
APPLICATION DETAILS

Application No:	20/0074/FUL
Location:	Land at Low Gill Gypsy Lane, Middlesbrough
Proposal:	Erection of 9 dwellings and the inclusion of 4 additional housetypes
Applicant:	Avant Homes (North East)
Ward:	Marton East
Recommendation:	Approve subject to 106 Agreement

SUMMARY

Permission is sought for the erection of 9 additional dwellings on the Low Gill housing development site including 4 new house types. The site currently has full permission for 160 dwellings, it seeks to revise pockets of the scheme replacing 17 dwellings with 26 dwellings i.e. 9 additional dwellings, bringing the total number of dwellings to 169

Following a consultation exercise objections were received from residents from 15 properties within the Low Gill estate and Ward Councillors.

It is considered that the proposed development would provide a good mix of dwelling types which are considered to be of high quality design and materials to compliment the approved development with an appropriate layout. The development will not result in a significant detrimental impact on the amenities of existing local residents. The layout does not alter the approved internal road layout and will not result in significant additional traffic on the local highway network.

The development meets the requirements of the relevant national planning policies detailed within the NPPF and Local Plan policies, specifically H1, H11, CS4, CS5 and DC1. The recommendation is for approval of the application subject to conditions and a S106 agreement.

SITE AND SURROUNDINGS AND PROPOSED WORKS

The site is located to the north of Gypsy Lane opposite the entrance to High Gill Road. The site is the ongoing Low Gill residential development which is currently under construction.

Permission is sought for the erection of 9 additional dwellings in the Low Gill housing development site. The site currently has full permission for 160 dwellings, it seeks to revise

pockets of the scheme replacing 17 dwellings with 26 dwellings i.e. 9 additional dwellings, bringing the total number of dwellings to 169. The revised scheme includes 4 new housetypes and one previously approved housetype.

The 26 dwellings proposed in the re-plan consist of:

- a) 6no. two bed dwellings, (single housetype)
- b) 15no. three bed dwellings; (three different house types)
- c) 5no. four bed dwellings. (single house type)

The majority are detached and 6 are semi-detached.

The following documents were submitted in support of the application.

- Drainage Statement
- Design and Access Statement

PLANNING HISTORY

18/0570/FUL

2no. dwellings, additional housetype and external alterations to approved dwellinghouses
Approved with Conditions 26.10.2018

17/0269/FUL

Erection of 8no dwellings and alterations to approved road layout
Approved with Conditions 08.09.2017

M/FP/1351/15/P

Variation of condition no 2 on planning approval M/FP/0261/14/P - alterations to layout including removal of dwellings adjacent Gypsy Lane reducing no of dwellings to 150
Approved with Conditions 17.02.2016

M/FP/0261/14/P

Residential development comprising 164No dwellings
Approved with Conditions 05.10.2015

PLANNING POLICY

In accordance with Section 38(6) of the Planning and Compulsory Purchase Act 2004, Local Planning Authorities must determine applications for planning permission in accordance with the Development Plan for the area, unless material considerations indicate otherwise. Section 143 of the Localism Act requires the Local Planning Authority to take local finance considerations into account. Section 70(2) of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 (as amended) requires Local Planning Authorities, in dealing with an application for planning permission, to have regard to:

- The provisions of the Development Plan, so far as material to the application
- Any local finance considerations, so far as material to the application, and
- Any other material considerations.

Middlesbrough Local Plan

The following documents comprise the *Middlesbrough Local Plan*, which is the Development Plan for Middlesbrough:

- Housing Local Plan (2014)
- Core Strategy DPD (2008, policies which have not been superseded/deleted only)
- Regeneration DPD (2009, policies which have not been superseded/deleted only)
- Tees Valley Joint Minerals and Waste Core Strategy DPD (2011)
- Tees Valley Joint Minerals and Waste Policies & Sites DPD (2011)
- Middlesbrough Local Plan (1999, Saved Policies only) and
- Marton West Neighbourhood Plan (2016, applicable in Marton West Ward only).

National Planning Policy Framework

National planning guidance, which is a material planning consideration, is largely detailed within the *National Planning Policy Framework* (NPPF). At the heart of the NPPF is a presumption in favour of sustainable development (paragraph 11). The NPPF defines the role of planning in achieving economically, socially and environmentally sustainable development although recognises that they are not criteria against which every application can or should be judged and highlights the need for local circumstances to be taken into account to reflect the character, needs and opportunities of each area.

For decision making, the NPPF advises that local planning authorities should approach decisions on proposed development in a positive and creative way, working pro-actively with applicants to secure developments that will improve the economic, social and environmental conditions of the area and that at every level should seek to approve applications for sustainable development (paragraph 38). The NPPF gives further overarching guidance in relation to:

- The delivery of housing,
- Supporting economic growth,
- Ensuring the vitality of town centres,
- Promoting healthy and safe communities,
- Promoting sustainable transport,
- Supporting the expansion of electronic communications networks,
- Making effective use of land,
- Achieving well designed buildings and places,
- Protecting the essential characteristics of Green Belt land
- Dealing with climate change and flooding, and supporting the transition to a low carbon future,
- Conserving and enhancing the natural and historic environment, and
- Facilitating the sustainable use of minerals.

The planning policies and key areas of guidance that are relevant to the consideration of the application are:

H1 - Spatial Strategy
 H11 - Housing Strategy
 CS4 - Sustainable Development
 CS5 - Design
 DC1 - General Development

The detailed policy context and guidance for each policy is viewable within the relevant Local Plan documents, which can be accessed at the following web address.
<https://www.middlesbrough.gov.uk/planning-and-housing/planning/planning-policy>

CONSULTATION AND PUBLICITY RESPONSES

Following a consultation exercise including a notice in the paper, site notices and letters to 91 resident's properties, objections received from residents in 15 properties. All resident

objections come from properties within the development itself. The resident comments are summarised below:

Resident comments in objection:

- a) Highway safety, increase in vehicles accessing the site;
- b) Pedestrian safety;
- c) Reversing from drives onto road which already has a blind corner;
- d) Inadequate parking and visitors double parking will add to the issues for vehicles manoeuvring;
- e) Parking spaces located at bends/junctions;
- f) Parking at rear adjacent to existing houses where residents bought them expecting private drives;
- g) Existing residents park on the footpaths and cause issues, this will increase;
- h) People with drives to the rear will park at the front;
- i) There should be direct access from rear parking to the garden/house, not from the side as proposed;
- j) Poor visibility;
- k) Increased traffic and congestion on the site and the surrounding area;
- l) Increased cars parked on road that we planned to utilise for additional cars to our property;
- m) Inadequate access to the site for vehicles and pedestrians;
- n) Increased density not in keeping with the rest of the site;
- o) Road should be a one way system;
- p) No speed limits, cars speed in the estate;
- q) Overdevelopment, too many dwellings;
- r) Poor layout;
- s) Increased overlooking, reduced privacy;
- t) Reduction in landscaped front gardens due to extra parking;
- u) Dwellings not in keeping with the rest of the estate, poor design, flat frontages;
- v) Not the luxury 4/5 bed housing development that we were sold;
- w) No details of landscaping/planting;
- x) Increased noise;
- y) Impact on open spaces kids use to play;
- z) Bins will block footpaths when they are out for collection;
- aa) Poor access, manoeuvrability for larger vehicles/fire appliances;
- bb) No footpaths in private roads/cul-de-sacs;
- cc) Existing residents have been misled by Avant;
- dd) About maximising profit and reducing plot sizes for those waiting for small houses at the expense of the existing residents; and,
- ee) Reduction in property value.

Comments received from:

- 1. 1 Beau Gardens
- 2. 2 Beau Gardens
- 3. 6 Beau Gardens
- 4. 18 Beau Gardens
- 5. 27 Beau Gardens
- 6. 28 Low Gill View
- 7. 30 Low Gill View
- 8. 32 Low Gill View
- 9. 36 Low Gill View
- 10. 38 Low Gill View
- 11. 42 Low Gill View
- 12. 50 Low Gill View
- 13. 81 Low Gill View
- 14. 83 Low Gill View
- 15. 109 Low Gill View

Waste Policy - MBC

Properties serviced by a shared drive will be required to make their waste and recycling receptacles available for collection at the nearest public highway. Collections will not be made from the shared drives.

Environmental Health - MBC

No comments

Local Flood Authority - MBC

No comments

Highways - MBC

The level of traffic generated by the 9 additional dwellings and its subsequent impact on the adjacent highway network is not materially different to that previously considered, mitigated for and approved by the authority.

The design of the internal layout has not materially changed from the approved scheme and follows the principles established through the previous approvals with the scheme being designed and constructed to a standard suitable for adoption. The parking provision meets the requirements in the Highways Design Guide. As such no objections are raised from the Local Highway Authority.

Northumbrian Water

In making our response to the local planning authority Northumbrian Water will assess the impact of the proposed development on our assets and assess the capacity within Northumbrian Water's network to accommodate and treat the anticipated flows arising from the development. We do not offer comment on aspects of planning applications that are outside of our area of control.

It should also be noted that, following the transfer of private drains and sewers in 2011, there may be assets that are the responsibility of Northumbrian Water that are not yet included on our records. Care should therefore be taken prior and during any construction work with consideration to the presence of sewers on site. Should you require further information, please visit <https://www.nwl.co.uk/services/developers/>

Having assessed the proposed development against the context outlined above I can confirm that at this stage we would have no comments to make, as the application documents indicate that surface water will discharge to the existing watercourse. Should the drainage proposal change for this application, we would request re-consultation.

Northern Powergrid

No response

Northern Gas

No objections, however there may be apparatus in the area that may be at risk during construction works and should the planning application be approved, then we require the promoter of these works to contact us directly to discuss our requirements in detail. Should diversionary works be required these will be fully chargeable.

Councillors Tom Mawston and Dorothy Davison

The present revised plan shows a reduction of just one house following objections from residents and Ward Councillors. This plan does not remove the problems raised initially.

The threat to highway safety still exists. Problems will arise if residents are reversing on or off drives owing to the road layout.

The plans show a density of houses in a cramped style that affects the character of the estate and impacting on amenities.

The land in front of the houses is basically parking spaces with little or no garden and no garages. Visitor parking would be on road near to bends in the road.

The original plans submitted for the existing development were objected too by many residents and the Ward Councillors of Marton East, Nunthorpe and Marton West. These objection resulted in a revised plan with a reduction in numbers of houses.

The Planning Committee at the time passed that application despite the original objections still in place.

Residents purchased homes based on the site plans. They are very disappointed and angry that the developer is wanting to change drastically the character of the area with little or no thought for them.

Councillor Mieka Smiles

Objects to the development for the following reasons:

- We have a complete lack of community facilities in Nunthorpe. Rectification of this needs to come before more homes are built.
- More houses on this development will put pressure on our already stretched infrastructure - including the lack of a modern GP surgery and the need for more classrooms at our educational facilities.
- Traffic pressures would be further exasperated. There are a number of developments already in progress contributing 'incrementally' to the overall picture and they need assessing as a whole.

Public Responses

Number of original neighbour consultations	91
Total numbers of comments received	15
Total number of objections	15
Total number of support	0
Total number of representations	0

Site notice posted –
13th February 2020

PLANNING CONSIDERATION AND ASSESSMENT

Principle of Development

1. The site is allocated for housing in the Local Plan and permission has previously been granted for housing on the site. As a result the principle of dwellings on this land has been established. This application seeks to increase the total number of dwellings from 160 to 169. The initial planning permission for the site was for 164 dwellings on this site. In planning policy terms this application will consider the principle of the additional dwellings on the site, the highways implications, and the detail of the dwellings proposed in terms of the, landscaping, appearance, scale and the site layout.

2. During the application process revisions have been made to the development in response to consultation responses and officer comments which included the reduction in the proposed number of additional dwellings from 10 to 9.
3. The comments received will be considered throughout this report. Those comments which are not material planning considerations cannot be considered when determining this application. These include:
 - a) mis-sold properties;
 - b) decrease in property values;
 - c) developers maximising profit;
 - d) cars will park on roads where existing residents planned to park; and,
 - e) the availability of services such as doctors.

Planning Policy

4. The National Planning Policy Framework (NPPF) makes clear that when local planning authorities assess residential schemes they should take account of the need to deliver a wide choice of high quality homes, widen opportunities for different types of home ownership, and plan positively for the achievement of high quality and inclusive design for all development. In addition, the NPPF states that local planning authorities should approach decisions on proposed development in a positive and creative way and work proactively with applicants to secure developments that will improve the economic, social and environmental conditions of the area.
5. The proposed increase is very minor, and serves to re-plan part of the development from some of the larger plots with smaller two, three and four bed dwellings. The proposed development also retains all the open space on the site.
6. It is considered that the proposal would meet National Planning Policy Framework aims and objectives, regarding increasing and delivering a wide choice of high quality homes.
7. The proposed development will also contribute towards meeting the required housing numbers in line with Policies H1 and H11 of the Local Plan.

Highways

8. The proposals seek to re-plan elements of the internal layout of the previously approved scheme from 160 units to 169, a net increase of 9 dwellings (5 over the earlier approval of 164 dwellings).
9. Whilst it is noted that there are a number of comments in relation to the site access in terms of traffic generation, it is considered that the additional 9 units will not have a material impact on the operation of the site access junction or the surrounding highway network. Paragraph 109 of the NPPF states that "development should only be prevented or refused on highways grounds if there would be an unacceptable impact on highway safety, or the residual cumulative impacts on the road network would be severe." Given that the increase in vehicle movements as the result of the additional dwellings proposed is considered would be negligible, it is considered there is no planning grounds to resist the application on highway related matters.
10. The internal highway layout has not materially changed from that considered and approved previously and will be designed and constructed to MBC standards and offered for adoption. Parking has been provided in accordance with the standards as set out in the Tees Valley Design Guide.

11. A number of objections relate to the site not having speed restrictions or yellow lines. This is due to the site being an ongoing development and the roads are not yet adopted by the Local highway Authority. Despite this, drivers are required by law to drive with due care and attention and this is not a matter controlled by planning legislation. As part of the re-plan it is proposed to install traffic calming along the initial section of the internal site access road. The traffic calming is likely to take the form of speed cushions and will assist in restraining vehicle speeds to 20mph or less. The use of shared surfaces on the shared drives is also a traffic calming method which reduces speeds of vehicles and has been used throughout the approved scheme. The proposed development is consistent with this approach.
12. Whilst note is taken of objector comments relating to people parking outside the front of their properties and not on the parking spaces within their properties, this again falls outside planning control. Planning should seek to provide adequate parking where deemed appropriate but how the property occupiers utilise it is beyond the control of planning controls.
13. The application has been considered by the Local Highway Authority who have no objections to the scheme. The development is considered to be in accordance with the requirements of Local Plan Policies DC1 and CS5.

Amenity

14. The privacy distances across the site have not significantly altered and remain in the most part as previously approved. Concerns have been raised regarding a reduction in privacy due to additional dwellings overlooking gardens, in particular where the revised scheme proposes 5 dwellings instead of the 3 approved. Although there may be more dwellings they are no closer, the number of bedrooms associated with these 5 dwellings proposed will rise to 15 from the 14 that the previous scheme would have resulted in and of those 15 bedrooms only 7 are rear facing which is 1 less than was within the approved scheme.
15. The increase in the number of dwellings is considered will not result in any overshadowing of existing properties on the site.
16. Objections have been received in relation to the size of the dwellings being smaller and therefore of a reduced quality. All but one of the proposed dwellings meet or exceed the government's space standards for new dwellings offering good amenity for the future residents which is considered to contribute towards a high quality scheme. The property which does not meet government space standards is only marginally smaller and is therefore considered to not undermine the quality of the development.
17. The increase in noise associated with an additional 9 dwellings in relation to every day activities and increased traffic is considered would be negligible and entirely appropriate within the residential estate and would therefore not notably harm the amenities associated with surrounding properties.
18. It is considered that the development will not have a detrimental impact on the amenity of any existing residents, and the layout will ensure that new residents have adequate levels of amenities. The development is considered to be in accordance with the requirements of Policy DC1 and CS5.

Design/Layout

19. During the application process officers noted a number of elements that were considered to undermine the overall achievement of high quality development within

this phase. As a result the applicant was requested to alter the scheme to remove these elements and enhance the overall design quality to be more in line with policy guidance. By way of example, alterations have achieved an increase in landscaped front gardens through placing driveways to the sides of properties, achieved through the removal of a proposed dwelling. The revised scheme also provides direct access to gardens from parking at the rear rather than access being at the side away from the in-curtilage parking. The developer has worked with the planning officers to make the necessary changes.

20. The loss of some green space at the fronts of properties has been raised by a number of residents, however these green spaces are within residential curtilages and as such under the previous approval the owners can remove them and replace them with hardstanding without the need for planning permission. The proposed development does not remove any of the open space which is outside residential curtilage.
21. The changes proposed are located in three sections within the approved development. As a result the smaller dwellings are located throughout the site rather than forming one area of smaller properties. This approach is considered to assimilate the dwellings into the scheme.
22. The proposed dwellings are located within the footprint of the previous phase. This scheme will retain the same level of public open space as the previously approved scheme. Importantly the increase in property numbers is achieved through the reduction of individual plot sizes within the development. The design of the dwellings proposed continue to take cues and characteristics from the wider site and are in keeping with those already approved. The fenestration, finishing materials and roof types link the proposed properties with the approved development. As a result, although the development is higher density, it does not stray too far from the character and appearance of the approved development. It maintains the public space and therefore the key character principles of the overall Low Gill development as originally envisaged has been maintained so that it is not considered to be out of keeping or to detract from the character of the area.
23. The NPPF requires local authorities to deliver a wide choice of high quality homes to significantly boost the supply of housing. The proposed dwellings offer a mix of high quality styles and sizes with varying garden sizes. The dwellings are considered to be in accordance with these requirements of the NPPF.
24. An area to store bins has been located adjacent to the adopted highway at the end of the shared drive. It is positioned so that it will not block the adopted highway.
25. The layout incorporates secured by design principles with properties facing onto open areas and walkways providing high levels of natural surveillance. Future residents will also benefit from the open aspects.
26. The proposed dwellings are considered to be high quality design in accordance with the requirements of Policies DC1, CS4 and CS5.

Other matters

27. Due to the increase in proposed dwellings it is considered necessary to vary the S106 Agreement for the development site, additional contributions are required for off-site affordable housing and Stewart Park.

Conclusion

28. The proposals represent a sustainable development, which will assist in the continued economic growth in the town. The proposed layout and dwellings are of a reasonably high quality design and would provide a pleasant and sustainable environment. Significant landscaped areas within the wider site will enhance ecological potential and will benefit the wider community, these areas are not impacted by the proposed changes. There are no statutory objections to the proposal in terms of the sustainability of the site or the ability to meet necessary flood, ecology, highways and noise mitigation.
29. It is considered that none of the material objections raised will result in a significantly detrimental impact on the character of the area, the nearby residents, or the community as a whole. The proposals do not conflict with local or national policies relating to sustainability, design, transport, open space or flood risk. The development will support the spatial vision set out in the development plan.

RECOMMENDATIONS AND CONDITIONS

Approve subject to 106 Agreement

1. Time Limit
The development to which this permission relates must be begun not later than the expiration of three years beginning with the date on which this permission is granted.

Reason: The time limit condition is imposed in order to comply with the requirements of Section 91 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990.
2. Approved Plans
The development hereby approved shall be carried out in complete accordance with the plans and specifications detailed below and shall relate to no other plans:
 - a) Site Layout, drawing no. GL_SL_01 rev. NN;
 - b) Boundary Treatment - Sheet 1, drawing no. GL_BT_01 rev. I;
 - c) Boundary Treatment - Sheet 2, drawing no. GL_BT_02 rev. R;
 - d) Planning Sheet - Elevations, Hornstone-Det-Millbrook, drawing no. 020/HONE/002 rev. B; Newton replace
 - e) Planning Sheet - Floor Plans, Hornstone-Det-Millbrook, drawing no. 020/HONE/001 rev. B;
 - f) Planning Sheet - Elevations, Beckford-Millbrook, drawing no. 020/BEC/002 rev. B;
 - g) Planning Sheet - Floor Plans, Beckford-End-Village, drawing no. 09/BFD/001 rev. A;
 - h) Planning Sheet - Floor Plans, Kinnerton-Det-Village, drawing no. 09/KTN/001 rev. A;
 - i) Planning Sheet - Elevations, Kinnerton-Det-Village, drawing no. 09/KTN/002 rev. A;
 - j) Planning Sheet - Floor Plans, Lorton End-Brick-Pitched, drawing no. LTN/001 rev. A;
 - k) Planning Sheet - Elevations, Lorton End-Brick-Pitched, drawing no. LTN/002 rev. A;
 - l) Planning Sheet - Floor Plans, Holbury-Det-Village, drawing no. HBY/001 rev. A;
 - m) Planning Sheet - Elevations, Holbury-Det-Village, drawing no. HBY/002 rev. A; and,
 - n) Drainage Statement, reference no. H76399-JNP-92-XX-RP-C-1001 rev. P01 dated 10th February 2020.

Reason: To ensure a satisfactory form of development and for the avoidance of doubt.

3. Materials

The development hereby approved shall be carried out using finishing materials which have been approved as part of the wider development (applications 17/0269/FUL and M/FP/1351/15/P), or in accordance with details and samples to be submitted to and approved in writing by the Local Planning Authority.

Reason: To ensure a satisfactory form of development.

4. Traffic Calming

Prior to implementation of the application hereby approved, plans detailing a scheme of traffic calming consisting of 4 pairs of speed cushions along Low Gill View shall be submitted to and approved in writing by the Local Planning Authority. The approved traffic calming scheme shall be implemented on site prior to first occupation of the first dwelling of the application hereby approved.

Reason: In the interests of amenity of the area and nearby residents and highway safety having regard for policies DC1 of the Local Plan.

REASON FOR APPROVAL

The proposed development of housing at Low Gill is considered to be appropriate for both the application site itself and within the surrounding area, in that the proposal is in accordance with national and local planning policy.

The relevant policies and guidance is contained within the following documents: - National Planning Policy Framework 2012 - Middlesbrough Local Development Framework (LDF) - Core Strategy (2008); Regeneration DPD and Proposal Map (2009) - Middlesbrough Housing Local Plan, Housing Core Strategy and Housing Development Plan Document (2014)

In particular, the proposal meets the national planning policy framework and guidance, in that the proposal is for a housing development that would not be out of scale and character within the surrounding area, and would not be detrimental to the local and residential amenities of the area. Issues of principle regarding development on an allocated site, the layout and design of the housing scheme and the generation of traffic, have been considered fully, including those set out in the representations made by nearby residents, and are not considered, on balance, to give rise to any inappropriate or undue affects. Accordingly, the Local Planning Authority considers that there are no material planning considerations that would override the general assumption that development be approved unless other material factors determine otherwise.

INFORMATIVES

Discharge of Condition Fee

Under the Town & Country Planning (Fees for Applications and Deemed Applications)(Amendment)(England) Regulations 2018, the Council must charge a fee for the discharge of conditions. Information relating to current fees is available on the Planning Portal website <https://1app.planningportal.co.uk/FeeCalculator/Standalone?region=1>.

Please be aware that where there is more than one condition multiple fees will be required if you apply to discharge them separately.

Building materials on highway

The applicant is reminded that building materials shall not be deposited on the highway without the specific consent of the Highway Authority.

Deliveries to site

It should be ensured that, during construction, deliveries to the site do not obstruct the highway. If deliveries are to be made which may cause an obstruction then early discussion should be had with the Highway Authority on the timing of these deliveries and measures that may be required so as to mitigate the effect of the obstruction to the general public

Rights of Access/Encroachment

This planning approval does not permit any person to access another person's land/property to enable the works to be completed, without their consent. Any encroachment into another person's land/property above or below ground is a civil matter to be resolved between the relevant parties.

Contact Statutory Undertakers

The applicant is reminded that they are responsible for contacting the Statutory Undertakers in respect of both the new service to their development and the requirements of the undertakers in respect of their existing apparatus and any protection/diversion work that may be required.

Street Name and Numbering

Should the development require Street Names, Numbers and/or Post Codes the developer must contact the Council's Naming and Numbering representative on 01642 728155.

Case Officer: Shelly Pearman

Committee Date: 10th July 2020

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Appendix 1 – Site Location Plan



Appendix 2: Proposed Site Layout Plan



Appendix 3: Proposed House Types



Front Elevation.
1 : 100



Right Side Elevation.
1 : 100



Rear Elevation.



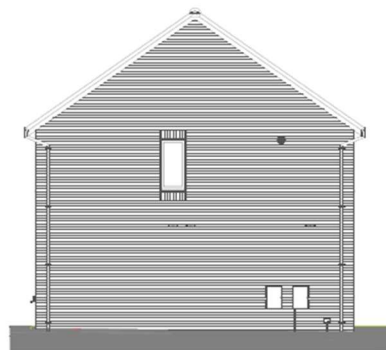
Left Side Elevation.



Front Elevation.
1 : 100



Rear Elevation.



Left Side Elevation.
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Front Elevation.
1 : 100



Right Side Elevation.
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Rear Elevation.



Left Side Elevation.