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Stuart Adams
London Borough of Merton
By Email

Our ref: 2021/0914/S1
Your ref: 21/P2900
Date: 01 November 2021

Dear Stuart

Town & Country Planning Act 1990 (as amended); Greater London Authority Acts 1999 and 2007; Town & Country Planning (Mayor of London) Order 2008

Wimbledon Park Golf Course

Local Planning Authority reference: 21/P2900

I refer to the copy of the above planning application, which was received from you on 25 August 2021. On 1 November 2021 Jules Pipe CBE, Deputy Mayor for Planning, Regeneration and Skills, acting under delegated authority, considered a report on this proposal, reference 2021/0914/S1. A copy of the report is attached, in full. This letter comprises the statement that the Mayor is required to provide under Article 4(2) of the Order.

The Deputy Mayor considers that the application does not yet comply with the London Plan for the reasons set out in paragraph 78 of the above-mentioned report; but that the possible remedies set out in that report could address these deficiencies.

The application represents EIA development for the purposes of the Town and Country Planning (Environmental Impact Assessment) Regulations. The environmental information made available to date has been taken into consideration in formulating these comments.


If your Council subsequently resolves to make a draft decision on the application, it must consult the Mayor again under Article 5 of the Order and allow him fourteen days to decide whether to allow the draft decision to proceed unchanged; or direct the Council under Article 6 to refuse the application; or issue a direction under Article 7 that he is to act as the local planning authority for the purpose of determining the application and any connected application. You should therefore send the Mayor a copy of any representations made in respect of the application, and a copy of any officer's report, together with a statement of the decision your authority proposes to make, and (if it proposed to grant permission) a statement of any conditions the authority proposes to impose and a draft of any planning obligation it proposes to enter into and details of any proposed planning contribution.

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Please note that the Transport for London case officer for this application is Sarah Hoad, email: sarahhoad@tfl.gov.uk.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "John Finlayson". The signature is written in a cursive style with a long horizontal line extending from the end of the name.

John Finlayson
Head of Development Management

cc Leonie Cooper, London Assembly Constituency Member
Andrew Boff, Chair of London Assembly Planning Committee
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