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## ENFORCEMENT NOTICE

### OPERATIONAL DEVELOPMENT

The Town and Country Planning Act 1990 (as amended)

**ISSUED BY THE CITY AND COUNTY OF SWANSEA (“The Council”)**

**COUNCIL REFERENCE ENF2024/0080**

1. **THIS NOTICE** is issued by the Council because it appears to them that there has been a breach of planning control under Section 171A(1)(a) of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 at the land described below. They consider that it is expedient to issue this Notice having regard to the provisions of the development plan and all other material planning considerations. The **annex** at the end of the Notice contains important additional information.

#### 2. THE LAND TO WHICH THIS NOTICE RELATES

Land at Sketty Mosque And Muslim Community Centre Sketty Park Road Sketty Swansea SA2 9AS in the City and County of Swansea (“the Land”), shown edged red on the plan appended hereto (“the Plan”).

#### 3. THE MATTERS WHICH APPEAR TO CONSTITUTE THE BREACH OF PLANNING CONTROL

Without planning permission, the erection of an unauthorised front boundary hoarding.

#### 4. REASONS FOR ISSUING THIS NOTICE

It appears to the Council that the above breach of planning control has occurred within the last four years.

The unauthorised front boundary hoarding, by virtue of its excessive scale, prominent siting and the inappropriate design and nature of the materials used is considered to represent an incongruous and unsightly form of development which fails to respect the character and appearance of the host property and the visual amenities of the street scene and wider area contrary to the provisions of Policy PS2 of the Swansea Local Development Plan 2010 -2025.

The unauthorised front boundary hoarding, given its inappropriate design and siting in close proximity to the existing pedestrian footpath, together with the intensification of the use of the site with increased vehicle movements and lack of visibility will have a detrimental impact upon highway safety for pedestrians passing the site, contrary to Policies PS 2 and T 5 of the Swansea Local Development Plan 2010-2025.

## 5. WHAT YOU ARE REQUIRED TO DO

- (i) Remove the hoarding from the front boundary of the property known as Sketty Mosque and Muslim Community Centre the approximate location of which is marked in green on the attached plan (Appendix 1) between points A and B.
- (ii) Remove all waste arising from the activity specified in requirement (i) from the land.

## 6. TIME FOR COMPLIANCE

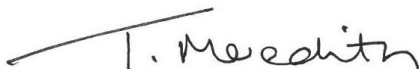
7 days (1 Week), beginning with the day on which this notice takes effect.

## 7. WHEN THIS NOTICE TAKES EFFECT

This Notice takes effect on the 10<sup>th</sup> May 2024, unless an appeal is made against it before that date.

Dated: 11<sup>th</sup> April 2024

Signed:



Designation: **Chief Legal Officer**  
**The Council's Authorised Officer**

Address to which all communication should be sent:

**Phil Holmes**  
**Head of Planning and City Regeneration**  
**City and County of Swansea**  
**Civic Centre**  
**Oystermouth Road**  
**Swansea**  
**SA1 3SN**

# ANNEX

## YOUR RIGHT OF APPEAL

You can appeal against this Notice, but any appeal must be received, or posted in time to be received, by the Planning and Environment Decisions Wales appointed by the Welsh Government before the date specified in paragraph 7 of the Notice. The below information provides advice on how to appeal. Please read the information carefully along with the relevant appeal form.

## HOW TO APPEAL

The Planning and Environment Decisions Wales has produced a booklet on “Making your Enforcement Appeal”. You can access a PDF version of the booklet from the Planning and Environment Decisions Wales website to print

<http://gov.wales/topics/planning/appeals/appeal-guidance-and-information/enforcement-appeals/?lang=en>

Appeal forms can be obtained from the Planning and Environment Decisions Wales.

Address : Planning and Environment Decisions Wales  
2<sup>nd</sup> Floor West  
Crown Buildings  
Cathays Park  
Cardiff  
CF10 3NQ

Telephone : Telephone: 0300 060 4400

E-mail : [PEDW.Casework@gov.wales](mailto:PEDW.Casework@gov.wales)

or downloaded from the following website:

[Planning appeal forms | GOV.WALES](#)

If you decide to appeal you should send a copy of the appeal form together with a copy of the Enforcement Notice to both the Planning and Environment Decisions Wales and the Council.

## ENFORCEMENT NOTICE APPEAL FEES

Should you choose to appeal this Notice on the grounds that planning permission should be granted for what is alleged in the Notice (Ground a) you are required to pay a fee to the Local Planning Authority. The fee payable in this instance is **£460**. Payments can be made to the City & County of Swansea Council, Planning Control, Civic Centre, Oystermouth Road, Swansea SA1 3SN quoting the reference number as specified on the Enforcement Notice.

## WHAT HAPPENS IF YOU DO NOT APPEAL

If you do not appeal against this Enforcement Notice, it will take effect on the date specified in paragraph 7 of the Notice and you must then ensure that the required steps for complying with it, for which you may be held responsible, are taken within the period(s) specified in paragraph 6 of the Notice. Failure to comply with the Enforcement Notice which has taken effect can result in prosecution and/or remedial action by the Council.

### **PLEASE NOTE**

If you need any independent advice about this Notice you are advised to contact a lawyer, planning consultant or other professional advisor specialising in planning matters.

### **PERSONS TO WHOM THIS ENFORCEMENT NOTICE HAS BEEN SERVED**

In accordance with Section 172(2) of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 (as amended) this Notice has been served on:

1. Trustees, Sketty Mosque And Muslim Community Centre, Sketty Park Road, Swansea Sketty, SA2 9AS
  2. Dr Parviz Ali by email
  3. Trustees of The Welsh Islamic Cultural Association Swansea. 85 Gabalfa Road, Sketty, Swansea SA2 8ND
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# Plan

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Organisation	City & County of Swansea
Department	Department
Comments	Not Set
Date	03/04/2024
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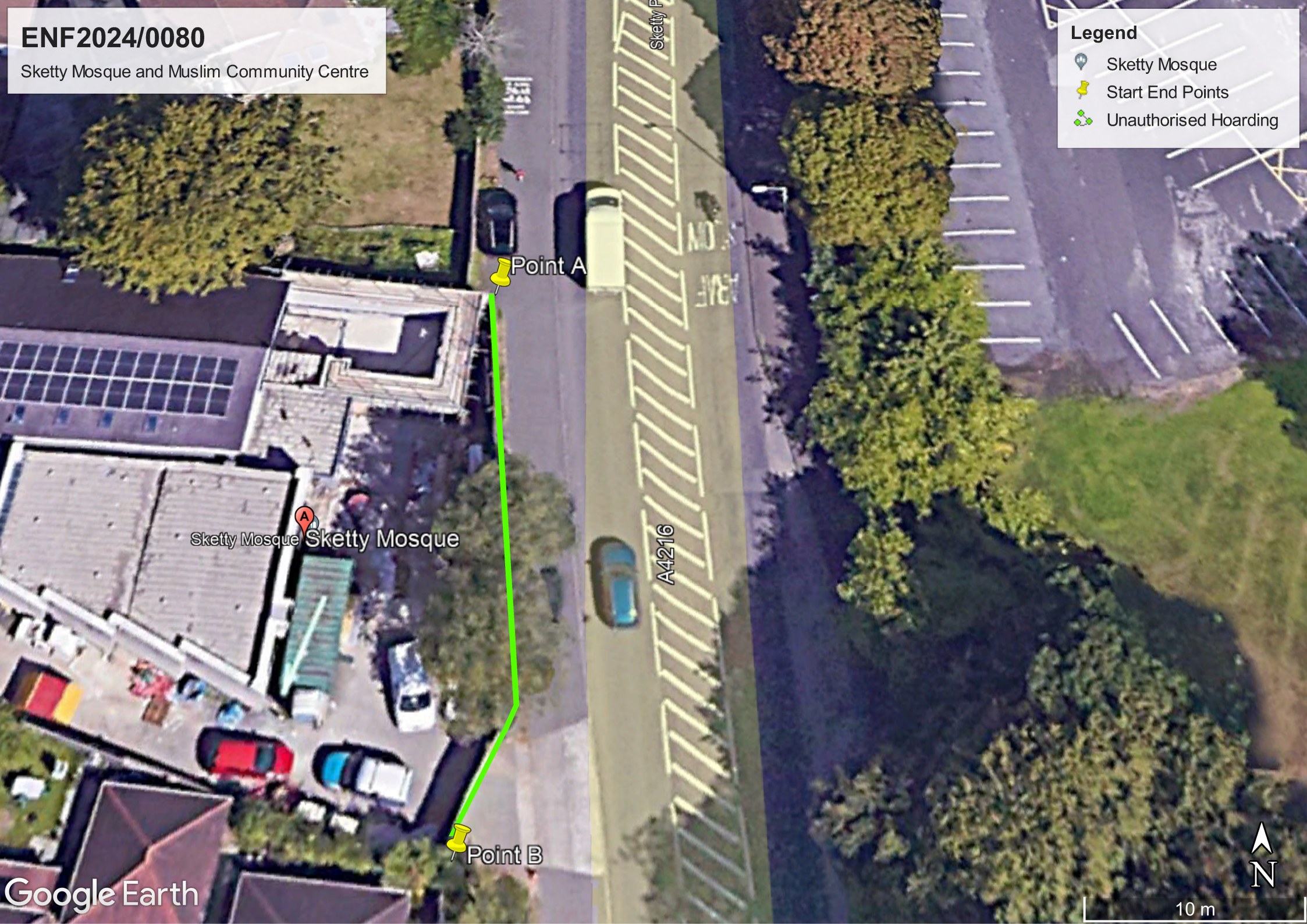
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Sketty Mosque and Muslim Community Centre

Legend

-  Sketty Mosque
-  Start End Points
-  Unauthorised Hoarding



Sketty Mosque

Point A

Point B

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