



TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING (GENERAL PERMITTED DEVELOPMENT) ORDER 1995 AS AMENDED

NOTICE PURSUANT TO ARTICLE 5(1) OF THE MAKING OF AN ARTICLE 4 DIRECTION

Worcester City Council made a direction on 12th February 2013 under article 4(1) of the Town and Country Planning (General Permitted Development) Order 1995 as amended. The direction relates to development consisting of a change of the use of a building to a use falling within Class C4 (houses in multiple occupation) of the Schedule to the Town and Country Planning (Use Classes) Order 1987 from a use falling within Class C3 (dwellinghouses) of that Schedule, and removes permitted development rights for this type of development from the date when the direction comes into force. Planning permission will therefore be required for change of use to Class C4 from Class C3 once the article 4 direction is in force.

The article 4 direction applies to the whole of the Worcester City Council area. A copy of the proposed direction, including a map defining the area covered, can be viewed on the Worcester City Council planning website via www.worcester.gov.uk/planning. Internet access is available at The Hive, The Butts.

Representations may be made concerning the article 4 direction between Friday 8th March 2013 and Friday 19th April 2013. If you wish to make representations please use the online questionnaire at www.worcester.gov.uk/voiceit. If you wish to email specific comments you may do so by email to planning@worcester.gov.uk or by post to Orchard House, Farrier Street, Worcester, WR1 3BB. Any representations must be received by 5pm on Friday 19th April 2013 and include a name and a postal or email address.

The article 4 direction will come into force, subject to confirmation by the City Council, after further consideration by Cabinet.

Dated: Friday 8th March 2013