#### **ROSCOMMON COUNTY COUNCIL**

#### PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT ACT, 2000 (as amended)

#### SECTION 5 - DECLARATION ON DEVELOPMENT AND EXEMPTED DEVELOPMENT

#### NOTIFICATION OF DECISION

#### **REGISTERED POST**



Reference Number:	DED 744
Application Received:	19 <sup>th</sup> July 2024
Name of Applicants:	Oisin Fallon
Agent:	James Lohan Consulting Engineers Ltd

WHEREAS a question has arisen as to whether the refurbishment of an existing dwelling house and the construction of a small extension at Corraun, Tarmonbarry, Co. Roscommon, N39 X0F9, is or is not development and is or is not exempted development:

#### AND WHEREAS Roscommon County Council, in considering this application, had regard particularly to:

- (a) Sections 2, 3, 4 and 5 of the Planning and Development Act, 2000, as amended.
- (b) Articles 6 and 9 of the Planning and Development Regulations, 2001, as amended.
- (c) Class 1 of Part 1 Article 6 Schedule 2 of the Planning and Development Regulations, 2001, as amended.
- (d) The record forwarded to Roscommon County Council in accordance with subsection (6)(c) of Section 5 of the Planning and Development Acts 2000 2011.
- (e) The planning history of the site.

#### AND WHEREAS Roscommon County Council has concluded that:

- (a) The works are development.
- (b) Stripping back to original walls is exempted development.
- (c) Strip out floors and ceilings is exempted development.
- (d) Install new ceiling joists and internal stud work, plasterboard and skim is exempted development.
- (e) Re-wire the entire property is exempted development.
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- (g) Install new UPVC windows (white) and doors is exempted development.
- (h) Re-slate the roof is exempted development.
- (i) Second fix carpentry, paint and decorate internally is exempted development.
- (j) Upgrade plumbing/heating system is exempted development.
- (k) Upgrade electrical systems is exempted development.
- (I) Install new floors is exempted development.
- (m) Construct a 23.5sqm extension to the rear is exempted development.
- (n) The proposed development individually and in combination with other plans or projects would not be likely to have a significant effect on any European site and that the requirement for AA or EIAR does not apply with respect to the current case.

#### **NOW THEREFORE:**

By virtue of the powers vested in me by the Local Government Acts 1925 – 2019 and Section 5(2)(a) of the Planning and Development Act 2000 (as amended) and having considered the various submissions and reports in connection with the application described above, it is hereby declared that the said development **to refurbish an existing dwelling house and to construct a small extension at Corraun, Tarmonbarry, Co. Roscommon, N39 X0F9 is development that is <u>exempted development</u> as defined within the Planning and Development Act 2000 (as amended) and associated Regulations.**  Signed on behalf of the Council:

for a

Alan O'Connell, Senior Executive Planner, Planning.

Date: 6<sup>th</sup> September 2024

cc agent via email: James Lohan Consulting Engineers Ltd james@jlce.ie

#### **ADVICE NOTE**

Any person issued with a Declaration under Section 5 of the Planning and Development Act, 2000 (as amended) may, on payment to An Bord Pleanála of the prescribed fee, refer a Declaration for review within 4 weeks of the date of the issuing of the Declaration.

### **Carmel Curley**

From: Sent: To: Subject: Attachments: Carmel Curley Monday 9 September 2024 12:51 James Lohan; Camila Zen DED744 - Oisin Fallon DED744 - Notification of Decision.pdf

A Chara,

Please see attached Notification of Decision for Oisin Fallon DED744 – please note that a hard copy will issue to the applicant.

Regards,

Carmel

Carmel Curley, Assistant Staff Officer, Planning Department, Roscommon County Council, Aras an Chontae, Roscommon, Co. Roscommon, F42 VR98 T: (090) 6637100 Discrete Construction MAP LOCATION Reserve Construction Constru

#### Planner's Report on application under Section 5 of the Planning and Development Acts 2000 (as amended)

Reference Number:	DED 744
Name and Address of Applicant:	Application for a Declaration under Section 5 of the Planning & Development Act, 2000, as amended, regarding Exempted Development - Permission to refurbish existing derelict house and construct a 23.5sqm extension under the Planning & Development Act (Exempted Development) Regulations 2018 at Corraun, Tarmonbarry, County Roscommon
Applicant:	Oisin Fallon
Date:	4 <sup>th</sup> September 2024

WHEREAS a question has arisen as to whether to refurbish an existing derelict house and construct a 23.5sqm extension at Corraun, Tarmonbarry, County Roscommon is or is not development and is or is not exempted development.

I have considered this question, and I have had regard particularly to -

- (a) Sections 2, 3, 4 and 5 of the Planning and Development Act, 2000, as amended
- (b) Articles 6 and 9 of the Planning and Development Regulations, 2001, as amended
- (c) Class 1 of Part 1 Article 6 Schedule 2 of the Planning and Development Regulations, 2001, as amended
- (d) The record forwarded to Roscommon County Council in accordance with subsection (6)(c) of Section 5 of the Planning and Development Acts 2000 2011
- (e) The planning history of the site

#### **Site Location & Development Description**

The existing dwelling house is located in Corraun, Tarmonbarry, County Roscommon and is accessed off the L-1415 Local Primary Road. There are no known heritage related sites/structures in very close proximity to the subject site, as per the Roscommon County Council GIS. The subject site is approximately 2.1km from the Ballykenny-Fisherstown Bog SPA (Site Code: 004 101) and the Lough Forbes Complex SAC (Site Code: 001 818). The proposed development consists of refurbishing the existing derelict house and constructing a 23.5sqm extension.

#### **Planning History**

As per the Roscommon County Council GIS, there is no recent planning history on the subject site.

#### Assessment

In accordance with the Planning and Development Act, 2000 Section 3. (1) development is defined as the following: "In this Act, "development" means, except where the context otherwise requires, the carrying out of any works on, in, over or under land or the making of any material change in the use of any

structures or other land". The proposed development is considered to be the carrying out of works. Works are defined in the Act as; "works" includes any act or operation of construction, excavation, demolition, extension, alteration, repair or renewal and, in relation to a protected structure....". It is considered that said refurbishment of the derelict house and construction of a 23.5sqm extension constitutes development, as defined in Section 3 of the said Act.

The proposed 23.5sqm extension to the rear of the existing house has been considered within the scope of Class 1 of Part 1 of Article 6 - *Exempted Development General* of the Regulations.

#### PART 1 - Article 6 - Exempted Development – General

#### Development within the curtilage of a house

Class 1

The extension of a house, by the construction or erection of an extension (including a conservatory) to the rear of the house or by the conversion for use as part of the house of any garage, store, shed or other similar structure attached to the rear or to the side of the house.

Column 2 - Conditions and Limitations

1. (a) Where the house has not been extended previously, the floor area of any such extension shall not exceed 40 square metres.

(b) Subject to paragraph (a), where the house is terraced or semi-detached, the floor area of any extension above ground level shall not exceed 12 square metres.

(c) Subject to paragraph (a), where the house is detached, the floor area of any extension above ground level shall not exceed 20 square metres.

2. (a) Where the house has been extended previously, the floor area of any such extension, taken together with the floor area of any previous extension or extensions constructed or erected after 1 October 1964, including those for which planning permission has been obtained, shall not exceed 40 square metres.

(b) Subject to paragraph (a), where the house is terraced or semi-detached and has been extended previously, the floor area of any extension above ground level taken together with the floor area of any previous extension or extensions above ground level constructed or erected after 1 October 1964, including those for which planning permission has been obtained, shall not exceed 12 square metres.

(c) Subject to paragraph (a), where the house is detached and has been extended previously, the floor area of any extension above ground level, taken together with the floor area of any previous extension or extensions above ground level constructed or erected after 1 October 1964, including those for which planning permission has been obtained, shall not exceed 20 square metres.

3. Any above ground floor extension shall be a distance of not less than 2 metres from any party boundary.

4. (a) Where the rear wall of the house does not include a gable, the height of the walls of any such extension shall not exceed the height of the rear wall of the house.

(b) Where the rear wall of the house includes a gable, the height of the walls of any such extension shall not exceed the height of the side walls of the house.

(c) The height of the highest part of the roof of any such extension shall not exceed, in the case of a flat roofed extension, the height of the eaves or parapet, as may be appropriate, or, in any other case, shall not exceed the height of the highest part of the roof of the dwelling.

5. The construction or erection of any such extension to the rear of the house shall not reduce the area of private open space, reserved exclusively for the use of the occupants of the house, to the rear of the house to less than 25 square metres.

6. (a) Any window proposed at ground level in any such extension shall not be less than 1 metre from the boundary it faces.

(b) Any window proposed above ground level in any such extension shall not be less than 11 metres from the boundary it faces.

(c) Where the house is detached and the floor area of the extension above ground level exceeds 12 square metres, any window proposed at above ground level shall not be less than 11 metres from the boundary it faces.

7. The roof of any extension shall not be used as a balcony or roof garden.

The stated works for refurbishing the existing house include:

- o Stripping back to original walls
- o Strip out floors and ceilings
- o Install new ceiling joists and internal stud work, plasterboard and skim
- o Re-wire the entire property
- o Re-plumb the entire property
- o Install new UPVC windows (white) and doors
- o Re-slate the roof
- o Second fix carpentry, paint and decorate internally
- o Upgrade plumbing/heating system
- o Upgrade electrical systems
- o Install new floors

These works have considered in the context of Section 4 (1)(h) of the Act, consisting of the carrying out of works for the maintenance, improvement or other alteration of any structure, being works which affect only the interior of the structure or which do not materially affect the external appearance of the structure so as to render the appearance inconsistent with the character of the structure or of neighbouring structures.

The refurbishment of the derelict house and construction of a 23.5sqm extension to the existing dwelling house in this case is considered to be exempted development.

With Regard to Article 9 (1)(a) of the Planning and Development Regulations, it is reasonable to conclude that on the basis of the information available, it is considered that the proposed development individually and in combination with other plans or projects would not be likely to have a significant effect on any European site and that the need for EIA or AA does not apply with respect to the current referral case.

I am satisfied that an Environmental Impact Statement or Appropriate Assessment are not required. It should be noted that any development for which Environmental Impact Assessment or Appropriate Assessment is required shall not be exempted development unless specifically exempted in regulations

where there is provision in other legislation for the carrying out of EIA or AA. In addition, the restrictions on exemption Art 9 (1)(a) (viiB) exclude development which would otherwise be exempted development under these regulations where an AA is required.

#### Recommendation

WHEREAS a question has arisen as to whether to refurbish an existing derelict house and construct a 23.5sqm extension at Corraun, Tarmonbarry, County Roscommon is or is not development and is or is not exempted development.

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#### AND WHEREAS I have concluded that

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- (n) The proposed development individually and in combination with other plans or projects would not be likely to have a significant effect on any European site and that the requirement for AA or EIAR does not apply with respect to the current case.

and I recommend that a declaration to that effect should be issued to the applicant.

Jemper Foy

Signed:

Jennifer Foy Assistant Planner Date: 4th September 2024

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Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Alan O'Connell **Senior Executive Planner** 

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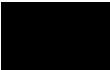
Date: 6<sup>th</sup> September 2024



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**Oisin Fallon**,



 Date:
 23<sup>rd</sup> July 2024

 Planning Reference:
 DED 744

 Re:
 Application for a Declaration under Section 5 of the Planning & Development Act 2000 (as amended), regarding Exempted Development.

 Development:
 Permission to refurbish existing derelict house and construct a small extension under the Planning & Development Act (Exempt Development) Regulations 2018 at Corraun, Tarmonbarry, Co. Roscommon, N39 X0F9.

A Chara,

I wish to acknowledge receipt of your application which was received on the 19<sup>th</sup> July 2024 for a Declaration under Section 5 of the Planning & Development Act 2000 (as amended), regarding Exempted Development along with the appropriate fee in the sum of €80.00, Receipt No. **L01/0/229720** dated 19<sup>th</sup> July 2024, receipt enclosed herewith.

Note: Please note your Planning Reference No. is **DED 744.** This should be quoted in all correspondence and telephone queries.

Mise le meas,

Alan O'Connell, Senior Executive Planner, Planning Department.

cc agent via email:

James Lohan Consulting Engineers Ltd james@jlce.ie





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# **Roscommon County Council**

## Application for a Declaration under Section 5 of the

Planning & Development Act 2000 (as amended), regarding Exempted Development

Name of Applicant(s)	Oisin Fallon James Lohan Consulting Engineers Ltd, Unit 5, Ballypheason house, Circular road, Roscommon Refurbish derelict house and add a small extension under 40 sqm in accordance with the Planning and Development Act (Exempt Development) Regulations 2018, as per the Vacant Property Refurbishment Grant Croí Cónaithe Towns Fund		
Name of Agent			
Nature of Proposed Works Willing SEC			
Location & Address of Subject Property to include, Eircode (where applicable), Townland & O.S No.	Corraun,		
Floor Area: a) Existing Structure b) Proposed Structure	a) <u>84 Sqm</u> b) <u>23.5 Sqm extension</u>		
Height above ground level:	Floor level- between 100mm - 150mm above ground level (Ridge height existing 5.80m above ground level- Ridge height extension 3.00m)		
Total area of private open space remaining after completion of this development			
Roofing Material (Slates, Tiles, other) (Specify)	Existing Slates to roof		
	Proposed new flat roof (23.5 Sqm) at the rear of the building into the new extension		

# **Roscommon County Council**

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Proposed external walling (plaster, stonework, brick or other finish, giving colour)	Nap Plaster to match existing Proposed extension to the rear of the house, under 40 Sqm and lower than the existing building.		
Is proposed works located at front/rear/side of existing house.			
Has an application been made previously for this site			
If yes give ref. number (include full details of existing extension, if any)	N/A		
Existing use of land or structure	Existing Dwelling House		
Proposed use of land or structure	Refurbish House to be lived in by applicants		
Distance of proposed building line from edge of roadway	Existing -5.5m from edge of road		
Does the proposed development involve the provision of a piped water supply	Existing water mains		
Does the proposed development involve the provision of sanitary facilities	Existing Septic Tank and Percolation area		

# Planning & Development Act 2000 (as amended), regarding Exempted Development

Signature:

Date:

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MUN COUNT 19 JUL 2024 Note: This application must be accompanied by: -

- (a) €80 fee
- (b) Site Location map to a scale of 1:2500 clearly identifying the location
- (c) Site Layout plan to the scale of 1:500 indicating exact location of proposed development
- (d) Detailed specification of development proposed

Consulting Engineer Ltd. James Lohan Unit 5. Ballypheason House, Roscommon F42 C982 Circular Road. Ph: 0906634365 Mob: 0878228529

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Planning Dept, Roscommon Co.Co. Aras An Chontae,

Roscommon.

### **Detailed Specification Of The Development Proposed**

#### Ref: Exempt Oisin Fallon for Property at CORRAUN, TARMONBARRY, CO. ROSCOMMON. N39 X0F9

The property is being stripped back to its original walls and will be renovated and put back into use as it was originally a one-bed dwelling house. Additionally, a 23.5 sqm extension will be added to include more space for the kitchen and a second bedroom.

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Planning & Design Consulting Engineers

The works involved are as follows

- 1. Strip out walls, floors, and ceilings.
- 2. Install new ceiling joists and internal stud work, plasterboard, and skim.
- 3. Re-wire the entire property.
- 4. Re-plumb the entire property.
- 5. Install new UPVC windows (white) and doors.
  - 6. Re-slate the roof.
  - 7. Second fix carpentry and paint and decorate internally.
  - 8. Construct a 23.5 Sqm extension to include more space for the kitchen and a second bedroom.
  - 9. Upgrade plumbing/heating system.
  - 10. Upgrade electrical systems.
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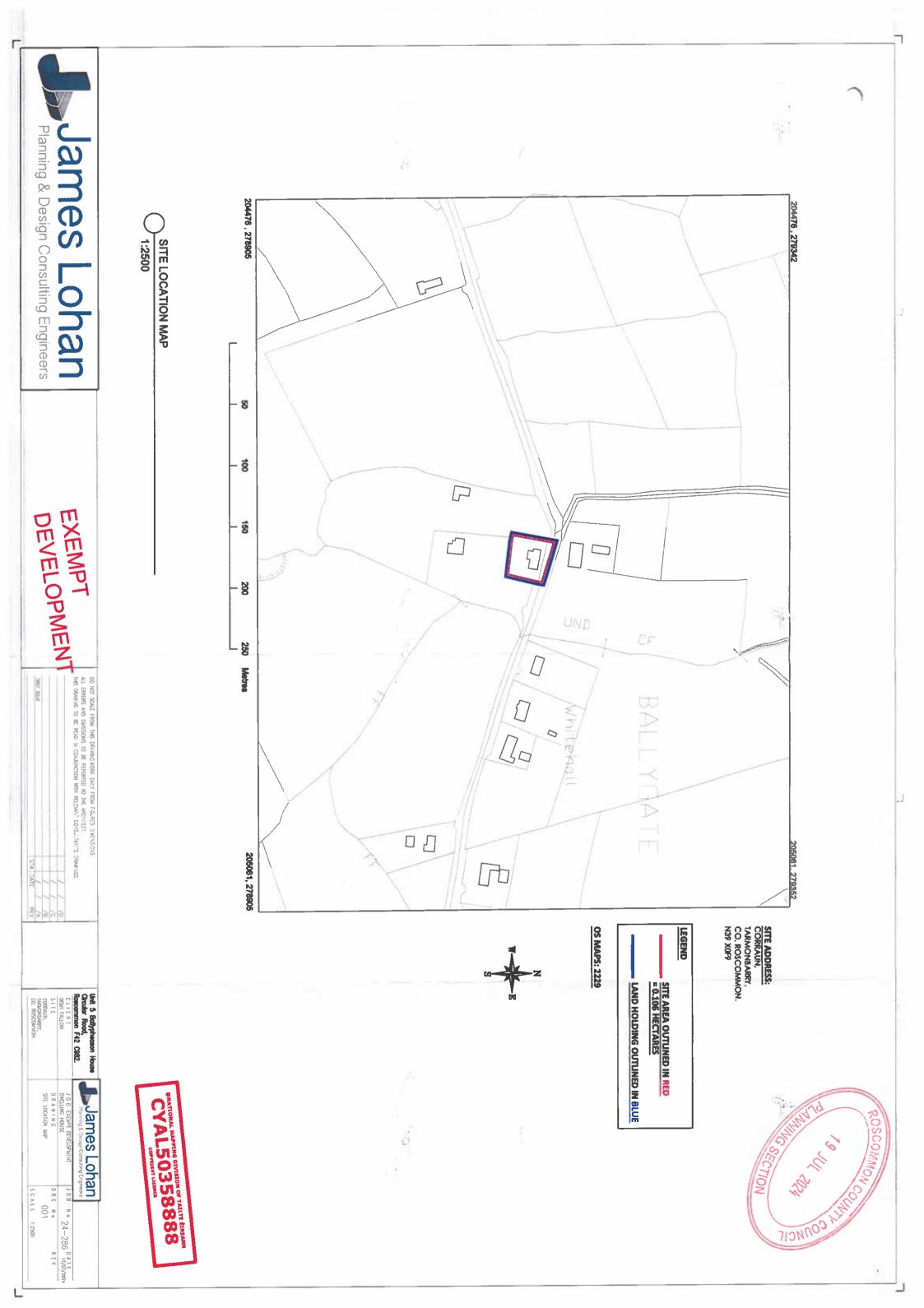


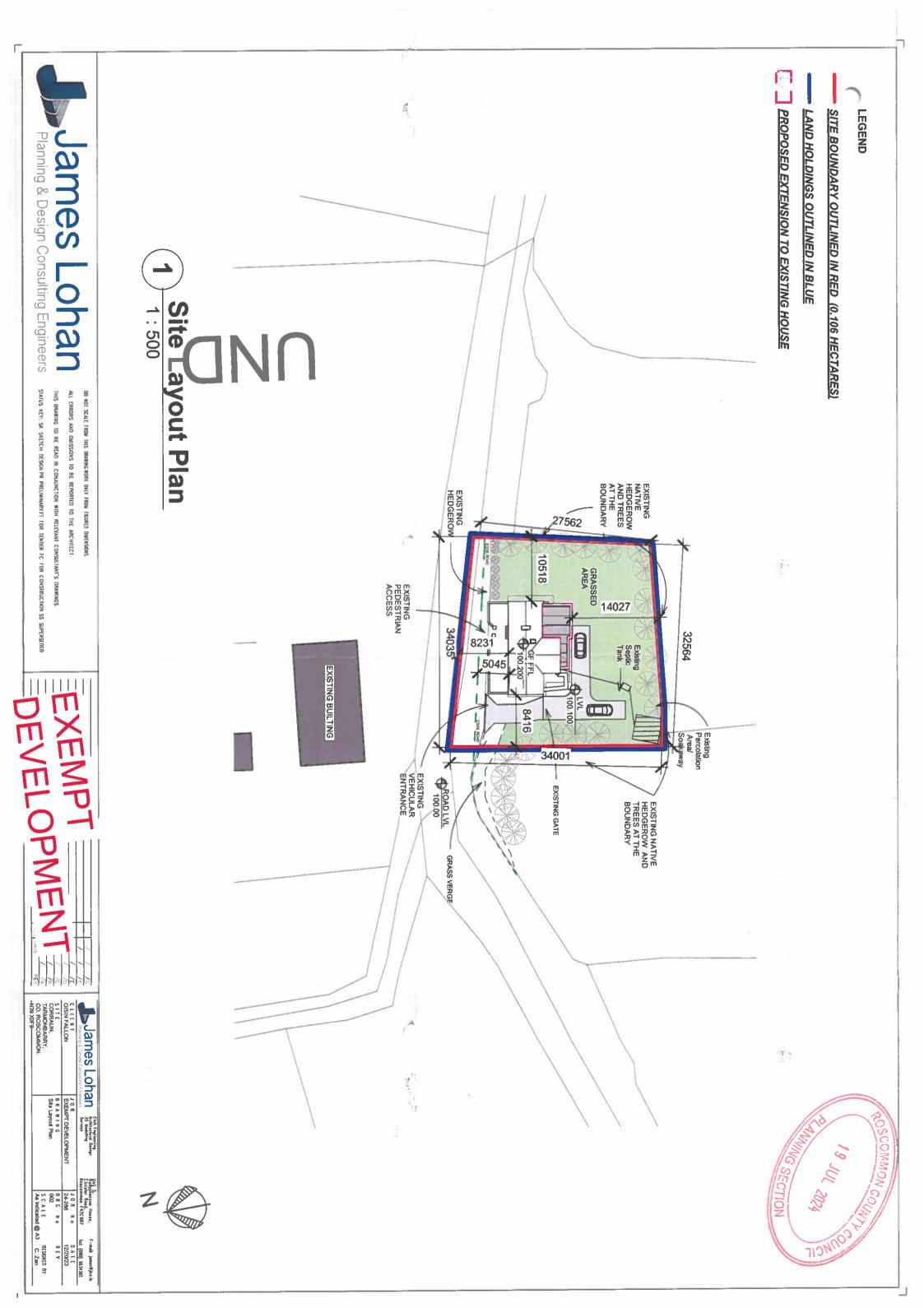
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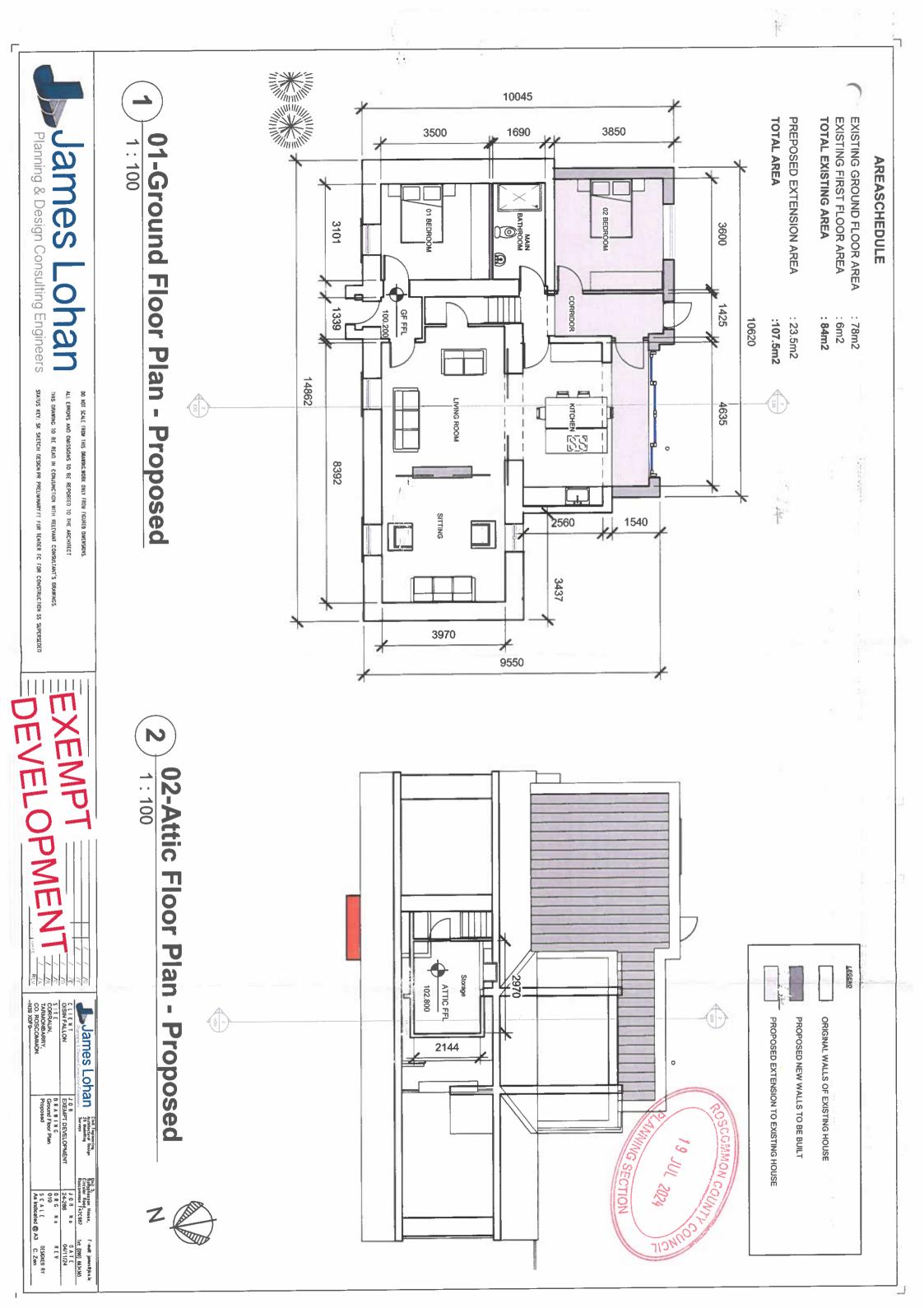
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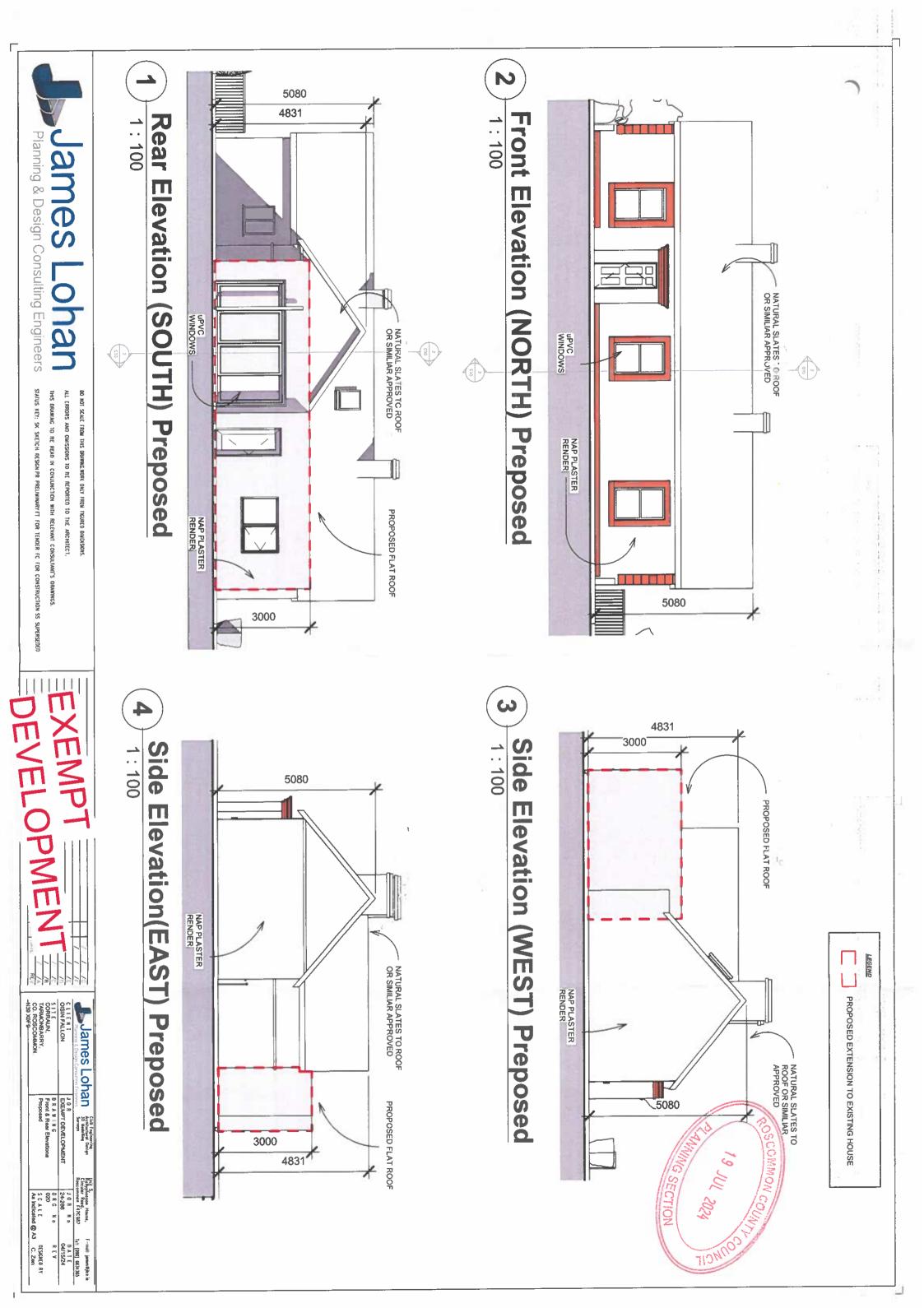
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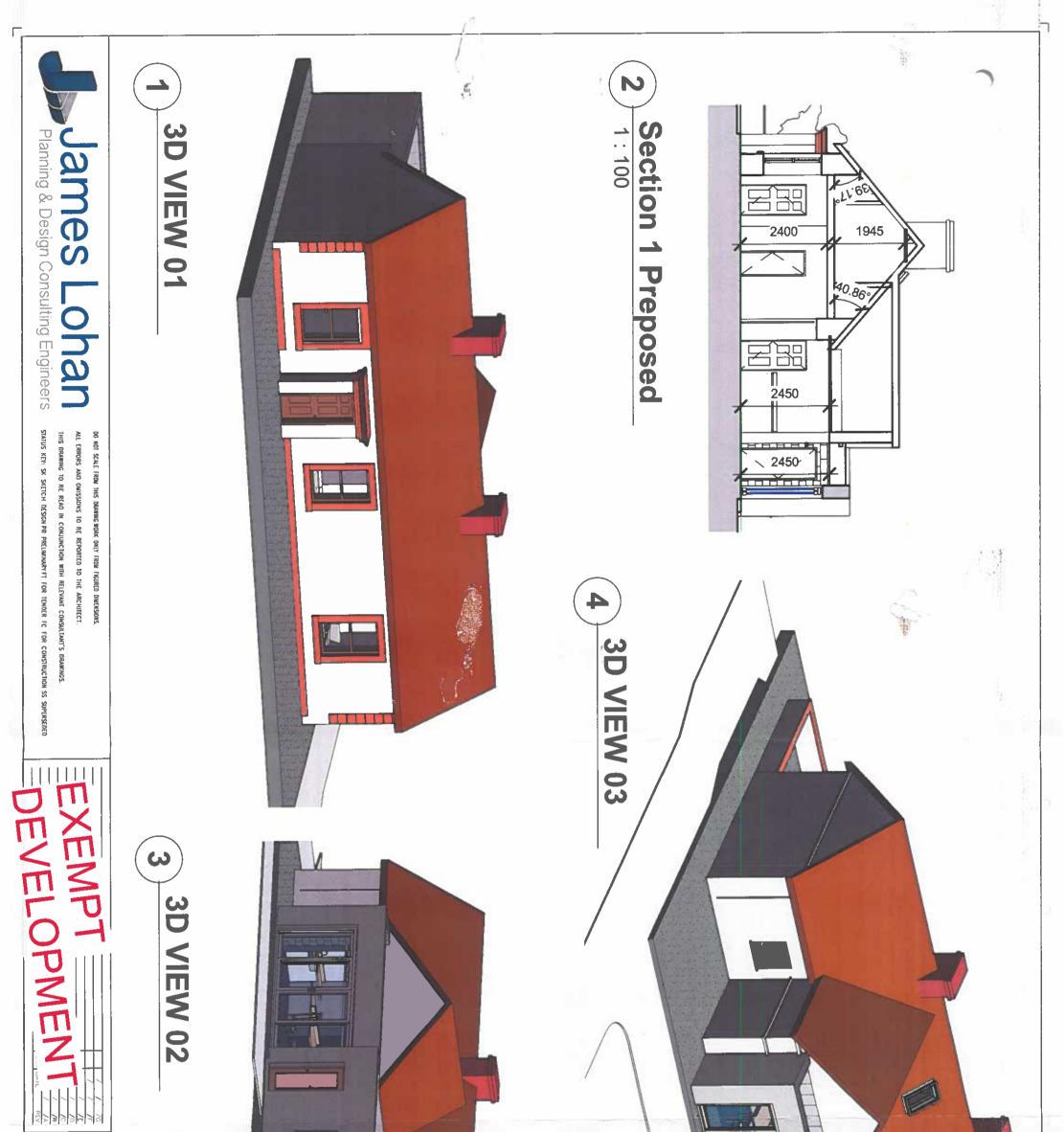
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