

*The Sneep,  
Tarset,  
Hexham,  
Northumberland,  
NE48 1RN*

*Tel. Bellingham (01434) 240256  
Fax (01434) 609365*

Rebecca Adams  
Northumberland National Park Authority  
Eastburn  
South Park  
Hexham  
NE46 1BS

31<sup>st</sup> March 2016

Dear Ms Adams,

Thank you for your letter of 24<sup>th</sup> March. I now attach:-

1. Application for prior notification.
2. Cheque for £80 to follow in post
3. Location/site plan.
4. Specification of new shed
5. Picture of proposed shed
6. Please treat this letter as a short statement setting out additional details as follows:-
  - a. At present my cattle housing facilities are limited to five places in number plus followers. The farm can carry up to 20 cattle and I wish to expand the herd hence the need for a new cattle shed.
  - b. The present sheds are over 60 years old and are designed for small old fashioned implements. Extra space for storage of agricultural implements and modern size tractor is required which will in turn remove implements from the fields and make the farm tidier.
  - c. At the moment I have no storage space for straw so have to buy individual bales which is uneconomical. The new shed will contain my winter straw.
  - d. The shed will provide facilities for clipping and scanning sheep thus improving management and welfare. A modern shed would also provide for more convenient muck handling.

I look forward to hearing from you as soon as possible.

Yours faithfully

