

HMO Planning Consultation Response

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Subject: Planning application reference number: **26/0521**

Location: **72 Llanthewy Road, Newport, NP20 4LA**

Application Description: **CHANGE OF USE OF A DWELLING (C3 USE) TO A 6 BEDROOM HOUSE IN MULTIPLE OCCUPATION (C4 USE)**

14th August 2026

I refer to the above planning application passed to the Environmental Health Housing Team for comment.

With regard to 72 Llanthewy Road, Newport, NP20 4LA, I confirm I have no objection regarding the proposed change of use to a house in multiple occupation.

Where there is a proposed change of use to a House in Multiple Occupation (HMO) the most appropriate person (usually the landlord/owner of the property) must contact the Environmental Health Housing Team on 01633 656656 or EHHousing@newport.gov.uk with regard to HMO licensing.

The applicant is advised to read Newport City Council's Houses in Multiple Occupation (HMO) Licensing Standards, which details standards and licensing conditions for HMOs subject to licensing. The document can be viewed on Newport City Council's website.

In addition to HMO Licensing, private landlords are required by the Housing (Wales) Act 2014 to be registered. Also private landlords who undertake letting and management activities or their managing agents, will need to obtain a licence from Rent Smart Wales and undergo training. For further information contact the Licensing Authority; Cardiff City Council, Rent Smart Wales, PO Box 1106, Cardiff CF11 1UA, Tel No: 03000 133344, website www.rentsmartwales.gov.wales

Regards



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