## **DESIGN AND ACCESS STATEMENT**

SITE ADDRESS

43 High Street, Bromyard HR7 4AE

USE

This three storey, listed, building has a retail use on the ground floor, with one flat above (spread over the first and second floors.) This application is for change of use of the ground floor (and part of the first floor) to become a restaurant, including the consumption of alcohol.) The planning application is accompanied by a listed building application to regularise certain works which have been carried out without consent, together with those necessary to achieve the change of use.

**AMOUNT** 

All the proposed works are internal with no increase in plan area or volume of the existing building.

**LAYOUT** 

The restaurant area (which will take up around 60% of the ground floor, and 50% of the first floor) will be positioned at the front of the building to allow easy pedestrian access as well as offering a good view of the high street from the first floor window. The existing flat will remain unaltered except for changing one of the bedrooms into the living room. A fire resisting partition will be fixed at first floor level to separate the flat from the restaurant area to comply with The Building Regulations.

**SCALE** 

No change

**LANDSCAPING** 

None proposed

**APPEARANCE** 

No change

**ACCESS** 

No change (Pedestrian access only from the High Street.