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For attention of Ms Pickup

Dear Madam

Re: APP/25/01015 At 212-218 London Road, Waterlooville, PO7 7AJ

Part retention of ground floor commercial unit (Class E); conversion of remainder of ground floor and first floor to form 8 x 1 bed flats (Class C3); construction of 2nd floor with recessed 3rd floor mansard roof to form 12 bed Shared Living Property (HMO - Sui Generis); with associated parking, refuse and landscaping

Thank you for your consultation on the above application. The proposal comprises the partial retention of the existing commercial unit and the conversion of the remaining ground-floor space and first floor to create eight one-bedroom flats, together with the construction of a new second floor and recessed mansard roof to form a 12-bedroom shared living property. Access will continue to be taken from the existing dropped-kerb access onto the A3 London Road, south of the Forest End Roundabout.

Existing Conditions

The site is located immediately south of central Waterlooville. The surrounding highway network comprises the A3 London Road, Rockville Drive and Maurepas Way. Continuous footways are present on both sides of these routes, and bus stops are located adjacent to the site. The site benefits from access to frequent bus services, pedestrian and cycle infrastructure, and proximity to local facilities and services.

Trip Generation and Impact Assessment

The Design & Access Statement (November 2025) makes reference to general traffic generation, but the application does not include a comparative trip-generation assessment. The applicant should provide a quantifiable

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assessment of both the extant commercial use and the proposed residential and shared-living uses. This information is required to identify the net change in vehicle movements and to determine whether the continued use of the existing access would result in a material increase in traffic.

Car Parking

Given the scale and conversion of use the Planning Authority, as local parking authority, will need to be satisfied that there is adequate parking available having regards to Adopted Parking Policy and Standards document.

Recommendation

The Highway Authority requires further information before being in a position to make a positive recommendation.

Yours faithfully,

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