

## **NORTH HERTFORDSHIRE DISTRICT COUNCIL**

Planning (Listed Buildings and Conservation Areas) Act 1990

### **DECISION NOTICE**

**Correspondence Address:**

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**Applicant:**

Mrs West

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**Application:**

26/00525/LBC

**Proposal:**

Single storey rear extension, open-sided side porch following demolition of existing side porch and C20th store. Alterations to external materials and fenestration throughout. Internal alterations (as amended by plans received on 21/05/2026).

**Location:**

The Thatched Cottage, Smiths End Lane, Barley, Royston, Hertfordshire, SG8 8LH

**Approved Plan Nos:**

2541.PD.200D, 2541.PD.204C, 2541.SD.100A, 2541.SD.101  
2541.SD.102, 2541.PD.201E, 2541.PD.202D

### **PARTICULARS OF DECISION**

In pursuance of its powers under the above Act and the associated Orders and Regulations, the Council hereby **GRANT LISTED BUILDING CONSENT** to the works described above and proposed by you in your application received with sufficient particulars on 13 March 2026.

The consent is subject to the following conditions:

1. The work to which this consent relates shall be begun by not later than the expiration of the period of 3 years from the date of this notice.

Reason: To comply with the provisions of Section 18 of the Planning (Listed Buildings and Conservation Areas) Act 1990 as amended by Section 51 of the Planning and Compulsory Purchase Act 2004.

2. With exception of the steel windows to the extension and the steel doors to the Southeast Elevation, all new windows shall be manufactured in timber with flush casements where openable and no trickle vents. Section details thereof shall be submitted to and approved in writing by the Local Planning Authority prior to their manufacture including 1:1 section of glazing bars and glazing system. Thereafter the new windows shall be installed in accordance with the approved details.

Reason: To ensure that regard is paid to the special character of the listed building under Section 66 of the Planning (Listed Buildings and Conservation Areas) Act 1990 and Policy HE1 of the North Hertfordshire Local Plan 2011-2031.

Signed:



Shaun Greaves  
Development and Conservation Manager

Development Management  
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Council Offices  
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Date: 27 May 2026

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### **NOTES**

- 1 **Failure to satisfy conditions may invalidate this permission and/or result in enforcement action. Particular attention should be paid to the requirements of any condition in bold.**

- 2 Circular 04/2008 (Planning Related Fees) states that where an application is made under Article 21 of the Town and Country Planning (General Development Procedure) Order 1995, a fee will be payable for any consent, agreement or approval required by condition or limitation attached to the grant of planning permission.
- 3 No fee is payable for any consent, agreement or approval required by condition or limitation attached to the grant of a Listed Building Consent. The request can be informal through the submission of a letter or plans, or formal through the completion of an application form and the submission of plans. Any number of conditions may be included on a single request. The form is available on the Council's website:  
[www.north-herts.gov.uk/home/planning/planning-applications/submit-planning-application](http://www.north-herts.gov.uk/home/planning/planning-applications/submit-planning-application)
- 4 If you are aggrieved by this decision, you may appeal to The Planning Inspectorate, , within 6 months of this decision or, in exceptional circumstances, such longer period as the Secretary of State may agree.

Appeals can be made online at: <https://www.gov.uk/planning-inspectorate>.

If you are unable to access the online appeal form, please contact the Planning Inspectorate to obtain a paper copy of the appeal form on tel: 0303 444 5000.

- 5 The District Council and County Highway Authority wish to ensure that, in the implementation of the development, hereby approved, the highway verge adjacent to the property is not damaged or does not become unsightly due to the stationing of skips, parking of vehicles, storing of building materials etc thereon. Your attention is, therefore, drawn to the provisions of Section 131 of the Highways Act 1980 and to the Hertfordshire County Council Bylaws 1955 (specifically relating to grass margins and verges in Letchworth) by virtue of which such actions, unless authorised by the prior grant of a licence, constitute a prosecutable offence. Persons responsible for undertaking the development and any associated works are, therefore, strongly encouraged to take appropriate steps to ensure that no breach of the said legislation occurs during the course of such activities. In the event of any damage being caused it will be expected that suitable reinstatement is undertaken upon completion of the development. Failure to do so could also result in legal action being pursued. To obtain information regarding the issue of licences, contact the Hertfordshire Highways, Northern Area Office, Antelope House, Gates Way, Stevenage, SG1 3HL or telephone 01438 757800.