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### **Policy and Documents**

The Planning (Listed Buildings and Conservation Areas) Act 1990

Historic England – Historic Environment Good Practise Advice in Planning – Note 3 The setting of Heritage Assets.

Historic England – Historic Environment Good Practise Advice in Planning – Note 2 Managing Significance in Decision-Taking in the

Historic Environment.

National Planning Policy Framework

Herefordshire Local Plan Core Strategy 2011 – 2031 – Policies LD1, LD4

Thank you for consulting me on the amended plans. I would reference my previous comments of 25/04/2023 and 21/07/2023, and would request that these be considered as an appendix to these comments.

## **Summary**

The applications are for the renovation and adaptation of the existing Hereford Museum and Library a listed building to become a dedicated and enhanced facility for Herefordshire Museum. This would comprise a museum, education space, galleries, cafe, and staff facilities. The existing fabric and services are to be upgraded to improve the museum environment and energy efficiency of the building while maintaining. and aiming to enhance, the key historic value.

The building is prominently sited within the Herefordshire Conservation Area and is listed and in proximity to other listed buildings.

The proposal would need to be assessed against Section 16 and 66 of The Planning (Listed Buildings and Conservation Areas) Act 1990 in respect of the protection of listed buildings and their setting, and in addition Section 72 of The Planning (Listed Buildings and Conservation Areas) Act 1990, which places a duty on Local Planning Authorities in the exercise of their duties to preserve or enhance the character or appearance of a conservation area. This statutory duty is repeated in Herefordshire Local Plan Core Strategy 2011 – 2031 including; policies SS6, LD1 and LD4.

The applications have received comments previously which have resulted in a new suite of plans, which seek to address the previous concerns, and also resolve the need for further information/investigation work via conditions wherever possible.

I acknowledge the level of information provided with the application and the consideration given to addressing the issues, most notably the relocation of the viewing beacon to a less visible location when viewed from key viewpoints, and the external appearance of the new build

Lewis, Debra Page 1 04/07/2024 element, which would be considered as an improved design change in terms of the prominence of the building and its impact on King Street, and when viewed from wider distances.

The works include a degree of insulation that is not readily acceptable in listed building as a result of the visual impact the insulation would have on the architectural features of the interior. However it is duly acknowledged that the building works are to facilitate a public building for public use, and maintain the museum artefacts in appropriate climatic conditions and as such different considerations would apply in this instance in respect of the works to the historic fabric, which are to improve the museum exhibitions and artefacts in appropriate climatic and light controlled conditions. As such the insulation utilised is a bespoke solution to maintaining this building for the use it was originally constructed, and should not be considered as a precedent in other cases where different considerations would apply.

The works to the building are quite substantive and will involve the removal of some historic fabric; the roof over the later additions, the glass ceiling in the rear upper floor museum, the private stairs to the librarian quarters, and the opening of some walls. Some features will not be removed but will be obscured by insulation, such as the skirting's boards, and library windows. These would be considered as less than substantial harm to the listed building when considered individually and cumulatively. This triggers the balancing exercise in paragraph 208 of NPPF "Where a development proposal will lead to less than substantial harm to the significance of a designated heritage asset, this harm should be weighed against the public benefits of the proposal including, where appropriate, securing its optimum viable use." As such a balancing exercise has to be undertaken where the public benefits of the proposal are weighed against the harm. In weighing up the public benefit of the proposal consideration should be given to the benefits to the listed building in terms of; the removal of modern features such as suspended ceilings in the stairwell, re-instatement of blocked up windows on the northern elevation and the western elevation facing Aubrey Street, the wider use of the building for its original intended use, and any public benefits accruing from the development.

Many of the previous drawings have been superseded, and/or additional plans submitted. As such to provide clarity I am not repeating my previous summary table, merely providing a summary of previous comments, but have retained the item number to enable cross referencing between responses. The plans I understand to be superseded have been crossed through.

Whilst the planning considerations and balance will be made by others, in terms of the balancing exercise in respect of the listed building and conservation area only I would not raise a built heritage objection on the latest set of plans, which have evolved in response to previous concerns raised. Whilst a substantive amount of investigative works and plans have occurred, I would still recommend a few conditions be considered in respect of the listed building considered, which are below the summary table.

Item	HBO Comments of 02/05/2023	Additional informatio n received	Agent Status based on Tracker	SUMMARY of HBO comments on additional information 18/07/2023	Further Information/ request for amendments	Could be condit ioned	Further information May 2024	HBO Comments June 2024	Condition
2 Basement									

2.1 ( a)	Full details of the new steelwork are required before that this detail can be considered	Structural report received	For discussion/ further review	details of the	Comments from		HFM-BML-XX-BO-	Comments from HCC Planning	
		BML-XX- 01-DR-S- 0102 Rev T03		type of foundations would be required at this stage See also 3.1 (a)	HCC Planning Archaeologist suggested to assist in the consideration of these works within the AAI		DR-S-0300 rev T05 HFM-BML-XX-BO-DR-S-0100 rev T06	Archaeologist suggested to assist in the consideration of these works within the AAI	
		HFM-BML-XX-BO-DR-S-0300 TO3		The Pile foundations are noted			HFM-BML-XX-BO- DR-S-0300 rev T05 HFM-BML-XX-BO- DR-S-0100 rev T06	As above	
		ZZ DR S 0170 Rev T03					HFM-BML-XX-BO- DR-S-0300 rev T05 HFM-BML-XX-BO- DR-S-0100 rev T06	As above	
2.1 (b)	Internal wall insulation details of the basement	Agent Comment s in Tracker	Request to be conditioned	Further investigation when cellar emptied required		Р	HFM-BML-XX-Bo- DR-S-120 Rev T103	Understood no IWI now being proposed, which is welcomed.	Amended plans
2.1 (c)	Clarification in respect of the strong room door	Agent Comment s in Tracker	For discussion/ further review	Desire for door to remain in current position	Amended plans welcomed		10265-ART-XX-B1- DR-A-41100 rev P06	Retention of doors in current location noted and welcomed	Amended plans

2.1 (d)	Clarification in respect of the external stone string course	Agent Comment s in Tracker	For discussion/ further review	Clarification welcomed	if amended elevation details received an annotation on the elevation plan would be desirable	Y	10265-Art-XX-XX- DR-A-43300 rev P02	Revised plans confirming removal of concrete lintel and re-instatement to match adjacent string course welcomed	Amended plans
2.1 (e)	Clarification in respect of the tanking of the cellar.	Agent Comment s in Tracker	For discussion/ further review	Suggested that investigations continue where possible	Further information required in respect of the tanking.	р	HFM-BML-XX-Bo- DR-S-120 Rev T103	It is noted that the Cellar is now not to be tanked which is welcomed	Amended plans
		Tender Drawing HFM-		As above			As above	As above	Amended Plans
		BML XX- 00-DR-S- 0101 rev T03		Details of the plates supporting the pavement to be provided			10265-Art-XX-XX- DR-A-4522 Rev P04 10265-ART-XX-XX- DR-A-45500 Rev P02	Omitted from proposal	Amended plans
		HFM- BML-XX- BO-DR-S- 0100 T03		Further information required			HFM-BML-XX-BO- DR-S-0100 rev T06	Clarification noted	Amended Plan
		HFM- BML-XX- BO DR S- 0100 T03		The planning Archaeologist would need to advise on this matter.			HFM-BML-XX-BO- DR-S-0100 rev T06	Clarification noted	
				Details should accompany the LBC and be agreed at least in principle prior					

				to determination.	Comments from HCC Planning Archaeologist suggested to assist in the consideration of these works within the AAI				
2.1 (f)	Confirmation as to the age and interest of the front cellar, and potentially after the removal of some plasterwork	Agent Comment s in Tracker	To be conditioned	As with 2.1 (b) and 2.1 (e)		Y	10265 – Art – XX- B1-DR-A-11102 rev P05	Information on plan noted	Amended plans
2.1 (g)	the reuse of the existing bricks to block up the existing rear pedestrian door.	Agent Comment s in Tracker	To be conditioned			Y			Υ
3. Ground Floor									
3.1 (.a).	Full details of the new steelwork are required before these works can be considered, and with particular reference to the steelwork in the current library and the	Tender Drawing HFM- BML-XX- 00-DR-S- 0121 Rev T01  Tender Drawing HFM- BML-XX- 00-DR-S-	For discussion/ further review	Noting the submitted drawings Tender Drawing HFM-BML-XX-00-DR-S-1121 Rev T01 and Tender Drawing HFM-BML-XX-00-DR-S-0102 Rev T03, which indicate the location of the	Requested Information not provided Clarification required		Revised D&A, Revised HIS  TENDER DRAWING HFM- BML-XX-ZZ-DR-S- 0150 Rev T03  TENDER DRAWING HFM- BML-XX-BO-DR-S- 0100 Rev T06	It appears from the recently submitted drawings that the steel work will be considerably different to the previous submission, with the new steel work being predominantly within new walls and not within the former library space. If this is the case, the issue of the steelwork within the exhibition spaces and their relationship with the architectural features would appear to have been addressed by the latest plans, and the previously requested information is no longer required.	Amended Plans

relationship	0102 Rev	steels, on the	TENDER	
with the	<del>703</del>	floor plan and	DRAWING HFM-	However Tender Document HFH-BML-XX-
existing		on the axiomatic	BML-XX-ZZ-DR-S-	05-DR-S-0107 Rev T05 and Tender
pilasters	H <del>FM-</del>	view, however	0170 Rev T05	Document HFH-BML-XX-05-DR-S-0106 Rev
phasio. 5	BML-XX-	this does not		T03 suggest that there will be columns on
	01-DR-S-	adequately	TENDER	the internal walls between the exhibition
	0102 Rev	illustrate the	DRAWING HFM-	spaces. Whilst this is preferable to their
	<del>703</del>	relationship with	BML-XX-ZZ-DR-S-	previous location being on the external
		the ornate	0200 Rev T06	walls, the columns are not shown on the
	HFM-	pilasters that		floor plans, and for the avoidance of doubt
	BML-XX-	are a feature of	TENDER	the works proposed to the listed building
	02-DR-S-	the room, as	DRAWING HFM-	should be identified in the application and
	0103 Rev	requested. I	BML-XX-ZZ-DR-S-	consistently between plans. Clarification
	<del>702</del>	would refer to	0201 Rev T05	and if required amended floor plans only
		paragraph 3.6.3		requested.
	HFM-	of my original	Tender Document	
	BML XX	comments for	HFH-BML-XX-05-	
	<del>03-DR-S-</del>	the rationale	DR-S-0107 Rev	
	0102 Rev	behind this	T05	
	<del>703</del>	request.		
			Tender Document	
	HFM-		HFH-BML-XX-05-	
	BML-XX-	HFM-BML-XX-	DR-S-0106 Rev	
	04-DR-S-	01-DR-S-0103	T03	
	0105 Rev	<del>Rev T03</del>		
	<del>703</del>	indicates that	10265 – ART-XX-	
		the steel will be	XX-DR-A-45500	
		directly adjacent	Rev P02	
		to and within the		
		IWI for the	10265 – ART-XX-	
		pilasters	XX-DR-A-45505	
		between the	Rev P03	
		windows, and		
		appears to be	10265 – ART-XX-	
		suggesting that	XX-DR-A-45510	
		the pilasters will	Rev P03	
		be tested to see	40005 455 107	
		if they can	10265 – ART-XX-	
		accommodate	XX-DR-A-45515	
		additional load	Rev P02	
		bearing.		

3.1 (b)(i)	Relocation of the new wall to express the pilasters or a cross section illustrating how the pilasters are to be incorporated into the wall at a scale not less than 1:10	Agent Comment s in Tracker		the request was in respect to the new wall in Exhibition space 02, where a new wall is proposed and appears to come off pilasters.	Additional information not received.		10265 – ART-XX- XX-DR-A-45520 Rev P02  10265 – ART-XX- XX-DR-A-45520 Rev P02  10265 – ART-XX- XX-DR-A-45200 Rev P04  01265-Art-XX-XX- DR-A-45200 rev P04  01265-Art-XX-XX- DR-A-41100 rev P03  01265-Art-XX-XX- DR-A-16116 rev P01	The re-siting of the new wall to the west of the pilasters safeguard the staircase is welcomed as it retains the pilasters in their entirety within public museum space	Amended Plans
		Tender Drawing HFM- BML-XX- 00-DR-S- 0102 Rev T03		cross section of the wall requested			Revised D&A As above	Details now provided omitting the need for a detailed cross section as pilasters not affected	Amended Plans
3.1 (b)(ii)	Relocation of the new wall to express the pilasters or a	Agent Comment s in Tracker	For discussion/ further review	The request was made in respect of the pilasters in	Additional details required not supported.	1	01265-Art-XX-XX- DR-A-45200 rev P04	Details now provided omitting the need for a detailed cross section as pilasters not affected.	Amended Plans

cross section illustrating how the pilasters are to be incorporated into the wall at a scale not less than 1:10  LBC addition information F 10265 Section	REF of the previous	01265-Art-XX-XX-DR-A-41100 rev P03  01265-Art-XX-XX-DR-A-16115 rev P01  01265-Art-XX-XX-DR-A-16116 rev P01  01265-Art-XX-XX-DR-A-41120 rev P03  10265-Art-XX-XX-DR-A-22600 Rev P04  10265-ART-XX-XX-DR-A-13320 Rev P03  10265-Art-XX-00-DR-A-16104 P01  10265-Art-XX-00-DR-A-16105 P01  10265-Art-XX-00-DR-A-11122 P03  10265-Art-XX-00-DR-A-41120 P03	Amended Plans
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3.1(c)	The Conservation Management Plan identifies that the walls in the foyer are load bearing, however it is proposed to remove 2 large sections of walls, whilst retaining the upper parts of the wall, no details as to how that will be achieved has been submitted.	Agent Comment s in Tracker  LBC additional informatio n-REF 10265 section 1.19 Tender Drawing HFM- BML-XX- 00-DR-S- 0121 Rev T01	Request to be	Amendments requested  Noted however amendments requested  I note the bi-fold doors on the plans and for clarity the method of screening has not been agreed  Concern	Further	N	HMAG-BML-XX- XX-XX-TN-S-0101 report by Barnsley Marshall  10265-Art-XX-00- DR-A-11113 P04  10265-Art-XX-00- DR-A-41110 P03  10265-Art-XX-00- DR-A-16104 P01  10265-Art-XX-00- DR-A-16105 P01  10265-Art-XX-00- DR-A-16101 P01  10265-Art-XX-00- DR-A-16102 P01  10265-Art-XX-00- DR-A-16103 P01  10265-Art-XX-X-DR-A-22600 Rev P04  Revised D&A	The details in respect of the steelwork are acknowledged. The proposed doors are fully glazed.  The details are considered appropriate retaining a higher degree of original fabric. However some details are yet to be established – i.e the architectural covering of the pad stones, which can be conditioned  The additional investigation work to the staircase area is welcomed, the loss of the modern ceiling and the reinstatement of the original space, and the loss of modern servicing trunking, along with the exposure and reinstatement of the tracery window WT09 W0205	Making good walls post demolitions Architect ural finishes around padstone Balustrade Tracery window repair
3.1 (u)	IWI around windows and pilasters in the current library and further	Comment s in Tracker	conditioned	expressed with the IWI proposed and the affect on	information required at this stage	74	HMAG Stage 3 EnerPHit Overview	the capital of the pilaster and the cornicing above retaining their details on view.	Plans

	consideration of the IWI in this room in respect to the expression of the pilasters.			architectural detailing			10265 – Art-XX-00- DR-A-16115 rev P01 10265 – Art-XX-00- DR-A-16116 rev P01 10265 – Art-XX-XX- DR-A-	In respect of the IWI on the window reveals drawing 10265 – Art-XX-XX-DR-A-and the HMAG Stage 3 EnerPHit Overview, this confirms that there will be no IWI on the window reveals as the windows will have secondary glazing. The secondary glazing as illustrated would obscure the window detail to an unacceptable degree which would be considered as less than substantial ham. This harm has to be balanced against the positive benefits to this room, i.e the loss of the mezzanine level and the building as a whole such as the loss of suspended ceilings and the improved facilities to the Museum	
		HMAG- ART-XX- XX-RP-A- 65810 Enorphit Overview \$4-P01		Contents noted			Revised D&A  HMAG Stage 3 EnerPHit Overview	As above	
3.1 (e)	Further clarification and detailing of the IWI and the relationship with cornicing and window reveals required	Agent Comment s in Tracker	Request to be conditioned	The absence of IWI in the window reveals is welcomed, as is the consideration of a thinner IWI such as Aerogel.	Further information required at this stage	N	10265-Art-XX-00- DR-A-41110 Rev P03 10265-Art-XX-00- DR-A-16101 Rev P01	The IWI is to stop at the cornice however ventilation above a suspended ceiling is required in entrance room 1 and 2. However there appears to be a discrepancy between 10265-Art-XX-00-DR-A-16101 Rev P01 and the illustration on page 16 of the HIA in respect of the extent of the suspended ceiling. For the avoidance of doubt it is the plans upon which I am providing comment, and would request a condition in respect of the ceiling details.	Amended Plans Suspended ceiling details Skirting board details
		HMAG- ART-XX- XX-RP-A- 65810 Enorphit		Alternative less visually damaging methods of IWI again requested in this location.			10265-Art-XX-00- DR-A-41110 Rev P03	100mm IWI stopping at the cornicing in entrance room 1 and 2 noted	Amended Plans Suspended ceiling details

		Overview S4-P01					10265-Art-XX-00- DR-A-16101 Rev P01		Skirting board details
3.1 (f)	A detailed plan indicated how the IWI will be addressed in the window reveals should be submitted	Agent Comment s in Tracker	Request to be conditioned	Alternative less visually damaging methods of IWI again requested in this location.	Further information required at this stage	N	10265-Art-XX-00- DR-A-41110 Rev P03 10265-Art-XX-00- DR-A-16101 Rev P01	No IWI on window reveals on front elevation on amended plans as such the details no longer required	Amended Plans
3.1 (g)	Clarification for the loss of skirting boards and the thickness of the IWI	Agent Comment s in Tracker	For discussion/ further review	justification for their loss of skirting boards	Further information required at this stage		Revised D&A  HMAG Stage 3 EnerPHit Overview 10265-Art-XX-00- DR-A-41110 Rev P03  10265-Art-XX-00- DR-A-16101 Rev P01 10265-Art-XX-00- DR-A-41110 Rev P03  10265-Art-XX-00- DR-A-16101 Rev P01	Clarification received and original skirting's to be retained behind IWI and false skirting's boards within the room	Skirting board

3.1 (h)	Clarification why the existing plaster cannot be retained	Agent Comment s in Tracker	For discussion/ further review	The retention of original plaster is welcomed. Clarification is required in respect of the degree of plaster to be lost and the degree of plaster to be retained,	Further information required at this stage	Plaster Survey Report  10625 – ART-XX- XX-XX-A-1640  Masonry Repair Report  Revised D&A Revised HIS	The further analysis of the plaster is welcomed, and in some areas the original plaster is being retained behind the IWI. In other areas the plaster has to be removed to facilitate masonry repairs as identified in the Masonry Repair Report.	Amended Plans
		EnerPHit report HMAG- ART-XX- XX-RP-A- 65810 P01-S4		However clarification sought as discrepancies between documents, and further information in respect of certain architectural details		Plaster Survey Report  HMAG Stage 3 EnerPHit Overview  10625 – ART-XX- XX-XX-A-1640  Masonry Repair Report  Revised D&A Revised HIS	Clarification received in latest documents	
		IWI and fabric Strategy summary in the Enerphit report		Apparent discrepancy between documents requiring clarification	Discrepancy between documents requires clarification		Clarification received in latest documents	

3.1 (g)	An alternative to the roller shutter Door IDT09 on Internal Door Assemblies XX-DR-A-27601, and consideration of more wall retained.	Agent Comment s in Tracker	For discussion/ further review	It was understood that the roller shutters were within the foyer and related to item 3.1 (c). Alternative arrangements following the details in 3.1 (c) welcomed	Amended plans required		10265-Art-XX-00-DR-A-11113 P04  10265-Art-XX-00-DR-A-41110 P03  10265-Art-XX-00-DR-A-16104 P01  10265-Art-XX-00-DR-A-16105 P01  10265-Art-XX-00-DR-A-16101 P01  10265-Art-XX-00-DR-A-16102 P01  10265-Art-XX-00-DR-A-16103 P01	The loss of the roller shutters and their replacement with glazed doors welcomed as an alternative	Door details
3.1 (j)	Clarification that windows not removed are to be retained in their current condition and not repaired	Request for condition		Clarification required		Y - subj ect to clarif icati on	10265-At-XX-XX- DR-A-22601 rev P03	The submitted drawing indicates that only 7 windows are to be removed from site and replaced, the remainder to be repaired in situ. The clarification is welcomed and the windows to be removed are to be replaced so no objection raised.	Amended plans

3.1 (k)	Finoe 12 requested as an alternative to the proposed glazing in current library	Agent Comment s in Tracker EnerPHit report HMAG- ART-XX- XX-RP-A- 65810 P01-S4	Request to be conditioned	request for a more sympathetic approach expressing the stone mullions internally and externally  Concern addressed with the detailing proposed	Request for more sympathetic approach to the windows repeated.	N	Revised D&A  HMAG Stage 3 EnerPHit Overview  10265 – Art-XX-00-DR-A-16115 rev P01  10265 – Art-XX-00-DR-A-16116 rev P01  10265 – Art-XX-XX-DR-A-  As above	Concern with this element remains and to be considered against para 208 of NPPF	Amended Plans
3.1 (I)	Clarification as to the outcome of the skirting boards	Agent Comment s in Tracker	For discussion/ further review	The loss of historic fabric should be justified, and without justification for their loss a thinner IWI is again requested	Further information required		10265-ART-XX-oo- DR-A-16101 rev P01	The loss of skirting boards is rarely supported. The proposal is to incorporate them into the IWI, which is not ideal as the historic detailing is lost. The exact method of encasing the skirting boards into the IWI is required. It should be noted that this will constitute less than substantial harm to historic fabric	Skirting boards
3.1 (m)	An alternative to Corten Steel requested as the window infill	Agent Comment s in Tracker LBC additional informatio	For discussion/ further review	consideration of alternative materials are welcomed.  As the works are to historic windows a less	Amended materials welcomed.		10265 – ART-XX- XX-DR-A-43300 rev P02 10265 – Art – XX- XX-DR-A-45505	Note that this window can now be glazed which would replicate the previous arrangement – supported	Amended Plans

		n REF 10265		modern intervention is considered more appropriate.		10265-Art-XX-XX- DR=A-22600 Rev P04		
3.1 (n)	Consideration given to the restoration of the tracery window in N elevation	Agent Comment s in Tracker for 3.1.(b)	For discussion/ further review For discussion/ further review	I would refer to paragraphs 3.5.4 and 3.5.5 of the previous comments where the request to either open the tracery window <b>OR</b> relocate the wall slightly to expose the corbel in exhibition space 01 was made. Comments on window below in response to LBC additional information REF 10265 section 1.9	Additional details required currently not supported.	10265-Art-XX-XX-DR-A-22600 Rev P04  10265-ART-XX-XX-DR-A-13320 Rev P03  10265-Art-XX-00-DR-A-16104 P01  10265-Art-XX-00-DR-A-16105 P01  10265-Art-XX-00-DR-A-11122 P03  10265-Art-XX-00-DR-A-11122 P03	The exposure and restoration of the 2 no currently blocked tracery windows on north elevation supported	Amended Plans Window repair details
		Agent Comment s in Tracker for 3.1.(n)		The service ductwork bulkhead was not indicated on any previous plans, and as such was not given consideration at that time. further information required – with		10625- ART-XX-DR- A-45200 rev P04	Note ventilation areas identified on cross sections. The retention of the corbel in a non public space is not ideal but unavoidable given the position of the window.  Clarification in respect of the suspended ceiling on Exhibition space 01 required. This can be conditioned to enable further consideration when further investigative works are undertaken	Amended Plans Suspended ceiling details

3.1 (o)	Paint details for stone mullions	Agent Comment s in Tracker	For discussion/ further review	consideration as to the exposure of the tracery window and the corbels  Restoration of original stone mullions welcomed. Details of the paint removal required or could be conditioned		Y			Paint removal methodol ogy
3.1 (p)	An alternative paint colour to render requested	Agent Comment s in Tracker	For discussion/ further review	Alternative colour welcomed.  The use of a	However if amended elevation plans being prepared the reference to colour to be conditioned would be suggested as	Y if not previ ously confir med	10265-Art-XX-XX- DR-A-43300 Rev P02 10265-Art-XX-XX- DR-A-43302 Rev P03	The change in paint colour welcomed. The colour could be conditioned if necessary	Amended Plans Colour
		informatio		colour within the Hereford Design SPD is welcomed.	being annotated on the elevation drawings to avoid a condition				
3.1 (q)	Clarification to the reference to 6 vision panels in the coal shutes	Agent Comment s in Tracker	For discussion/ further review	Clarification welcomed	Suggest that further plans details to omit this reference		10265-Art-XX-XX- DR-A-4522 Rev P04 10265-ART-XX-XX- DR-A-45500 Rev P02	Item omitted from application	Amended Plans
4. Woolhope Room									
4.1.1 (a)	Clarification of new beams joists	Agent Comment s in Tracker	For discussion/ further review				10265-Art-XX-00- DR-A-16117 Rev P01 Revised HIS	The amended details and revised HIS, do not reference any works to the beams or joists, as such it is understood that this	Amended Plans

							element of works is omitted from the proposal	
4.1.1(b)	Window seals location and type to be agreed by condition	Agent Comment s in Tracker	to be conditioned		Y		No further comment	Y
4.1.1 (c)	Repairs to balcony to be conditioned	Agent Comment s in Tracker	to be conditioned		Y	10265-Art-XX-00- DR-A-16117 Rev P01 Masonry Repair Report	No further comment	Υ
4.1.1 (d)	Details of venting to be conditioned	Agent Comment s in Tracker	to be conditioned		Y		No further comment	Y
5. Third Floor								
5.1. (a)	Clarification and details in respect of the vertical steel supports should be provided before this element can be considered	Agent Comment s in Tracker		Steel details noted, and referenced throughout table on relevant sections		Revised Plans as per 3.1a	It appears from the recently submitted drawings that the steel work will be considerably different to the previous submission, with the new steel work being predominantly within new walls. If this is the case, the issue of the steelwork within the exhibition spaces and their relationship with the architectural features would appear to have been addressed by the latest plans, and the previously requested information is no longer required.	Amended Plans
							However Tender Document HFH-BML-XX-05-DR-S-0107 Rev T05 and Tender Document HFH-BML-XX-05-DR-S-0106 Rev T03 suggest that there will be columns on the internal walls between the exhibition spaces. Whilst this is preferable to their previous location being on the external walls, the columns are not shown on the	

5.1 (b)	Clarification in respect of the discrepancy between documents as to whether the ceiling will be retained or dismantled and re-erected and if the later the methodology should accompany the application in order that this element can be considered.	Agent Comment s in Tracker	For discussion/ further review	The plan to retain the ceiling structure is welcomed. However the methodology as to how that will be achieved will need to form part of this application, and the discrepancy between documents addressed. further information as to how the ceiling can be retained with other works proposed would need to be submitted.	Further information required at this stage	N	Tender Document HFH-BML-XX-ZZ-DR- S-0091 Rev T04  Tender Document HFH-BML-XX-ZZ-DR- S-0350 Rev T01  Tender Document HFH-BML-XX-ZZ-DR- S-0350 Rev T01  Tender Document HFH-BML-XX-ZZ-DR- S-0200 Rev T05  Tender Document HFH-BML-XX-ZZ-DR- S-0201 Rev T05  10625 – Art-XX-00-A- 16129 Rev P01  10625 – Art-XX-00-A- 16126 Rev P01  10625 – Art-XX-00-A- 16127 Rev P01	floor plans, and for the avoidance of doubt the works proposed to the listed building should be identified in the application and consistently between plans. Clarification and if required amended floor plans only requested.  It is noted that drawings; 10625 – Art-XX-00-A-16129 Rev P01, 10625 – Art-XX-00-A-16123 Rev P01, 10625 – Art-XX-00-A-16126 Rev P01 and 10625 – Art-XX-00-A-16127 Rev P01confirms that the glazed ceiling is to be removed and a new decorative ceiling to be installed. The loss of this heritage feature will cause less than substantial harm to this listed building. This harm has to be balanced against the positive benefits to the building as a whole such as the loss of suspended ceilings, reinstatement of tracery windows etc and the improved facilities to the Museum.	Ceiling details
	HFM-BML- XX-ZZ-DR-S- 0360 rev T02				Further clarification required.		As above	As above	
5.1 (c)	Clarification in respect of the internal wall insulation in	Agent Comment s in Tracker	Request to be conditioned	For the reasons identified in 3.1 (d) these details cannot be	Further information required at this stage	N	01265 – ART-XX- 00-DR-A-16122 Rev P01	Drawing 01265 – ART-XX-00-DR-A-16122 Rev P01 and 01265 – ART-XX-00-DR-A- 16123 Rev P01 confirms that the current dry lining will be removed. Drawing 01265	Amended Plans

	Middle Exhibition Hall/Museum are required.			conditioned as they are fundamental to the consideration of the listed building consent application			01265 – ART-XX- 00-DR-A-16123 Rev P01 01265 – ART-XX- 00-DR-A-16124 Rev P01	- ART-XX-00-DR-A-16124 Rev P01 identifies IWI to be installed behind replacement wall lining, to the same depth from DDL tp picture rail to maintain the current visual appreciation of the corbelling	
	Clarification in respect of proposed works to trusses as discrepancy between plans. details are required in order that this element can be considered	Agent Comment s in Tracker	Request to be conditioned	For the reasons identified in 3.1 (d) these details cannot be conditioned as they are fundamental to the consideration of the listed building consent application	Further information required at this stage	N	01265 – ART-XX- 00-DR-A-16124 Rev P01  01265 – ART-XX- 00-DR-A-16123 Rev P01  Tender Document HFH-BML-XX-ZZ- DR-S-0200 Rev T05	The amended plans confirm the retention and degree of exposure of the trusses as visible in the current exhibition room, that is to ceiling level. Tender Document HFH-BML-XX-ZZ-DR-S-0200 Rev T05 identifies that above ceiling trusses are to be removed to facilitate the additional floor.	Amended Plans
5.1 (d)	Clarification in respect of the cornicing and if the 100mm IWI is indicative as it will be behind existing hardboard.	Agent Comment s in Tracker	Request to be conditioned	For the reasons identified in 3.1 (d) these details cannot be conditioned as they are fundamental to the consideration of the listed building consent application	Further information required at this stage	N	01265 – ART-XX- 00-DR-A-16122 Rev P01 01265 – ART-XX- 00-DR-A-16123 Rev P01 01265 – ART-XX- 00-DR-A-16124 Rev P01	As 5.1 C	Amended Plans
5.1 (e)	Clarification discrepancy between plans in respect of IWI on south walls of Third Floor exhibition Room	Agent Comment s in Tracker	Request to be conditioned	For the reasons identified in 3.1 (d) these details cannot be conditioned as they are fundamental to the consideration of the listed	Further information required at this stage	N	10625 - Art-XX-00- A-16124 Rev P01 10625 - Art-XX-00- A-16125 Rev P01 01265 - ART-XX- 00-DR-A-16122 Rev P01	Contents of additional information noted. No further clarification required. Individual IWI discussed in 5.1.c	Amended Plans

				building consent application			01265 – ART-XX- 00-DR-A-16123 Rev P01 01265 – ART-XX- 00-DR-A-16124 Rev P01		
5.1 (f)	Clarification discrepancy between plans in respect of IWI Third Floor Exhibition	Agent Comment s in Tracker	Request to be conditioned	As above	Further information required at this stage	N	As above	As above	Amended Plans
6. Fourth Floor									
6.1 (a)	Clarification and details in respect of the vertical steel supports and new floor in the 1874 section of the building, should be provided before this element can be considered.	Agent Comment s in Tracker	For discussion/ further review				Revised Plans as per 3.1a	This steelwork will be in new floor to replace the existing roof and as such has a lesser impact on retained historic fabric	Amended Plans
6.1 (b)	Slimmer IWI on the three Broad Street rooms and the retention of the cornice, architrave and picture rail, and the reuse of the	Agent Comment s in Tracker	For discussion/ further review				10265-ART-XX-00- DR-A-16134 Rev P01 10265-ART-XX-00- DR-A-16135 Rev P01 10265-ART-XX-00- DR-A-16136 Rev P01	Additional details noted, and the condition of the plaster. Details of the roof insulation and ceilings should have been provided. However given the extent of information provided to date this can be conditioned	Roof Insulation

	skirting boards					10265-ART-XX-00- DR-A-16137 Rev P01 Plaster Survey Report HMAG Stage 3 EnerPHit Overview		
6.1 (c)	Consideration of the retention of the retention of the staircase to the librarians quarters. As this is a substantial loss to the significance of the building	Agent Comment s in Tracker	For discussion/ further review	Pre-application discussions noted, however all Listed Building Consent applications are a balancing exercise between the works to a listed building and the public benefits of the works		10265 – ART-XX- 03-DR-A-1142 Rev P03 10265 – Art-XX-04- DR-A-41150 – Rev P03	This staircase is to be lost, which is regrettable as it illustrates the library had domestic accommodation for the librarian and as such are of great significance in the evidential, historic, aesthetic and communal value of the building. The loss of this heritage feature will cause less than substantial harm to this listed building. This harm has to be balanced against the positive benefits to the building as a whole and the improved facilities to the Museum.	n/a
		LBC additional informatio n REF 10265		The additional information clarifies why the lift is so positioned and its loss is regrettable, however based on the additional information, the loss of the historic staircase is now not opposed.	Previous objection withdrawn		No further comment	n/a

6.1 (d)	Re- consideration of the size and design of the window to the stairwell	Agent Comment s in Tracker	For discussion/ further review	Concerns due to the impact of this feature when viewed from the cathedral grounds and window so proposed would be considered discordant and overdominant feature of the new works to the museum	Request for amendments repeated as stairwell window not considered appropriate	Revised D&A  10265-Art-A-XX- XX-DR-43302 rev P03  10265-Art-A-XX- XX-DR-43300 rev P02	Amended plans - noted and it is considered that the visible element of the window ( some glazing will be hidden behind perforated corten steel) whilst large is more proportionate in scale.	Amended Plans
6.1 (e)	Reconsiderati on of the heads of the venetian gothic windows	Agent Comment s in Tracker	For discussion/ further review	Concerns expressed with the size and dominance of the windows, and the view from King Street when viewed above the roofscape of listed buildings and the Cathedral grounds, Amendments requested	Amended window designs are again requested to limit the impact when viewed from King Street as per Figure 8 previously issued.	Revised D&A  10265-Art-A-XX- XX-DR-43302 rev P03	The revised design is for a single larger window working with the roofscape and producing a linear feature which is considered less dominant than the larger arched windows.	Amended Plans
7. Fifth Floor								
7.1 (a)	Details of the steel support to this floor	Agent Comment s in Tracker	For discussion/ further review			Revised plans as per 3.1.a	This steelwork will be in new floor to replace the existing roof and as such has a lesser impact on retained historic fabric	Amended Plans

7.1 (b)	Details of soil pipes if internal or external	Agent Comment s in Tracker LBC additional informatio n REF 10265	Request to be conditioned	The siting on the northern elevation is welcomed as it is the less public elevation. The location of the RWP directly adjacent to the tracery	Some clarification required, but the principle of external siting on the northern elevation not opposed.	Y if exte rnal only	10265-Art-A-XX- XX-DR-43300 rev P02 10265-Art-A-XX- XX-DR-43300 rev P02	Additional information noted,  As above	Amended Plans
7.1 (c)	Clarification of the height of the lift shafts	Agent Comment s in Tracker	For discussion/ further review	window is not desirable, and relocation welcomed if possible.			10265-Art-A-XX- XX-DR-43300 rev P02 10265-Art-A-XX- XX-DR-45200 rev P04	Clarification provided in additional/amended plans	Amended Plans
		LBC additional informatio n REF 10265		The public lift at a height of 17828 is lower than the existing chimney height at 18641 and is noted. The clarification in respect of the height of the rear lift shaft is noted			As above	As above	

7.1 (d)	In respect of the corten steel lift shaft covering and the slate walls, an alternative treatment for this elevation is sought.	Agent Comment s in Tracker	For discussion/ further review	The opportunity to review for a more cohesive approach in terms of materials given the simplicity of the current elevation is welcomed.	For further discussion/ review		10265-Art-A-XX- XX-DR-43303 rev P04	Revisions in materials welcomed as the lift shaft will be the same colour as the roofscape and produce a simpler elevation.	Amended Plans
7.1 (e)	Consideration of the windows on the south elevation to represent arches below	Agent Comment s in Tracker	For discussion/ further review	Comments made in 6.1.1 (e)	Amended window designs are again requested to limit the impact when viewed from King Street		Revised D&A 10265-Art-A-XX- XX-DR-43302 rev P03	Comments as per 6.1.e. The amended plans considered more appropriate in this location	Amended Plans
7.1 (f)	Requested changes to design of stairwell window	Agent Comment s in Tracker	For discussion/ further review	Comments made in 6.1.1 (d)	Request for amendments repeated as stairwell window not considered appropriate		Revised D&A 10265-Art-A-XX- XX-DR-43302 rev P03 10265-Art-A-XX- XX-DR-43300 rev P02	Comments as per 6.1.d. The amended plans considered more appropriate in this location	Amended Plans
7.1 (g)	Details of the pv panels – could be conditioned	Agent Comment s in Tracker				Y		No further comment	Y
7.1 (h)	Materials with particular attention to the brickwork – could be conditioned	Agent Comment s in Tracker				Υ		No further comment	Y
Comments on new information									
A1.		HFM- BML-XX- 01-DR-S-		Works to the primary staircase has been included in	Information on the works to the staircase required as part			It is understood that some investigative work has been undertaken and the cantilever staircase is constructed of metal, illustrating the engineering	Balustrad e detail

	0102 — T03	this drawing not previously application referenced	innovations of the time. The additional work in respect of the loss of the modern ceiling is also acknowledged. In restoring the staircase to its original height. Ideally the balustrade details would be part of the application, however given the wealth of information provided in respect of the works, and the fact that this will be a public building with the potential to exhibit artefacts or public art in this space, it would seem appropriate to condition this element to allow further consideration.	work in respect ceiling is also a the staircase to the balustrade application, hor information proworks, and the public building exhibit artefact space, it would condition this e	
A.2	HFM- BML-XX- 01-DR-S- 0102-T03  HFM- BML-XX- 01-DR-S- 01-DR-S- 0101-T03  LBC additional informatio n REF 10265	Stitching of cracking is often an accepted means of repair — subject to details. Full details of the extend of and method of stitching should accompany the application with areas illustrated on elevation plans	Masonry Repair report  Additional information noted  Y	Masonry Repair Additional info	Y
A3	HFM BML XX ZZ-DR- \$ 0090 Rev T02 HFM-BML- XX ZZ DR- \$ -0090 Rev T02 10265 Art XX 00- DR-A-1600 Rev P02	These plans are useful in depicting the walls, stairs, and roof to be demolished, However It is suggested that this is coloured with 2 colourways to	10265-Art-XX-B1-DR-A - 11102 Rev P05 10265-Art-XX-00-DR-A -11113 -Rev P04 10265-Art-XX-01-DR-A -11122-Rev P03 10265-Art-XX-02-DR-A -11132-Rev P03 10265-Art-XX-03-DR-A -11142-Rev P03 10265-Art-XX-04-DR-A -11152-Rev P03	A – 11102 Rev P05 10265-Art-XX-00-DR- A -11113 -Rev P04 10265-Art-XX-01-DR- A -11122-Rev P03 10265-Art-XX-02-DR- A -11132-Rev P03 10265-Art-XX-03-DR- A -11142-Rev P03 10265-Art-XX-04-DR-	Amended Plans

<del>10265</del> —	differentiate	10265-Art-XX-05-DR-
Art-XX-00-	between historic	A -11162-Rev P03
DR A	fabric and	10265-Art-XX-RF-DR-
16005 Rev	modern features	A -11172-Rev P03
<del>P02</del>		10265-Art-XX-XX-DR-
<del>10265 –</del>	as the loss of	A -12220-Rev P03
Art-XX-00-	historic weight	10265-Art-XX-01-DR-
DR A 1610	is given greater	A -11122-Rev P03
Rev P02	significance	10268-Art-XX-00-DR-
<del>10265</del>	than modern	A16101 Rev P01
Art-XX-00-	fabric, and	10269-Art-XX-00-DR-
DR A 1615	some modern	A16102 Rev P01
Rev P01		10270-Art-XX-00-DR-
10265	elements to be	A16103 Rev P01
Art-XX-00-	removed are	10271-Art-XX-00-DR-
DR A	welcomed.	A16104 Rev P01
1620-Rev	However not all	10272-Art-XX-00-DR-
P01	historic fabric to	A16105 Rev P01
10265_	be lost is	10273-Art-XX-00-DR-
10205 — Art-XX-00-	recorded on	
		A16106 Rev P01
DR A 1625	these plans and	10274-Art-XX-00-DR-
Rev P01	it is	A16107 Rev P01
10265	acknowledged	10275-Art-XX-00-DR-
Art-XX-00-	that other	A16108 Rev P01
DR A 1630	historic fabric is	10276-Art-XX-00-DR-
Rev P02	proposed for	A16109 Rev P01
<del>10265 –</del>		10277-Art-XX-00-DR-
Art XX 00	removal,	A16110 Rev P01
DR-A-1631	excavation of	10278-Art-XX-00-DR-
Rev P02	the basement,	A1611 Rev P01
<del>10265 –</del>	potentially all	10279-Art-XX-00-DR-
Art XX 00	plaster to	A16112 Rev P01
DR-A-1635	external walls,	10280-Art-XX-00-DR-
Rev P01		A16113 Rev P01
<del>10266 –</del>	ceilings, and	10281-Art-XX-00-DR-
Art-XX-00-	such it would be	A16114 Rev P01
DR A 1640	useful if all the	10282-Art-XX-00-DR-
Rev P01	historic fabric to	A16115 Rev P01
	be removed	10283-Art-XX-00-DR-
	was	A16116 Rev P01
	acknowledged	10284-Art-XX-00-DR-
		A16117 Rev P01
	in addition to	10285-Art-XX-00-DR-
	the more	
	modern	A16118 Rev P01
	mezzanine	10286-Art-XX-00-DR-
		A16119 Rev P01

A4			A16125 Rev P01 10293-Art-XX-00-DR- A16126 Rev P01 10294-Art-XX-00-DR- A16127 Rev P01 10295-Art-XX-00-DR- A16128 Rev P01 10296-Art-XX-00-DR- A16129 Rev P01 10297-Art-XX-00-DR- A16130 Rev P01 10298-Art-XX-00-DR- A16131 Rev P01 10299-Art-XX-00-DR- A16132 Rev P01 10300-Art-XX-00-DR- A16133 Rev P01 10301-Art-XX-00-DR- A16135 Rev P01 10302-Art-XX-00-DR- A16135 Rev P01 10303-Art-XX-00-DR- A16135 Rev P01 10304-Art-XX-00-DR- A16136 Rev P01	The glass balustrade is a new feature to be	Y
, , , ,			10635 ART-XX-RF- DR-A-24500 LP02303-FIR-00-ZZ- DR-L-2003.	introduced, and the use of non reflective glass is welcomed as it will prevent glare from the balustrade which will be from a high level. However in addition to the glare/reflection,	•

				results in the use of the Upper terrace being visible, which will mean that planters, chairs, tables, etc will be visible through the glass, as indicated on the illustrative images on LP02303-FIR-00-ZZ-DR-L-2003. This visual harm could be reduced by different coatings in addition to the anti reflective glass to minimise what would appear as a terrace with no visible balustrade. As such it is requested that a sample of the glass be conditioned	
A5			LP02303-FIR-00-ZZ- DR-L-2003.	It is acknowledged that the indicative finish of the upper and lower terrace is still indicative at this stage. However LP02303-FIR-00-ZZ-DR-L-2003. Suggests illuminated boards. The use of the terrace for exhibitions, educational purposes etc. is supported. Nonetheless I am mindful of both height pollution and the visual impact of an illuminated item, at the height and size proposed with such visibility over the roofs cape. I would therefore request consideration of a condition controlling illumination on the roof terraces	Υ

# Suggested Conditions.

- 1. CE7 LBC Time period
- 2. The development to be undertaken strictly in accordance with the amended plans.
- 3. CE8 EXPERT SUPERVISION
- 4. CF6 STRUCTURAL SUPPORT FOR RETAINED ELEMENTS

No demolition works shall begin until details and the methodology to secure the safety and stability of those parts of the building to be retained are submitted to and approved in writing with the Local Planning Authority. The works are to be carried out fully in accordance with the approved methodology and details. The methodology and details shall include:

- Strengthening any wall or vertical surface;
- Support for roof timbers on the Broad Street elevation
- Provision of protection for the building against the weather;

The structure retained in accordance with Condition [] during the progress of the works

- 5. CF7 CONTRACT FOR REDEVELOPMENT BEFORE DEMOLITION
- 6. C13 SAMPLES OF EXTERNAL MATERIALS including balustrade
- 7. CH1 MASONRY DETAILS

Before the relevant section of work begins, details of the following shall be submitted to and approved in writing by the Local Planning Authority:

- A sample of the bricks and brickbond to be used in block up the existing rear pedestrian door.
- the face bond of brickwork:
- description of the joints proposed;
- mortar mix, profile and finish.

The works shall be carried out in accordance with the approved details.

- 8. CH4 POINTING
- 9. CH5 RE-POINTING
- 10. C17 REPAIRS IN SITU

Unless otherwise agreed beforehand in writing by the local planning authority the existing fabric of the building shall be stabilised, maintained, repaired and adapted as approved in situ as per the;

- Masonry Survey by Stoneworks Building Surveyors 08/04/2024
- Masonry repair Report HMAG-BML-XX-XX-RP-S-0010

#### 11. CJ6 MAKING GOOD - SUBMIT DETAILS

### 12. CH1 MASONRY DETAILS

Post creation of opening and introduction of steelwork, but before the relevant section of work begins, details of the following shall be submitted to and approved in writing by the Local Planning Authority:

- Details of the architectural details around the pad stones supporting the steelwork creating the 2 entrance doors to the front foyer rooms identified as 00-003 and 00-005 on drawing 10265-Art-XX-00-DR-A-41110 rev P03

The works shall be carried out in accordance with the approved details.

### 13. CE9 LATER APPROVAL OF DETAILS

Before the relevant section of work begins, details of the following shall be submitted to and approved in writing by the Local Planning Authority:

Repairs to the balcony on Broad Street

Details of any venting to the Woolhope Room

Details of any window seals, location and type to W021, W0202, and W0203

The works shall be carried out in accordance with the approved details

### 14. CE9 LATER APPROVAL OF DETAILS

No works in relation to any of the features specified below shall commence until details are submitted to and approved in writing by the Local Planning Authority. The work shall be carried out in full in accordance with such approved details,

- The new suspended ceilings in foyer rooms identified as 00-003 and 00-005 on drawing 10265-Art-XX-00-DR-A-41110 rev P03
- The new ceiling to third floor rear exhibition room identified on drawings; 10625 Art-XX-00-A-16129 Rev P01, 10625 Art-XX-00-A-16123 Rev P01, 10625 Art-XX-00-A-16126 Rev P01 and 10625 Art-XX-00-A-16127 Rev P0
- Replacement skirting boards

The works shall be carried out in accordance with the approved details

#### 15. CE9 LATER APPROVAL OF DETAILS

No works in relation to any of the features specified below shall commence until details are submitted to and approved in writing by the Local Planning Authority. The work shall be carried out in full in accordance with such approved details

- Details of the method, procedure and application of paint removal from the stone mullioned windows W0017, W0018, and W0019
- The colour of any paint on the rendered plinth on the southern elevation below windows W0017, W0018, and W0019 Any repairs to the tracery windows, WT09/W0205, WT10/W0012,

The works shall be carried out in accordance with the approved details

#### 16. CE9 LATER APPROVAL OF DETAILS

No works in relation to any of the features specified below shall commence until details are submitted to and approved in writing by the Local Planning Authority.

- Between rafter roof insulation on the roof pitch fronting Broad Street.

The works shall be carried out in accordance with the approved details

#### 17. CE9 LATER APPROVAL OF DETAILS

No works in relation to any of the features specified below shall commence until details are submitted to and approved in writing by the Local Planning Authority.

- Any works to the staircase or balustrade to the principal staircase in the entrance hall 00-004 on drawing number 10265-Art-XX-00-DR-A-41110 rev P03

The works shall be carried out in accordance with the approved details

- 18. CJ4 SOLAR PANELS APPEARANCE
- 19. CJ1 M&E SERVICES