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POLICE

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Early Intervention & Prevention Unit
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Date: 28th March 2025

Application: SMD/2024/0509

Location: The Old Court House, High Street, Leek

**Proposal: Proposed Change of Use/Conversion of un-occupied first and second floor accommodation into 9 residential units
CONSULTATION ON REVISED INFORMATION**

Having reviewed the revised information in connection with the reduction in number of residential units proposed from the 12 initially sought down to 9, the views of Staffordshire Police remain those contained within the original planning consultation response dated 8th January 2025. As such the applicant and Local Planning Authority are referred back to them for consideration of the comments, observations and recommendations contained therein. As anticipated within that response, the previous Secured by Design guidance document has now been superseded by the following iteration - Secured by Design Residential Guide 2025.

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Designing Out Crime Officer

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