IMPORTANT – THIS COMMUNICATION AFFECTS YOUR PROPERTY

TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 1990

ENFORCEMENT NOTICE – OPERATIONAL DEVELOPMENT

ISSUED BY THE LONDON BOROUGH OF MERTON

1. **THIS IS A FORMAL NOTICE** issued by the Council because it appears that there has been a breach of planning control under Section 171A(1)(a) of the above Act, at the land described below. The Council considers it expedient to issue this notice, having regard to the provisions of the development plan and to other material considerations.

2. THE LAND AFFECTED

Land at 208 Bishopsford Road, Morden, SM4 6DA in the London Borough of Merton shown edged red on the attached plan ('the Land').

3. THE BREACH OF PLANNING CONTROL ALLEGED

Without planning permission, the erection of a single storey rear extension onto an existing extension on the ground floor of the Land ("the Extension").

4. REASONS FOR ISSUING THIS NOTICE

- (a) It appears to the Council that the above breach of planning control has occurred within the last four years.
- (b) The Extension by virtue of its size, rearward projection, siting and design is visually obtrusive, incongruous and unsympathetic to the character and appearance of the dwelling, locality, and character of the area in general. As such, the development is contrary to policies DMD2, DMD3 of the Merton Sites and Policies Plan July 2014 and CS14 of the Merton Core Strategy 2011.
- (c) The Council do not consider that there are any steps short of those required by this notice which can be taken to remedy the breach of planning control.

5. WHAT YOU ARE REQUIRED TO DO

- (a) Restore the Land to its state prior to the breach of planning control by demolishing the Extension; and
- (b) Remove from the Land all materials, rubble, machinery, apparatus and installations used in connection with or resulting from compliance with Step 5(a) above

Time for Compliance: within 3 months from the date this notice takes effect.

6. WHEN THIS NOTICE TAKES EFFECT

This notice takes effect on 10th November 2019 unless an appeal is made against it beforehand.

Dated:4th October 2019

Signed.....

Assistant Director of Corporate Governance, South London Legal Partnership on behalf of the Council of the London Borough of Merton

Address to which all communication should be sent: -

Paul Evans, Head of Legal Services, South London Legal Partnership, Gifford House, 67c St Helier Avenue, Morden, Surrey, SM4 5DX (Ref: CS/LEG/HB/511-1013)

YOUR RIGHT OF APPEAL

You can appeal against this notice in writing to the Secretary of State, but any appeal must be received, or posted in time to be received, by the Planning Inspectorate before the notice takes effect. The enclosed Explanatory Note and Information Sheet set out the procedure to be followed if you wish to appeal.

FEE PAYABLE FOR THE DEEMED APPLICATION

If your ground of appeal is, or includes ground (a) that planning permission should be granted, you must include with your appeal a fee, which is double that payable for a normal planning application. The total fee payable is £412 that must be paid by way of a cheque made out to the London Borough of Merton The fee can be sent with your appeal form.

WHAT HAPPENS IF YOU DO NOT APPEAL

If you do not appeal against this enforcement notice, it will take effect on the date indicated above and you must then ensure that the notice is complied with. Failure to comply with an enforcement notice that has taken effect, is a criminal offence and can result in legal proceedings and/or remedial action by the Council.

PERSONS SERVED WITH A COPY OF THIS ENFORCEMENT NOTICE

- 1. THE OWNER / OCCUPIER of 208 Bishopsford Road, Morden, Surrey SM4 6DA
- 2. IFTIKHAR AHMED of 208 Bishopsford Road, Morden, Surrey SM4 6DA
- 3. SANTANDER UK PLC of 2 Triton Square, Regent's Place, London, NW1 3AN

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