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# Application for Planning Permission. Town and Country Planning Act 1990

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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.

1. Site Address		
Number		
Suffix		
Property name		
Address line 1	Jefferson Park	
Address line 2		
Address line 3		
Town/city	Whitehaven	
Postcode	CA28 9HE	
Description of site locat	ion must be completed if postcode is not known:	
Easting (x)	297426	
Northing (y)	516757	
Description		
Informal green space,	within existing residential development, left undeveloped	from previous planning application.

2. Applicant Details			
Title			
First name	Kerry		
Surname	Dryden		
Company name	Home Group		
Address line 1	Anthorne House		
Address line 2	Irish Street		
Address line 3			
Town/city	Maryport		
Country	England		

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Postcode	CA15 8AD
Are you an agent acting	g on behalf of the applicant?
Primary number	
Secondary number	
Fax number	
Email address	

🖲 Yes 🛛 🔾 No

#### 3. Agent Details

Title	Mr
First name	David
Surname	Mitchell
Company name	Home Group
Address line 1	2
Address line 2	Gosforth Park Way
Address line 3	
Town/city	Newcastle Upon Tyne
Country	England
Postcode	NE12 8ET
Primary number	
Primary number Secondary number	

4. Site Area		
What is the measurement of the site area? (numeric characters only).		0.32
Unit	Hectares	

#### 5. Description of the Proposal

Please describe details of the proposed development or works including any change of use.

If you are applying for Technical Details Consent on a site that has been granted Permission In Principle, please include the relevant details in the description below.

The proposal is to construct 14 dwellings for affordable rent.

Home Group purchased the site in 2012 and completed phase 1 of the development - 24 properties including houses and apartments. As part of the original application (application reference number: 4/06/2681/0) the development site was granted permission for a total 48 units (see next page for layout) however only 24 were completed by Home Group on 2012. Home Group made a decision to complete Phase 1 but review and redesign phase 2 to accommodate demand, utilise the space and create a more attractive neighbourhood.

Has the work or change of use already started?

🔾 Yes 🛛 💿 No

6. Existing Use			
Please describe the current use of the site			
The site is currently informal green space left from the previous planning ap	plication within an existing residential development.		
Is the site currently vacant?	🖲 Yes 🛛 No		
If Yes, please describe the last use of the site			
Before the first phase of Jefferson Park, the site was previously occupied by phase of residential development.	y Lakeland Laundry and a refuse tip which were demolished to allow for the first		
When did this use end (if known)? DD/MM/YYYY			
Does the proposal involve any of the following? If Yes, you will need to	o submit an appropriate contamination assessment with your application.		
Land which is known to be contaminated	◯ Yes		
Land where contamination is suspected for all or part of the site	◯ Yes		
A proposed use that would be particularly vulnerable to the presence of con	atamination		
7. Materials			
Does the proposed development require any materials to be used externally	v? ● Yes □ No		
Please provide a description of existing and proposed materials and fir	nishes to be used externally (including type, colour and name for each material):		
Walls			
Description of existing materials and finishes (optional):			
Description of proposed materials and finishes:	Clay Facing Brick, Ibstock Morpeth Blend (Brick Code: A2801A) to make up the majority of the wall fabric.		
	Feature render detail to terrace of 5 to be K-Rend Thin Coat in colour: Polar White.		

	substitution with a similar equivalent product.
Roof	
Description of existing materials and finishes (optional):	
Description of proposed materials and finishes:	Breedon Flat Tiles proposed in colour: anthracite.
	All named materials and manufacturers are subject to review and possible substitution with a similar equivalent product.

Weatherboarding to be used as a feature detail on all house types, cedral

Feature brick detailing to use same brick, pattern/bond to be confirmed.

All named materials and manufacturers are subject to review and possible

click cladding in dark grey is proposed.

Windows		
Description of existing	materials and finishes (optional):	
Description of propos	ed materials and finishes:	Dark Grey UPVC

## 7. Materials

Doors	
Description of existing materials and finishes (optional):	
Description of proposed materials and finishes:	Dark Grey UPVC

Boundary treatments (e.g. fences, walls)		
	Description of existing materials and finishes (optional):	
	Description of proposed materials and finishes:	1.8m Close boarded fence

Vehicle access and hard standing	
Description of existing materials and finishes (optional):	
Description of proposed materials and finishes:	Tarmac and block paving

Other Entrance Canopy	
Description of existing materials and finishes (optional):	
Description of proposed materials and finishes:	Dark Grey GRP and brick piers to match external walls

Description of proposed materials and finishes:	black UPVC
Description of existing materials and finishes (optional):	
Other Rain water pipes and gutters	

Are you supplying additional information on submitted plans, drawings or a design and access statement?

🖲 Yes 🛛 🔍 No

If Yes, please state references for the plans, drawings and/or design and access statement

See; 203 - HT01 Floor Plans and Elevations, 204 - HT01 Floor Plans and Elevation, 205 - Boundary and Materials Plan, 207 - Elevation Materials Proposal and Jefferson Park Materials Schedule for further detail.

#### 8. Pedestrian and Vehicle Access, Roads and Rights of Way Is a new or altered vehicular access proposed to or from the public highway? Is a new or altered pedestrian access proposed to or from the public highway? Are there any new public roads to be provided within the site? Are there any new public rights of way to be provided within or adjacent to the site? Do the proposals require any diversions/extinguishments and/or creation of rights of way? Are there any new public rights of way to be provided within or adjacent to the site? Do the proposals require any diversions/extinguishments and/or creation of rights of way? Are there any new public rights of way to be provided within or adjacent to the site? Do the proposals require any diversions/extinguishments and/or creation of rights of way? Are there any new public rights of way to be provided within or adjacent to the site? Do the proposals require any diversions/extinguishments and/or creation of rights of way? Are there any new public rights of way to be provided within or adjacent to the site? Are there any new public rights of way to be provided within or adjacent to the site? Are there any new public rights of way to be provided within or adjacent to the site? Are there any new public rights of way to be provided within or adjacent to the site? Are there any new public rights of way to be provided within or adjacent to the site? Are there any new public rights of way to be provided within or adjacent to the site? Are there any new public rights of way to be provided within or adjacent to the site? Are there any new public rights of way to be provided within or adjacent to the site? Are there any new public rights of way to be provided within the site? Are there any new public rights of way to be provided within the site? Are there any new public rights of way to be provided within the site? Are there any new public rights of way to be provided within the site? Are there any new public rights of way to be pr

### 9. Vehicle Parking

Does the site have any existing vehicle/cycle parking spaces or will the proposed development add/remove any parking Spaces ON spaces?

Please provide information on the existing and proposed number of on-site parking spaces

## 9. Vehicle Parking

Type of vehicle	Existing number of spaces	Total proposed (including spaces retained)	Difference in spaces
Cars	0	24	24

10. Trees and Hedges		
Are there trees or hedges on the proposed development site?	e Yes	© No
And/or: Are there trees or hedges on land adjacent to the proposed development site that could influence the development or might be important as part of the local landscape character?	Yes	□ No

If Yes to either or both of the above, you may need to provide a full tree survey, at the discretion of your local planning authority. If a tree survey is required, this and the accompanying plan should be submitted alongside your application. Your local planning authority should make clear on its website what the survey should contain, in accordance with the current 'BS5837: Trees in relation to design, demolition and construction - Recommendations'.

#### 11. Assessment of Flood Risk

Is the site within an area at risk of flooding? (Check the location on the Government's Flood map for planning. You should also refer to national standing advice and your local planning authority requirements for information as necessary.)	Q Yes	. ● No
If Yes, you will need to submit a Flood Risk Assessment to consider the risk to the proposed site.		
Is your proposal within 20 metres of a watercourse (e.g. river, stream or beck)?	Q Yes	No
Will the proposal increase the flood risk elsewhere?	Q Yes	No
How will surface water be disposed of?		
Sustainable drainage system		
Existing water course		
Soakaway		
Main sewer		
Pond/lake		

#### 12. Biodiversity and Geological Conservation

Is there a reasonable likelihood of the following being affected adversely or conserved and enhanced within the application site, or on land adjacent to or near the application site?

To assist in answering this question correctly, please refer to the help text which provides guidance on determining if any important biodiversity or geological conservation features may be present or nearby; and whether they are likely to be affected by the proposals.

a) Protected and priority species:

Yes, on the development site

Yes, on land adjacent to or near the proposed development

🖲 No

b) Designated sites, important habitats or other biodiversity features:

Yes, on the development site

 $\hfill \bigcirc$  Yes, on land adjacent to or near the proposed development

🖲 No

c) Features of geological conservation importance:

Yes, on the development site

Yes, on land adjacent to or near the proposed development

🖲 No

13. Foul Sewage							
Please state how foul sewage is to be disposed of:							
Mains Sewer							
Septic Tank							
Cess Pit							
Other							
Unknown							
Are you proposing to connect to the existing d	rainage system?			1	Yes	⊇No ⊇l	Unknown
If Yes, please include the details of the existin	g system on the ap	plication drawings.	Please state the pla	an(s)/drawing(s) ref	erences.		
K8379-100 Indicative Drainage Layout and Le	vel Information						
14. Waste Storage and Collection							
Do the plans incorporate areas to store and ai	d the collection of v	waste?		ſ	Yes	Q No	
If Yes, please provide details:							
Bin stores are to be located in rear gardens, a	Il rear gardens hav	e clear points of acr	cess.				
Refer to 202 - Site Plan for further detail.							
Have arrangements been made for the separa	ate storage and coll	ection of recyclable	∍ waste?	1	Yes	🔍 No	
If Yes, please provide details:							
Bin stores are to be located in rear gardens, a	Il rear gardens hav	e clear points of acr	cess.				
Refer to 202 - Site Plan for further detail.							
15. Trade Effluent	15. Trade Effluent						
Does the proposal involve the need to dispose of trade effluents or trade waste?							
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16. Residential/Dwelling Units Please note: This question has been update	ed to include the l	atest information	requirements spec	rified by governme	ont		
Applications created before 23 May 2020 with	Il not have been u	ipdated, please rea	ad the 'Help' to see	e details of how to	workar	ound this	issue.
Does your proposal include the gain, loss or c	hange of use of res	sidential units?		,	Yes	Q No	
Please select the proposed housing categorie	s that are relevant	to your proposal.					
Market Housing		•					
Social, Affordable or Intermediate Rent	Social, Affordable or Intermediate Rent						
Affordable Home Ownership							
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Starter Homes							
Starter Homes	<sup>2</sup> roposed' residenti	al units					
Starter Homes	-	al units					
Starter Homes Self-build and Custom Build Add 'Social, Affordable or Intermediate Rent -	-						
Starter Homes Self-build and Custom Build Add 'Social, Affordable or Intermediate Rent -	Proposed		3	4+	Unknow	  vn	Total

Please select the existing housing categories that are relevant to your proposal.

Houses

Total

16. Residential/Dwelling Units		
Market Housing Social, Affordable or Intermediate Rent Affordable Home Ownership Starter Homes Self-build and Custom Build		
Total proposed residential units	14	
Total existing residential units	0	
Total net gain or loss of residential units	14	
17. All Types of Development: Non-F	Residential Floorspace	
Does your proposal involve the loss, gain or change of use of non-residential floorspace? Note that 'non-residential' in this context covers all uses except Use Class C3 Dwellinghouses.		
18. Employment		
Are there any existing employees on the site or will the proposed development increase or decrease the number of employees?		
19. Hours of Opening		
Are Hours of Opening relevant to this proposal?		⊖ Yes    ● No
20. Industrial or Commercial Process	ses and Machinery	

If this is a landfill application you will need to provide further information before your application can be det should make it clear what information it requires on its website	ermined. You	r waste planning authority
Is the proposal for a waste management development?	Q Yes	No
Does this proposal involve the carrying out of industrial or commercial activities and processes?	Q Yes	No

21. Hazardous Substances		
Does the proposal involve the use or storage of any hazardous substances?	Q Yes	. ● No
22. Site Visit		
Can the site be seen from a public road, public footpath, bridleway or other public land?	Yes	O No

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

The agent

The applicant

Other person

#### 23. Pre-application Advice

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

🖲 Yes 🛛 🔍 No

If Yes, please complete the following information about the advice you were given (this will help the authority to deal with this application	on more
efficiently):	

## Officer name:

Title

# 23. Pre-application Advice

First name		
Surname		
Reference		
Date (Must be pre-application submission)		
04/05/2021		

Details of the pre-application advice received

04/05/21 - Initial pre-application discussion with Nick Hayhurst and Sarah Papaleo from Copeland Borough Council. Home group presented the site analysis and general principles of design, development, massing, parking, and materials. Feedback was supportive of principle.

27/05/21 - Discussion regarding highways and the car parking strategy with Michael D. Robinson from Cumbria County Council. Home group presented 3 options with varying amounts of parking: option 1 - 2 parking spaces per dwelling, option 2 - 1.5 parking spaces per dwelling, option 3 - 1 parking space per dwelling. Observations were made of the over spill car park to the north west (hosting 18 parking bays), showing that it was not well used further supporting the proposal of lowering the car parking requirement and making the most of existing infrastructure in order to create a more desirable development. It was also noted that the development will remain private and is not being adopted. It was agreed that option 2 was the preferred option, providing 1.5 spaces per dwelling (21 in total) and 3 additional visitor parking spaces.

14/06/21 - Email correspondence with Nick Hayhurst, Home Group provided with a validation checklist.

06/07/21 - Home Group contacted Nick Hayhurst for further feedback on elevations and material choices. Providing up to date floor plans, elevations, suggested materials and proposed rendered elevations.

12/07/21 - Email correspondence from Copeland Borough Council with Home Group showing general support of the approach, minor revision may be required but would be dealt with during the determination period.

#### 24. 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.

🔾 Yes 🛛 💿 No

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?

#### 25. Ownership Certificates and Agricultural Land Declaration

CERTIFICATE OF OWNERSHIP - CERTIFICATE A - Town and Country Planning (Development Management Procedure) (England) Order 2015 Certificate under Article 14

I certify/The applicant certifies that on the day 21 days before the date of this application nobody except myself/the applicant was the owner\* of any part of the land or building to which the application relates, and that none of the land to which the application relates is, or is part of, an agricultural holding\*\*

\* 'owner' is a person with a freehold interest or leasehold interest with at least 7 years left to run. \*\* 'agricultural holding' has the meaning given by reference to the definition of 'agricultural tenant' in section 65(8) of the Act.

NOTE: You should sign Certificate B, C or D, as appropriate, if you are the sole owner of the land or building to which the application relates but the land is, or is part of, an agricultural holding.

Person role

The applicant

The agent

Title	Mr
First name	David
Surname	Mitchell
Declaration date (DD/MM/YYYY)	16/07/2021

Declaration made

# 26. Declaration

I/we hereby apply for planning permission/consent as described in this form 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.