IMPORTANT - THIS COMMUNICATION AFFECTS YOUR PROPERTY

ENFORCEMENT NOTICE



MATERIAL CHANGE OF USE

The Town and Country Planning Act 1990 (as amended)

ISSUED BY THE CITY AND COUNTY OF SWANSEA ("The Council") COUNCIL REFERENCE ENF2021/0285

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 576 Mumbles Road Mumbles Swansea SA3 4DL 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 unauthorised change of use from a residential dwelling to Commercial Leisure Accommodation

4. REASONS FOR ISSUING THIS NOTICE

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

The primary use of the property is no longer as a single dwelling house. The absence of a dining room and the creation of a functioning bar area, associated with an increase in use by groups of individuals is considered to give rise to a material change in the character of the dwelling.

The use of the building as commercial leisure accommodation has given rise to an adverse impact upon the residential amenities of adjoining occupiers, caused by noise and disturbance from activities at the property. The development is therefore contrary to the provisions of Policy PS2 of the City and County of Swansea Local Development Plan 2019..

5. WHAT YOU ARE REQUIRED TO DO

- i) Cease the use of the building as commercial leisure accommodation
- ii) Remove all fixtures and fittings associated with the bar area.

6. TIME FOR COMPLIANCE

- i) One month beginning with the day on which this notice takes effect
- ii) Four months beginning with the day on which this notice takes effect.

7. WHEN THIS NOTICE TAKES EFFECT

This Notice takes effect on the 28th April 2022, unless an appeal is made against it before that date.

Dated: 29th March 2022

Signed:

Designation: Chief Legal Officer
The Council's Authorised Officer

Address to which all communication should be sent:

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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 <u>before</u> 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

2nd Floor West Crown Buildings Cathays Park

Cardiff CF10 3NQ

Telephone: Telephone: 0300 060 4400 E-mail: PEDW.Casework@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 []. 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. Mr Michael Border 31 Overnhill Road, Downend, Bristol BS16 5DS
- 2. TIFA Investments Ltd. 31 Overnhill Road, Bristol BS16 5DS
- 3. Cumberland Building Society, Cumberland House, Cooper Way, Parkhouse, Carlisle CA3 0JF
- 4. Owner/Occupier 576 Mumbles Road Mumbles Swansea SA3 4DL

"The Plan"

"The Land"



