

I/We hereby apply for Lawful development: Proposed use as described in the questions answered, details provided, and the accompanying plans/drawings and additional information.
I/We confirm that, to the best of my/our knowledge, any facts stated are true and accurate and any opinions given are the genuine opinions of the person(s) giving them.
I/We also accept that, in accordance with the Planning Portal's terms and conditions:
- Once submitted, this information will be made available to the Local Planning Authority and, once validated by them, be published as part of a public register and on the authority's website;
- Our system will automatically generate and send you emails in regard to the submission of this application.

☑ I / We agree to the outlined declaration

Signed

Clément Lapeyre

Date

11/01/2024