

## **Stevenage Borough Council**

## **Community Infrastructure Levy – Instalment Policy**

This Instalments Policy has been prepared and published in accordance with Regulation 69B of the Community Infrastructure Levy Regulations 2010 (as amended). It takes effect on the 01 April 2020.

Stevenage Borough Council will allow the payment of CIL by Instalments as set out in the following table. The instalments permitted will be linked to the amount payable (the chargeable amount) as recorded on the Liability Notice.

Total CIL Liability	Number of Instalments	Total Timescale for Instalments	Payment amount	Payment period
Up to and including £6,000	2	270 days (9 months)	10%	60 days from commencement date (as stated in the commencement notice).
			90%	270 days from commencement
£6,001 to £30,000	3	365 days (1 year	10%	60 days from commencement
			45%	270 days from commencement
			45%	365 days from commencement
£30,001 to £150,000	3	548 days (18 months)	10%	60 days from commencement
			45%	365 days from commencement
			45%	548 days from commencement
£150,001 to £300,000	4	730 days (2 years)	10%	60 days from commencement
			30%	365 days from commencement
			30%	548 days from commencement
			30%	730 days from commencement
£300,001 to £600,000	5	1095 days (3 years)	10%	60 days from commencement
			23%	365 days from commencement

			23%	548 days from commencement
			23%	730 days from commencement
			21%	1095 days from commencement
£600,001 to £1,200,000	6	1460 days (4 years)	10%	60 days from commencement
			18%	365 days from commencement
			18%	548 days from commencement
			18%	730 days from commencement
			18%	1095 days from commencement
			18%	1460 days from commencement
£1,200,001 to £1,800,000	7	1825 days (5 years)	10%	60 days from commencement
			15%	365 days from commencement
			15%	548 days from commencement
			15%	730 days from commencement
			15%	1095 days from commencement
			15%	1460 days from commencement
			15%	1825 days from commencement
£1,800,001	8	2190 days (6 years)	10%	60 days from commencement
and over			13%	365 days from commencement
			13%	548 days from commencement
			13%	730 days from commencement
			13%	1095 days from commencement
			13%	1460 days from commencement
			13%	1825 days from commencement
			12%	2190 days from commencement

## Notes:

- 1) Where an outline planning permission permits development to be implemented in phases, each phase of the development is a separate chargeable development which may be collected in accordance with this Instalments policy
- 2) The Instalments policy does **not** apply to charges arising from retail developments which shall be due within 90 days of commencement date unless otherwise agreed in writing with the charging authority **prior** to the commencement date.
- 3) Nothing in this Instalments Policy prevents the person with the assumed liability to pay

CIL, to pay the outstanding CIL (in whole or in part) in advance of the Instalment period set out in this policy.

## **CIL Instalments Guidance Notes**

Regulation 70 of the Community Infrastructure Levy Regulations 2010 (as amended) sets out the requirements that must be complied with in order to benefit from the CIL Instalments Policy

The CIL Instalments Policy will only apply in the following circumstances:

- 1) Where the Council has received a CIL Assumption of Liability form prior to the commencement of the chargeable development (Regulation 70 (1) (a)), and
- 2) Where the Council has received a CIL Commencement Notice prior to the commencement of the chargeable development (Regulation 70 (1) (b))

If either of the above requirements are not complied with, the total CIL liability will become payable within 60 days of the commencement of the chargeable development. In addition, surcharges may apply due to the CIL Assumption of Liability Form and/or the CIL Commencement Notice not being submitted to the Council prior to the commencement of the chargeable development.

Once the development has commenced, all CIL payments must be made in accordance with the CIL Instalments Policy. Where a payment is not received in full on or before the day on which it is due, the total CIL liability becomes payable in full immediately (Regulation 70 (8) (a))

This policy will not apply if any or more of the following applies:

- a) A commencement notice has not been submitted prior to the commencement of the chargeable development, as required by Regulation 67 of the Community Infrastructure Regulations 2010 (as amended)
- b) On the intended date of commencement:
  - I. Nobody has assumed liability to pay CIL in respect of the chargeable development,
  - II. A commencement notice has been received by Stevenage Borough Council in respect of the chargeable development and
  - III. Stevenage Borough Council has not determined a deemed commencement date for the chargeable development, and therefore payment is required in full, as required by Regulation 71 of the Community Infrastructure Regulations 2010 (as amended)
- c) A person has failed to notify Stevenage Borough Council of a disqualifying event before the end of 14 days beginning with the day on which the disqualifying event occurs, as per the Community Infrastructure Regulations 2010 (as amended)

d) An instalments payment has not been made in full after the end of a period of 30 days beginning with the day on which the instalment payment was due, as per the Community Infrastructure Regulations 2010 (as amended)

Where the instalments policy is not applicable, the amount must be paid in full at the end of the period of 60 days beginning with the notified or deemed commencement date of the chargeable development or the date of the disqualifying event, whichever is the earliest, unless specified otherwise within the Community Infrastructure Levy Regulations 2010 (as amended).

In all cases, the full balance is payable on occupation / opening of the development, if this is earlier than the instalment dates set out in the table above.

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