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For the attention of Chris Stanworth

Ref: 15NP0009 (The erection of a timber framed and clad rangers store and a new borehole to be sunk west of the existing visitor centre)

Please find Natural England's response in relation to the above mentioned consultation attached herewith.

<<NE Feedback Form- 2015.pdf>> <<145540 NE Response.pdf>>

Regards

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Dear Sir or Madam

Planning consultation: The erection of a timber framed and clad rangers store and a new borehole to be sunk west of the existing visitor centre.

Location: Welltown Quarry Picnic Site, Brampton, Greenhead, Northumberland, CA8 7HZ

Thank you for your consultation dated and received by Natural England on 19 February 2015.

Natural England is a non-departmental public body. Our statutory purpose is to ensure that the natural environment is conserved, enhanced, and managed for the benefit of present and future generations, thereby contributing to sustainable development.

Natural England has previously commented on this proposal and made comments to the authority in our letter dated 10 February 2015

The advice provided in our previous response applies equally to this amendment although we made no objection to the original proposal.

The proposed amendments to the original application relate largely to layout, and are unlikely to have significantly different impacts on the natural environment than the original proposal.

Should the proposal be amended in a way which **significantly** affects its impact on the natural environment then, in accordance with Section 4 of the Natural Environment and Rural Communities Act 2006, Natural England should be consulted again. Before sending us the amended consultation, please assess whether the changes proposed will materially affect any of the advice we have previously offered. If they are unlikely to do so, please do not re-consult us.

Yours faithfully

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