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MEMORANDUM

Our Ref: HMO/LF

Application Ref: HMO07591

Date: 11 March 2025

From: B Carroll

Principal Officer, Housing Intervention & Support Team, NRS

To: G McNaught

Legal Manager (Licensing), Corporate Services

Subject: Consultation: Housing (Scotland) Act 2006

Application for a New House in Multiple Occupation Licence

Applicant: Gordon Robertson Ward: 10

Address: 1130 Argyle Street House Position: 2/1

Recommendation:

The following items be satisfactorily completed prior to the grant of the licence and the under noted conditions would be applicable.

Items for Completion:

Inspection

The premises were inspected on 11 March 2025 in respect of the Council's living standards for houses in multiple occupation. The following matters were directed to the attention of Carolanne Waters of Cairn Letting and also to the applicant by email.

- 1. The house must not be used as a house in multiple occupation until the Licence has been granted by the Licensing & Regulatory Committee.
- 2. The property was satisfactory at the time of inspection and all the certification has been exhibited.

Conditions

- 1. A minimum one (01) suitable bin with lid for storage of refuse produced by the tenants of the house shall be provided at a suitable location with suitable means of access thereto.
- 2. The number of persons to be accommodated within the licensed premises shall not exceed three (03) persons.
- 3. At least once in every five years all electrical systems within the premises shall be examined by a competent person and a certificate provided indicating that all such systems are functioning properly and are safe.
- 4. At least once in every year all portable appliances within the premises provided for the use of the tenants shall be examined by a competent person and certificates provided indicating that all such appliances are functioning properly and are safe.
- 5. At least once a year all gas appliances provided for the use of the tenants must be examined by a competent person (i.e. GAS SAFE REGISTERED ENGINEER) and a certificate provided (i.e. LANDLORDS GAS SAFETY CHECK) indicating that they are functioning properly and are safe. Gas Certificates must be retained for three years and must be submitted when applying for renewal of a licence.

Background Information

Description of Property: Four storey tenement property.

Number of Bedrooms: Three (03)

History of Multiple Occupation: First found to be in multiple occupation on 15 November 2016. The property was previously licensed by the former owner but the new owner failed to lodge the New license application timeously.

Occupied: The property is occupied by three persons on a HMO basis.

History of Complaints: None

Standard of Management: At time of inspection – Satisfactory.

Other Information: The formerly licensed property was previously owned by a limited company of which the current applicant was a Director.