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Application: 23/04455/FULL

Site: London Palladium 7 - 8 Argyll Street London W1F 7TF

Proposal: Replacement of rear door with feature door; removal of grilles and reinstatement of existing window infilled with brick work; and associated works.

Remit:

Theatres Trust is the national advisory public body for theatres. We were established through the Theatres Trust Act 1976 'to promote the better protection of theatres' and provide statutory planning advice on theatre buildings and theatre use in England through The Town and Country Planning (Development Management Procedure) (England) Order 2015, requiring the Trust to be consulted by local authorities on planning applications which include 'development involving any land on which there is a theatre'.

Comment:

Thank you consulting Theatres Trust on this application for planning permission at the Palladium. It seeks to alter a door and grille to the rear stairwell onto Hill's Place/Ramillies Place.

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We note that the corresponding listed building consent has already been granted for this project. As set out within the Heritage Statement both the doorway and grille as modern interventions are of no historic significance, and do not positively contribute to setting. The replacements represent an enhancement.

Therefore we are supportive of the granting of planning permission.

Please contact us if we may be of further assistance or should you wish to discuss these comments in further detail.

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