

APPLICATION NUMBER: 24/00482/CPL

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Location:	5 Esthwaite Close, Middleton, M24 5AT
Proposal:	Certificate of lawfulness for a proposed single-storey rear extension including insertion of window on east-facing side elevation and installation of chimney/flue.
Applicant:	Mr & Mrs Beata Bednarska
Case Officer:	Bob Melling
Recommendation:	Grant

Location

The application relates to no. 5 Esthwaite Close, a detached property located in Middleton. The dwelling is adjacent to nos. 3 Esthwaite Close, 28 Kirkfell Drive and 30 Kirkfell Drive to the east and no. 7 Esthwaite Close to the west. The rear boundary of the curtilage borders the rear garden of no. 32 Kirkfell Drive.

Description of Proposal

A certificate of lawfulness is sought for a single-storey rear extension which projects 4m from the rear elevation of the host dwelling. It is characterised by a lean-to roof form and has a maximum height of 3.5m and an eaves height of approx. 2.72m.

The submitted plans also indicate the insertion of an obscurely window on the existing east-facing side elevation and the installation of a chimney/flue to the rear.

Is the proposal wholly within the curtilage of the dwellinghouse?	Yes
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Relevant History:

18/01403/REM - Submission of reserved matters pursuant to outline planning permission 15/01195/OUT relating to appearance, landscaping, layout and scale for the erection of 117 dwellings – Approved

Permitted Development Rights removed?	No – see application ref: 18/01430/REM. PD rights removed in respect of side extensions and dormer windows.
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Representations

In accordance with the Council's code for publicity for this type of application, no letters of notification have been issued.

Legislation and Guidance

The Town and Country Planning (General Permitted Development) (England) Order 2015 (as amended).

Permitted development rights for householders – Technical Guidance (September 2019)

Assessment (Class A)

Class A of Part 1 of Schedule 2 of the GPDO allows for the enlargement, improvement or other alteration of a house subject to it not being contrary to any of the following criteria:

- (a) Permission to use the dwellinghouse as a dwelling has not been granted only by virtue of Class M,N,P, PA or Q of Part 3 of the GPDO

☒ **Complies**

☐ **Does Not Comply**

- (b) As a result of the works, the total area of ground covered by buildings within the curtilage of the dwellinghouse (other than the original dwellinghouse) would exceed 50% of the total area of the curtilage (excluding the ground area of the original dwellinghouse).

☒ **Complies**

☐ **Does Not Comply**

- (c) The height of the part of the dwellinghouse enlarged, improved or altered would exceed the height of the highest part of the roof of the existing dwellinghouse.

☒ **Complies**

☐ **Does Not Comply**

- (d) The height of the eaves of the part of the dwellinghouse enlarged, improved or altered would exceed the height of the eaves of the existing dwellinghouse.

☒ **Complies**

☐ **Does Not Comply**

- (e) The enlarged part of the dwellinghouse would extend beyond a wall which -
(i) Forms the principal elevation or
(ii) Fronts a highway and forms a side elevation of the original dwellinghouse.

☒ **Complies**

☐ **Does Not Comply**

- (f) Subject to Paragraph (g), the enlarged part of the dwellinghouse would have a single storey and extend beyond the rear wall of the original dwellinghouse by more than 4 metres in the case of a detached dwellinghouse, or 3 metres in the case of any other dwellinghouse, or exceed 4 metres in height.

☒ **Complies**

☐ **Does Not Comply**

- (g) For a dwellinghouse not on article 2(3) land or a site of special scientific interest, the enlarged part of the dwellinghouse would have a single storey and –

- (i) extend beyond the rear wall of the original dwellinghouse by more than 8 metres in the case of a detached dwellinghouse, or 6 metres in the case of any other dwellinghouse, or
- (ii) exceed 4 metres in height.

☒ **Complies**

☐ **Does Not Comply**

Note – This application does not propose a larger home extension and paragraph (g) is therefore not applicable.

- (h) The enlarged part of the dwellinghouse would have more than a single storey and extend beyond the rear wall of the original dwellinghouse by more than 3 metres, or be within 7 metres of any boundary of the curtilage of the dwellinghouse opposite the rear wall of the dwellinghouse.

☒ **Complies**

☐ **Does Not Comply**

Note – This application does not propose an extension with more than a single storey and paragraph (h) is therefore not applicable.

- (i) The enlarged part of the dwellinghouse would be within 2 metres of the boundary of the curtilage of the dwellinghouse, and the height of the eaves of the enlarged part would exceed 3 metres.

☒ **Complies**

☐ **Does Not Comply**

The height to eaves of the side extension is approx. 2.72m.

- (j) The enlarged part of the dwellinghouse would extend beyond a wall forming a side elevation of the original dwellinghouse, and would exceed 4 metres in height, have more than a single storey or have a width greater than half the width of the original dwellinghouse; or

☒ **Complies**

☐ **Does Not Comply**

- (ja) (any total enlargement (being the enlarged part together with any existing enlargement of the original dwellinghouse to which it will be joined) exceeds or would exceed the limits set out in sub-paragraphs (e) to (j);

☒ **Complies**

☐ **Does Not Comply**

- (k) it would consist of or include

- (i) the construction or provision of a veranda, balcony or raised platform,
- (ii) the installation, alteration or replacement of a microwave antenna,
- (iii) the installation, alteration or replacement of a chimney, flue or soil and vent pipe, or
- (iv) an alteration to any part of the roof of the dwellinghouse

☒ **Complies**

☐ **Does Not Comply**

The plans include the installation of a chimney/flue to the rear. However, this would comply with Class G of the GPDO and is therefore lawful.

(A.2) In the case of a dwellinghouse on article 2(3) land, development is not permitted by Class A if –

- (a) it would consist of or include the cladding of any part of the exterior of the dwellinghouse with stone, artificial stone, pebble dash, render, timber, plastic or tiles;
- (b) the enlarged part of the dwellinghouse would extend beyond a wall forming a side elevation of the original dwellinghouse;
- (c) the enlarged part of the dwellinghouse would have more than a single storey and extend beyond the rear wall of the original dwellinghouse; or
- (ca) any total enlargement (being the enlarged part together with any existing enlargement of the original dwellinghouse to which it will be joined) exceeds or would exceed the limits set out in sub-paragraphs (b) and (c)

☒ **Complies**

☐ **Does Not Comply**

Conditions

Paragraph A.3 of the above order stipulates that development is permitted by Class A subject to the following conditions-

- a. The materials used in any exterior work (other than materials used in the construction of a conservatory) must be of a similar appearance to those used in the construction of the exterior of the existing dwellinghouse;

☒ **Complies**

☐ **Does Not Comply**

☐ **Details not provided**

- b. Any upper-floor window located in a wall or roof slope forming a side elevation of the dwellinghouse must be-
 - i. Obscure-glazed, and
 - ii. Non-opening unless the parts of the window which can be opened are more than 1.7 metres above the floor of the room in which the window is installed; and

☒ **Complies**

☐ Does Not Comply

☐ Details not provided

- c. Where the enlarged part of the dwellinghouse has more than a single storey, the roof pitch of the enlarged part must, so far as practicable, be the same as the roof pitch of the original dwellinghouse.

☒ Complies

☐ Does Not Comply

☐ Details not provided

Recommendation:

The proposal constitutes permitted development by virtue of compliance with the requirements of Schedule 2, Part 1, Class A and G of the Town and Country Planning (General Permitted Development) (England) Order 2015 (as amended).

Notes for applicant:

For the avoidance of doubt, the decision relates to the following drawings:-

- Floor Plan & Elevations as Existing. Drg no. 11058.01.
- Floor Plan & Elevations as Proposed. Drg no. 11058.02. Rev P1.

	Date	Officer
Report Completed	17/06/2024	Signed: BM
Authorisation	10/07/2024	Signed: RC

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