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**MEETING** : DEVELOPMENT MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE  
**VENUE** : COUNCIL CHAMBER, WALLFIELDS, HERTFORD  
**DATE** : WEDNESDAY 11 NOVEMBER 2015  
**TIME** : 7.00 PM

**PLEASE NOTE TIME AND VENUE**

**MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE:**

Councillor D Andrews (Chairman).

Councillors M Allen, K Brush, M Casey, M Freeman, J Jones, J Kaye, D Oldridge, T Page, P Ruffles and K Warnell, Vacancy.

**Substitutes:**

Conservative Group: Councillors S Bull, J Cartwright and B Deering.

*(Note: Substitution arrangements must be notified by the absent Member to the Committee Chairman or the Executive Member for Development Management and Council Support, who, in turn, will notify the Committee service at least 7 hours before commencement of the meeting.)*

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1. A Member, present at a meeting of the Authority, or any committee, sub-committee, joint committee or joint sub-committee of the Authority, with a Disclosable Pecuniary Interest (DPI) in any matter to be considered or being considered at a meeting:
  - must not participate in any discussion of the matter at the meeting;
  - must not participate in any vote taken on the matter at the meeting;
  - must disclose the interest to the meeting, whether registered or not, subject to the provisions of section 32 of the Localism Act 2011;
  - if the interest is not registered and is not the subject of a pending notification, must notify the Monitoring Officer of the interest within 28 days;
  - must leave the room while any discussion or voting takes place.
2. A DPI is an interest of a Member or their partner (which means spouse or civil partner, a person with whom they are living as husband or wife, or a person with whom they are living as if they were civil partners) within the descriptions as defined in the Localism Act 2011.
3. The Authority may grant a Member dispensation, but only in limited circumstances, to enable him/her to participate and vote on a matter in which they have a DPI.
4. It is a criminal offence to:
  - fail to disclose a disclosable pecuniary interest at a meeting if it is not on the register;
  - fail to notify the Monitoring Officer, within 28 days, of a DPI that is not on the register that a Member disclosed to a meeting;
  - participate in any discussion or vote on a matter in which a Member has a DPI;
  - knowingly or recklessly provide information that is false or misleading in notifying the Monitoring Officer of a DPI or in disclosing such interest to a meeting.

(Note: The criminal penalties available to a court are to impose a fine not exceeding level 5 on the standard scale and disqualification from being a councillor for up to 5 years.)

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## AGENDA:

### 1. Apologies

To receive apologies for absence.

### 2. Chairman's Announcements

### 3. Declarations of Interest

### 4. Minutes – 14 October 2015

To confirm the Minutes of the meeting of the Committee held on Wednesday 14 October 2015 (Previously circulated as part of the Council Minute book for Wednesday 28 October 2015).

### 5. Planning Applications and Unauthorised Development for Consideration by the Committee (Pages 7 – 10).

(A) 3/15/0928/FUL – Erection of 6 No. flats, 2 No. houses and 2 No. commercial units at Adams Yard, Maidenhead Street, Hertford, SG14 1DR for Atlantic Hertford Limited\_(Pages 11 – 26).

Recommended for Approval.

(B) 3/15/1756/FUL – Change of use from B1 office to C3 residential comprising 13no flats, related external alterations, and ancillary development at Church House, Church Street, Ware for Astute Electronics Ltd\_(Pages 27 – 40).

Recommended for Approval.

(C) a) 3/15/1607/FUL and b) 3/15/1608/LBC – Single storey rear extension and glazed infill extension at Courtyard Arts Centre, Port Vale, Hertford, SG14 3AA for Courtyard Arts Centre\_(Pages 41 – 52).

- a) Recommended for Approval.
- b) Recommended for Approval.

- (D) 3/15/1657/HH – Construction of a home office/garden outbuilding to replace existing concrete panelled outhouse structure at Brambles, 8 Church Path, Great Amwell for Ms Anna Baptist\_(Pages 53 – 62).

Recommended for Approval.

- (E) E/15/0142/ENF – Unauthorised removal of fireplaces at Danes, 34 Little Berkhamstead Lane, Little Berkhamstead, Herts, SG13 8LU (Pages 63 – 68).

Enforcement.

6. Delegated Authority For Service Of Section 225A Notices (Removal Notices) (Pages 69 – 74).

7. Items for Reporting and Noting (Pages 75 – 110).

(A) Appeals against refusal of Planning Permission/ non-determination.

(B) Planning Appeals Lodged.

(C) Planning Appeals: Inquiry and Informal Hearing Dates.

(D) Planning Statistics – ‘To Follow’.

8. Urgent Business

To consider such other business as, in the opinion of the Chairman of the meeting, is of sufficient urgency to warrant consideration and is not likely to involve the disclosure of exempt information.