



Reference planning application RU17/0843 (Notification for prior approval for a proposed change of use of a building and associated land from office use to a dwellinghouse comprising four dwellings at 1 Foundation House, Stoneylands Road, Egham.)

The Egham Residents' Association wishes to register its concern about this application, and in so doing we refer you to our response last year to planning application RU16/1676 for an adjacent site.

The proposal is to convert office floorspace into residential accommodation consisting of four 2-bedroom flats.

Is the intention to provide 'affordable' homes for single non-student people and families? If it is we could support the proposal notwithstanding the loss of commercial floorspace.

Or is the intention to fill the flats with students – in which case the application is part of the process, against which we have long protested, of turning Egham into another campus of Holloway College? If the latter is the plan, we oppose it.

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