

**FOR ASSISTANCE IN COMPLETING THIS FORM CONTACT**

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Application for a Lawful Development Certificate for a Proposed Use or Development**Town and Country Planning Act 1990 (as amended)****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.

Site Location

Disclaimer: We can only make recommendations based on the answers given in the questions.

If you cannot provide a postcode, the description of site location must be completed. Please provide the most accurate site description you can, to help locate the site - for example "field to the North of the Post Office".

Number	239
Suffix	
Property Name	Bird lth Hand
Address Line 1	Bury And Rochdale Old Road
Address Line 2	
Address Line 3	Rochdale
Town/city	Heywood
Postcode	OL10 4BQ

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

Easting (x)	Northing (y)
384780	412070
Description	

Applicant Details

Name/Company

Title

Mrs

First name

Emma

Surname

Collins

Company Name

Heaton Park View Nursery Limited

Address

Address line 1

315 Middleton Road

Address line 2

Middleton

Address line 3

Town/City

County

Country

Postcode

M24 4GY

Are you an agent acting on behalf of the applicant?

- ☒ Yes
☐ No

Contact Details

Primary number

Secondary number

Fax number

Email address

Agent Details

Name/Company

Title

First name

Surname

Company Name

Address

Address line 1

Address line 2

Address line 3

Town/City

County

Country

Postcode

Contact Details

Primary number

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Secondary number

Fax number

Email address

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Description of Proposal

Does the proposal consist of, or include, the carrying out of building or other operations?

☐ Yes

☒ No

Does the proposal consist of, or include, a change of use of the land or building(s)?

☒ Yes

☐ No

If Yes, please give a full description of the scale and nature of the proposed use, including the processes to be carried out, any machinery to be installed and the hours the proposed use will be carried out

Proposed change of use from Restaurant to children's nursery. Internal alterations only. No external changes.

If Yes, please fully describe the existing or the last known use, with the date when this use ceased

140 cover restaurant.

Has the proposal been started?

☐ Yes

☒ No

Grounds for Application

Information about the existing use(s)

Please explain why you consider the existing or last use of the land is lawful, or why you consider that any existing buildings, which it is proposed to alter or extend are lawful

The proposed change of use, falls within the same planning use class.

Please list the supporting documentary evidence (such as a planning permission) which accompanies this application

Please refer to the drawings nd supporting statement supplied with this application.

Select the use class that relates to the existing or last use.

E(b) - Sale of food and drink for consumption mostly on the premises

Information about the proposed use(s)

Select the use class that relates to the proposed use.

E(f) - Creche, day nursery or day centre - Except where including a residential use

Is the proposed operation or use

- ☒ Permanent
☐ Temporary

Why do you consider that a Lawful Development Certificate should be granted for this proposal?

The proposed nursery use will operate within the parameters of Class E(f).
The change of use results in a reduction in traffic, noise and local impact compared with the existing lawful restaurant use.
The proposal aligns with local and national objectives in relation to childcare provision, sustainable development and community infrastructure

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

Pre-application Advice

Has assistance or prior advice been sought from the local authority about this application?

- ☐ Yes
☒ No

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.

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?

☐ Yes

☒ No

Interest in the Land

Please state the applicant's interest in the land

☒ Owner

☐ Lessee

☐ Occupier

☐ Other

Declaration

I/We hereby apply for Lawful development: Proposed use as described in the questions answered, details provided, 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.

I/We also accept that, in accordance with the Planning Portal's terms and conditions:

- Once submitted, this information will be made available to the Local Planning Authority and, once validated by them, be published as part of a public register and on the authority's website;
- Our system will automatically generate and send you emails in regard to the submission of this application.

☒ I / We agree to the outlined declaration

Signed

Mathew Benson

Date

21/10/2025