

APP/15/01329 | Proposed first floor side and rear extensions and single storey rear extension. | 37 Florentine Way, Waterlooville, PO7 8JU 15.2147

Thank you for forwarding photographs of this site. Whilst not of the best quality, I am content to state that the dwelling appears to be in generally sound condition and does not exhibit any obvious features likely to provide bat access. On that basis, and mindful of the issues I raised in my initial consultation response, if you are minded to grant permission can I suggest that an informative note be added to any permission reminding the applicant of their responsibilities to ensure that ecological impacts are avoided.

Bats and their roosts are protected under the Conservation of Habitats and Species Regulations 2010. All work must stop immediately if bats, or evidence of bat presence (e.g. droppings, bat carcasses or insect remains), are encountered at any point during building works - should this occur, further advice should be sought from Natural England and/or a professional ecologist.

If you have any queries please don't hesitate to contact me.

Kind regards,

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