

# Application to Vary Building Regulation 75 – Building Height

## PROPERTY VARIATION IS SOUGHT FOR

ADDRESS                      Number \_\_\_\_\_ Street/Road \_\_\_\_\_  
Town \_\_\_\_\_ Postcode \_\_\_\_\_

## APPLICANT DETAILS

APPLICANT NAME \_\_\_\_\_  
POSTAL ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_  
PHONE (BH) \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

## IMPORTANT INFORMATION

In order for your application to be assessed, the completed application form must be accompanied by the following:

- Description of proposal, and justification of compliance with the Minister’s decision guidelines (see attached form)
- Two (2) copies of properly prepared plans which include:
  - site plans showing all dimensions, levels and setbacks of the proposed and adjoining buildings
  - elevations which accurately show the natural ground levels, the maximum height of the proposed building and the slope of the land
  - indication of the heights of building on nearby allotments
  - any other information that would support the application
- Copy of a current Certificate of Title
- A fee of \$299.80

## APPLICANT SIGNATURE

Signature

Date

## HOW WOULD YOU LIKE TO RECEIVE YOUR PERMIT

WILL COLLECT                       BY MAIL                       BY EMAIL

## PAYMENT OPTIONS

### CONTACT US

Phone 03 5760 2600 to make an EFTPOS or credit payment over the phone.

Fax 03 5762 5537

Email [council@benalla.vic.gov.au](mailto:council@benalla.vic.gov.au)

### IN PERSON

Visit the Council’s Customer Service Centre at 1 Bridge Street East, Benalla

### MAIL

Send this application back to us with a cheque for the full amount made payable to Benalla Rural City Council, PO BOX 227, BENALLA VIC 3671

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**DESCRIPTION OF PROPOSAL AND REASONS FOR APPLICATION**

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**ASSESSMENT CRITERIA Building Height – Regulation 75**

The Minister for Planning (Minister's Guideline MG/12, June 2005) has set out the objective and decision guidelines that Council must have regard to when considering varying a design and siting standard.

**If any matter set out in the guideline is not met, then Council must refuse consent.**

To assist Council in determining if the objective and decision guidelines have been met, please describe how your application meets the following appropriate assessment criteria.

**Objective: To ensure that the height of buildings respects the existing or preferred character of the neighbourhood.**

**Decision guidelines**

- a. the height will be more appropriate taking into account the prevailing heights of existing buildings on nearby allotments; or *(comment below)*

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- b. the height will be more appropriate taking into account the preferred character of the area, where it has been identified in the relevant planning scheme; and *(comment below)*

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- c. the height is consistent with a building envelope that has been approved under a planning scheme or planning permit and or included in an agreement under section 173 of the Planning and Environment Act 1987; and *(comment below)*.

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- d. the height will not result in a disruption of the streetscape; and *(comment below)*.

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- e. the height is consistent with any relevant neighbourhood character objective, policy or statement set out in the relevant planning scheme. *(comment below)*.

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