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Application for Planning Permission

Town and Country Planning Act 1990 (as amended)

Publication of applications on planning authority websites

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.

Site Location	
Disclaimer: We can only make recon	mendations based on the answers given in the questions.
If you cannot provide a postcode, the help locate the site - for example "field	description of site location must be completed. Please provide the most accurate site description you can, to to the North of the Post Office".
Number	
Suffix	
Property Name	
Pears House	
Address Line 1	
Duke Street	
Address Line 2	
Address Line 3	
Cumbria	
Town/city	
Whitehaven	
Postcode	
CA28 7HR	
Description of site locatio	n must be completed if postcode is not known:
Easting (x)	Northing (y)
297337	518359

Applicant Details
Name/Company
Title
Messrs
First name
Surname
Kaalkan
Company Name
Address
Address line 1
Units 1 & 2
Address line 2
Pears House Duke Street
Address line 3
Town/City
Whitehaven
County
Cumbria
Country
Postcode
CA28 7HR
Are you an agent acting on behalf of the applicant?
⊙ Yes
○ No
Contact Details
Primary number
***** REDACTED *****

Secondary number	
Fax number	
Email address	
***** REDACTED *****	
Agent Details	
Name/Company	
Title	
Mr	
First name	
Geoffrey	
Surname	
Wallace	
Company Name	
Geoffrey Wallace Limited	
Address	
Address line 1	
11 St Bridget's Close	
Address line 2	
Brigham	
Address line 3	
Cockermouth	
Town/City	
County	
Country	
United Kingdom	
Postcode	
CA13 0DJ	

Contact Details
Primary number
***** REDACTED *****
Secondary number
ax number
Email address
***** REDACTED *****
Site Area
What is the measurement of the site area? (numeric characters only).
252.00
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Sq. metres
Description of the Proposal
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 Fire Statements - From 1 August 2021, planning applications for buildings of over 18 metres (or 7 stories) tall containing more than one dwelling will require a 'Fire Statement' for the application to be considered valid. There are some exemptions. View government planning guidance on fire statements or access the fire statement template and guidance. Permission In Principle - 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. Public Service Infrastructure - From 1 August 2021, applications for certain public service infrastructure developments will be eligible for
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Is the site currently vacant?
○ Yes⊙ No
Does the proposal involve any of the following? If Yes, you will need to submit an appropriate contamination assessment with your application.
Land which is known to be contaminated
○ Yes ⊙ No
Land where contamination is suspected for all or part of the site
○ Yes⊙ No
A proposed use that would be particularly vulnerable to the presence of contamination
○ Yes ⊙ No
Materials
Does the proposed development require any materials to be used externally?
Please provide a description of existing and proposed materials and finishes to be used externally (including type, colour and name for each material)
Type: Windows
Existing materials and finishes: Aluminium framed double glazed windows
Proposed materials and finishes: One window on the south elevation is to be blocked up with timber or mineral fibre cladding boards, stained to match existing window frame colour, with café signage overlay
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
22-0356-8 Proposed side elevation
Pedestrian and Vehicle Access, Roads and Rights of Way
Is a new or altered vehicular access proposed to or from the public highway?
○ Yes ⊙ No
Is a new or altered pedestrian access proposed to or from the public highway?
○ Yes⊙ No

Are there any new public roads to be provided within the site? Or Yes
⊙ No
Are there any new public rights of way to be provided within or adjacent to the site? ○ Yes ○ No
Do the proposals require any diversions/extinguishments and/or creation of rights of way? ○ Yes ○ No
Vehicle Parking
Does the site have any existing vehicle/cycle parking spaces or will the proposed development add/remove any parking spaces? ○ Yes ○ No
Trees and Hedges
Are there trees or hedges on the proposed development site?
○ 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 the local planning authority. If a tree survey is required, this and the accompanying plan should be submitted alongside the application. The 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'.
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.) Ores No
Is your proposal within 20 metres of a watercourse (e.g. river, stream or beck)? ○ Yes ⊙ No
Will the proposal increase the flood risk elsewhere?
○ Yes ⊙ No
How will surface water be disposed of?
☐ Sustainable drainage system
☐ Existing water course

∐ Soakaway
☑ Main sewer
☐ Pond/lake
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○ 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 development② No
Supporting information requirements
Where a development proposal is likely to affect features of biodiversity or geological conservation interest, you will need to submit, with the application, sufficient information and assessments to allow the local planning authority to determine the proposal.
Failure to submit all information required will result in your application being deemed invalid. It will not be considered valid until all information required by the local planning authority has been submitted.
Your local planning authority will be able to advise on the content of any assessments that may be required.
Foul Sewage
Please state how foul sewage is to be disposed of:
 ✓ Mains sewer ☐ Septic tank ☐ Package treatment plant ☐ Cess pit ☐ Other ☐ Unknown
Are you proposing to connect to the existing drainage system?
○ Yes⊙ No○ Unknown

Waste Storage and Collection
Do the plans incorporate areas to store and aid the collection of waste? ○ Yes ⊙ No
Have arrangements been made for the separate storage and collection of recyclable waste? ○ Yes ○ No
Trade Effluent
Does the proposal involve the need to dispose of trade effluents or trade waste? ○ Yes ⊙ No
Residential/Dwelling Units Does your proposal include the gain, loss or change of use of residential units? ○ Yes ○ No
All Types of Development: Non-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. ○ Yes ○ No
Employment Are there any existing employees on the site or will the proposed development increase or decrease the number of employees? ○ Yes ⊙ No
Hours of Opening Are Hours of Opening relevant to this proposal?
Please add details of the Use Classes and hours of opening for each non-residential use proposed. Following changes to Use Classes on 1 September 2020: The list includes the now revoked Use Classes A1-5, B1, and D1-2 that should not be used in most cases. Also, the list does not include the newly introduced Use Classes E and F1-2. To provide details in relation to these or any 'Sui Generis' use, select 'Other' and specify the use where prompted. Multiple 'Other' options can be added to cover each individual use. View further information on Use Classes.

if you do not know the nours of opening, select the Use Class and tick Unknown
Use Class: E - Commercial, Business and Service
Unknown: No
Monday to Friday:
Start Time: 08:00
End Time: 00:00
Saturday:
Start Time: 08:00
End Time: 00:00
Sunday / Bank Holiday:
Start Time: 10:00
End Time: 00:00
Industrial or Commercial Processes and Machinery Does this proposal involve the carrying out of industrial or commercial activities and processes? O Yes
⊗ No
Is the proposal for a waste management development? ○ Yes ⊙ No
Hazardous Substances
Does the proposal involve the use or storage of Hazardous Substances?
○ Yes ⊙ No
Site Visit
Can the site be seen from a public road, public footpath, bridleway or other public land?
✓ Yes○ No
If the planning authority needs to make an appointment to carry out a site visit, whom should they contact?
○ The agent② The applicant○ Other person

Pre-application Advice	
Has assistance or prior advice been sought from the local authority about this application?	
○ No	
If Yes, please complete the following information about the advice you were given (this will hell more efficiently):	lp the authority to deal with this application
Officer name:	
Title	
First Name	
***** REDACTED *****	
Surname	
***** REDACTED *****	
Reference	
Date (must be pre-application submission)	
22/03/2023	
Details of the pre-application advice received	
Advice requested on the type of application required	
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.	
For the purposes of this question, "related to" means related, by birth or otherwise, closely enough the considered the facts, would conclude that there was bias on the part of the decision-maker in the Local	
Do any of the above statements apply?	
Do any of the above statements apply? ○ Yes ⊙ No	

Ownership Certificates and Agricultural Land Declaration
Certificates under Article 14 - Town and Country Planning (Development Management Procedure) (England) Order 2015 (as amended)
Please answer the following questions to determine which Certificate of Ownership you need to complete: A, B, C or D.
Is the applicant the sole owner of all the land to which this application relates; and has the applicant been the sole owner for more than 21 days? Yes No
Is any of the land to which the application relates part of an Agricultural Holding? ○ Yes ⊙ No
Certificate Of Ownership - Certificate A
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
Geoffrey
Surname
Wallace
Declaration Date
23/03/2023
✓ Declaration made
Declaration
I / We hereby apply for Full planning permission as described in this form and 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 options of the persons giving them. I / We also accept that: Once submitted, this information will be transmitted to the Local Planning Authority and, once validated by them, be made available as part of a public register and on the authority's website; our system will automatically generate and send you emails in regard to the submission of this application.
✓ I / We agree to the outlined declaration

Signed	
Geoffrey Wallace	
Date	
23/03/2023	