

DELEGATED FILE NOTE

CASE OFFICER: ...Thomas Howe.....

APPLICATION REFERENCE	BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF DEVELOPMENT	APPLICATION SITE
24/02821/EC	Replace 1 no. cabinet	Telecommunications Equipment On Grass Verge Between London Road And 3 Chestnut Walk London Road Hitchin Hertfordshire SG4 7SS

Submitted Plan Nos

Location Plan

1.0 Policies

2.0 Site History

- 2.1 23/02795/EC - Installation 20m monopole supporting 6no. antennas, 1no. cabinet and ancillary works thereto following removal of 12.5m pole with three antennas. – No Objection
- 2.2 23/02399/EC - Installation 20m monopole supporting 6no. antennas, the installation of 1no. cabinet and ancillary works thereto following removal of 12.5m pole with three antennas – No Objection

3.0 Representations

- 3.1 N/A

4.0 Planning Considerations

4.1 Site and Surroundings

- 4.1.1 The application site comprises a grass verge at the corner of Broadmeadow Ride and London Road, St Ippolyts. As existing, there is telecommunications equipment present at this site comprising cabinets and masts.

4.2 **Proposal**

- 4.2.1 The application proposes the installation of two cabinets following removal of the existing cabinet. The volume of the proposed cabinet is approximately 1.6m³.
- 4.2.2 The application gives the Local Planning Authority formal notification in accordance with Regulation 5 of the Electronic Communications Code (Conditions and Restrictions) Regulations 2003 as amended.

4.3 **Key Issues**

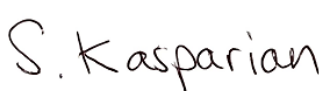
- 4.3.1 The key issues in this case are whether the proposed works would constitute permitted development in line with the relevant section in the General Permitted Development Order (GDPO) 2015 as amended.
- 4.3.2 I refer to the notice and submitted plans, received on 1 July 2024, sent in accordance with Regulations 5 of the Electronic Communications Code (Conditions and Restrictions) Regulations 2003 as amended.
- 4.3.3 I confirm that the Local Planning Authority has no objection to the siting and appearance of this proposal and that there are no conditions the Local Authority would wish to impose.

4.4 **Conclusion**

- 4.4.1 It is the responsibility of the operator to ensure that works are permitted development by virtue of the Town and Country Planning (General Permitted Development) (England) Order 2015, Schedule 2, Part 16, Class A (as amended). If the operator wishes for a formal determination of this, then it is advised they apply to the Local Planning Authority for a Lawful Development Certificate for the proposal.

5.0 **Recommendation**

- 5.1 No Objection.

Signed  Sarah Kasparian	Development Management North Hertfordshire District Council Council Offices Gernon Road Letchworth
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Determining Officer Date: 6 January 2025	