

**RE: Land on the South Side of Lower Bedfords Road toward junction with  
Straight Road, Harold Hill, Romford**

**IMPORTANT - THIS COMMUNICATION AFFECTS YOUR PROPERTY**

**TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 1990  
(As amended by the Planning and Compensation Act 1991)**

**ENFORCEMENT NOTICE**

- TO:**
1. The Owner of the said land
  2. The Occupier of the said land
  3. Mr Anthony Clarke, Fairhill Rise, Lower Bedford's Road, Romford
  4. Phyllis Dooley, Fairhill Rise, Lower Bedford's Road, Romford
  5. Amanda Dooley, Fairhill Rise, Lower Bedford's Road, Romford

**ISSUED BY:** London Borough of Havering

1. **THIS IS A FORMAL NOTICE** which is issued by the Council because it appears to the Council that there has been a breach of planning control, under Section 171A(1)(a) of the above Act, 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 to other material planning considerations.

2. **THE LAND AFFECTED**

The land at Lower Bedfords Road, Romford shown hatched black on the attached plan.

3. **THE BREACH OF PLANNING CONTROL ALLEGED**

Without planning permission, the carrying out of operational development on the land consisting of earthmoving, excavation and mounding of soil, deposition and redistribution of rubble, building materials, the formation of hardstanding (including loose laid surfaces) and erection of fencing.

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 building in question was substantially completed less than four years ago. The site lies within the approved Green Belt where, with certain exceptions which do not apply in this case, there is a strong presumption against any development. The building appears as an intrusion in this otherwise mainly open rural landscape. It is contrary to development plan policies and harmful to the visual amenities of the area. The Council do not consider that planning permission should be given, because planning conditions could not overcome these problems.

In making its decision to issue this Notice the Council considered that the unauthorised use is contrary to the following policies of the Havering Unitary Development Plan: policies GRB2; ENV1.

**5. WHAT YOU ARE REQUIRED TO DO**

- (i) Stop carrying out earthmoving and excavation and mounding of soil on the land

Time for compliance: 3 months from the effective date of this Notice

- (ii) Stop carrying out deposition and redistribution of rubble and building materials

Time for compliance: 3 months from the effective date of this Notice

- (iii) Stop carrying out formation of hard surfaces including loose laid surfaces

Time for compliance: 3 months from the effective date of this Notice

- (iv) Remove from the land all building materials and rubble arising from compliance with the first requirement above

Time for compliance: 3 months from the effective date of this notice

- (v) Reinstate the land to its former rural condition by reseeding and replanting the affected area with grass and trees

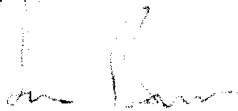
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**6. WHEN THIS NOTICE TAKES EFFECT**

This Notice takes effect on *27<sup>th</sup> February* 2004, unless an appeal is made against it beforehand

Dated: *16<sup>th</sup> January* 2004

Signed:



Authorised Officer

on behalf of London Borough of Havering  
Town Hall  
Main Road  
Romford RM1 3BD

## **YOUR RIGHT OF APPEAL**

You can appeal against this Enforcement Notice to the Secretary of State by the 2004. Further details are given in the attached explanatory note.

## **WHAT HAPPENS IF YOU DO NOT APPEAL**

If you do not appeal against this Enforcement Notice, it will take effect on 27<sup>th</sup> February 2004 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 specified in the Notice.

**FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH AN ENFORCEMENT NOTICE WHICH HAS TAKEN EFFECT CAN RESULT IN PROSECUTION AND/OR REMEDIAL ACTION BY THE COUNCIL.**

## **EXPLANATORY NOTES**

### **STATUTORY PROVISIONS**

A summary of Sections 171A, 171B and 172 to 177 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 (as amended) is enclosed with this Notice.

### **YOUR RIGHT OF APPEAL**

You can appeal against this Notice, but any appeal must be in writing and received, or posted (with the postage paid and properly addressed) in time to be received in the ordinary course of the post, by the Secretary of State before 27<sup>th</sup> February 2004. The enclosed booklet "Enforcement Appeals - A guide to Procedure" sets out your rights. Read it carefully. If you appeal you should use the enclosed appeal forms. Two copies are for you to send to the Secretary of State if you decide to appeal. The other is for you to keep as a duplicate for your own records. You should also send the Secretary of State a copy of the Enforcement Notice.

### **GROUND OF APPEAL**

The grounds of appeal are set out in Section 174 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1991 and are also set out on pages 2 - 5 the enclosed appeal forms.

### **PLANNING APPLICATION FEE**

Should wish to appeal on ground (a) - that planning permission should be granted for the unauthorised development - then a fee of £220 is payable both to the Secretary of State and to the Council. If the fees are not paid then that ground of appeal will not be valid.

### **STATEMENT ON GROUNDS OF APPEAL**

You must submit to the Secretary of State, either when giving notice of appeal or within 14 days from the date on which the Secretary of State sends him a notice so requiring him, a statement in writing specifying the grounds on which you are appealing against the enforcement notice and stating briefly the facts on which you propose to rely in support of

each of those grounds.

**RECIPIENTS OF THE ENFORCEMENT NOTICE**

The names and addresses of all the persons on whom the Enforcement Notice has been served are:

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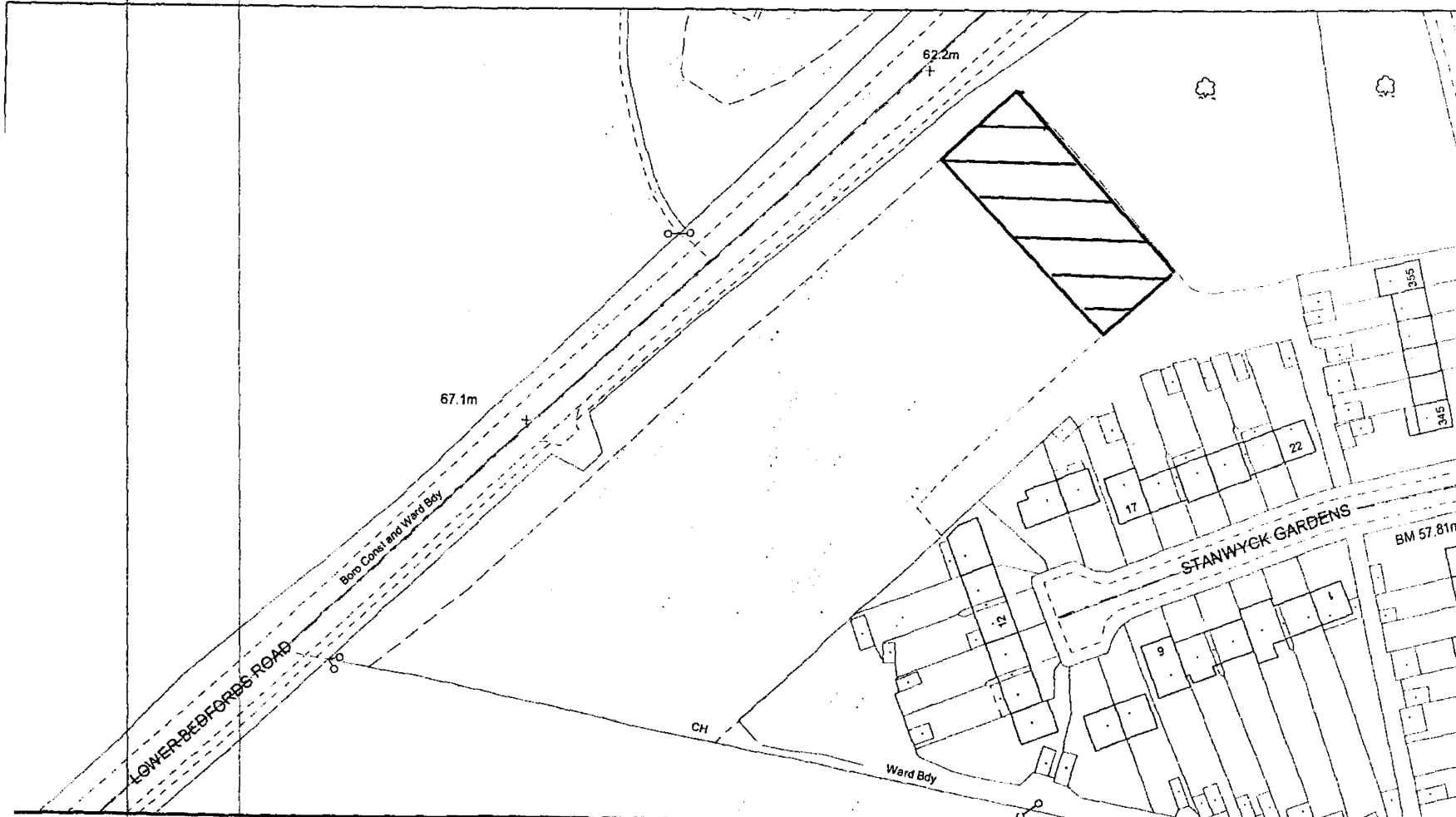
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Neighbour consultation verified as acceptable  
by planning officer