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Dear Ms Whitnall

TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING (DEVELOPMENT MANAGEMENT PROCEDURE) (ENGLAND) ORDER 2015

Application by Great Western Developments Ltd for the demolition of existing buildings and a mixed use redevelopment at Paddington Sorting and Delivery Office. Application numbers – 16/09050/FULL & 16/09052/LBC

I am directed by the Secretary of State to refer to the above planning applications.

In exercise of his powers under Article 31 of the Town and Country Planning (Development Management Procedure) (England) Order 2015, the Secretary of State hereby directs your Council not to grant permission on these applications without specific authorisation.

This direction is issued to enable him to consider whether he should direct under Section 77 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 that the applications should be referred to him for determination.

I would be grateful for acknowledgement that you have received this letter. Please contact me on the number above if you have any queries.

Yours sincerely

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