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Application for a Lawful Development Certificate for an Existing use or operation or activity including those in breach of a planning condition.

Town and Country Planning Act 1990: Section 191 as amended by section 10 of the Planning and Compensation Act 1991.

Town and Country Planning (Development Management Procedure) (England) Order 2015

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.

1. Site Address

Number	
Suffix	
Property name	Crow Hill
Address line 1	Carrs Road
Address line 2	Marsden
Address line 3	
Town/city	Huddersfield
Postcode	HD7 6JH

Description of site location must be completed if postcode is not known:

Easting (x)	405314
Northing (y)	411493

Description	
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2. Applicant Details

Title	Mrs
First name	Eve
Surname	Wood
Company name	
Address line 1	Crow Hill, Carrs Road
Address line 2	Marsden
Address line 3	

2. Applicant Details

Town/city	Huddersfield
Country	
Postcode	HD7 6JH

Are you an agent acting on behalf of the applicant? ☐ Yes ☒ No

Primary number	
Secondary number	
Fax number	
Email address	

3. Agent Details

No Agent details were submitted for this application

4. Description of Use, Building Works or Activity

Please indicate why you are applying for a lawful development certificate

- ☐ An existing use
- ☒ Existing building works
- ☐ An existing use, building work or activity in breach of a condition

Being a use, building works or activity which is still going on at the date of this application

5. Description of Existing Use, Building Works or Activity

Please fully describe each existing use, building works or activity for which you want the lawful development certificate. Where appropriate, show to which part of the land each use, building works or activity relates

Home office and garden storage timber building. Crow Hill is a Victorian property with extensive gardens and is the base for the tourism business at Crow Hill. We work from home and require office space, which is particularly important in view of the current Covid-19 situation. Crow Hill was originally developed without any garages or dedicated storage buildings. The business would not be able to function without the office and storage base that this building allows. The building is located within the garden curtilage, easily accessed and has no impact on the setting of Crow Hill or the surrounding area. The building has been in use for over 7 years and replaced an existing timber building which was in position from 1998.

6. Grounds for application of a Lawful Development Certificate

Under what grounds is the certificate being sought

- ☐ The use began more than 10 years before the date of this application
- ☐ The use, building works or activity in breach of condition began more than 10 years before the date of this application
- ☐ The use began within the last 10 years, as a result of a change of use not requiring planning permission, and there has not been a change of use requiring planning permission in the last 10 years
- ☒ The building works (for instance, building or engineering works) were substantially completed more than four years before the date of this application.
- ☐ The use as a single dwelling house began more than four years before the date of this application
- ☐ Other - please specify (this might include claims that the change of use or building work was not development, or that it benefited from planning permission granted under the Act or by the General Permitted Development Order).

Is the certificate being sought for a use, operation, or activity in breach of a condition or limitation?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Please state why a Lawful Development Certificate should be granted

The building has been in use for over 7 years and replaced a building which had been in position since 1998 which had become dilapidated and unsafe. It is a home office which enables a successful tourism business to operate, employing local people and encouraging sustainable growth of the local economy, particularly relevant in these unprecedented times. It is a timber building, which by its very nature, creates a low impact on the environment. It is a well maintained and attractive building, which sits well in its wooded location. It is subservient to the much larger and dominant stone buildings on the site.

7. Information in support of a Lawful Development Certificate

When was the use or activity begun, or the building works substantially completed (date must be pre-application submission)?

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06/05/2013

In the case of an existing use or activity in breach of conditions has there been any interruption? ☐ Yes ☒ No

In the case of an existing use of land, has there been any material change of use of the land since the start of the use for which a certificate is sought? ☐ Yes ☒ No

Residential Information

Does the application for a certificate relate to a residential use where the number of residential units has changed? ☐ Yes ☒ No

8. 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 agent
☒ The applicant
☐ Other person

9. Pre-application Advice

Has assistance or prior advice been sought from the local authority about this application? ☐ Yes ☒ No

10. Interest in the Land

Please state the applicant's interest in the land

- ☒ Owner
☐ Lessee
☐ Occupier
☐ Other

11. 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?

12. Declaration

I/we hereby apply for a Lawful Development Certificate 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. ☒

Date (cannot be pre-application) 15/09/2020