

Nottinghamshire Wildlife Trust - Nottinghamshire Minerals Local Plan Examination Matter 5

Nottinghamshire Wildlife Trust (NWT) – Submission for the Nottinghamshire Minerals Local Plan Examination – Supplementary Questions.

MATTER 5 – Site Allocation Development Briefs

Issue: Whether the Development Briefs are consistent with national policy, effective and otherwise sound.

MP2p - Mill Hill near Barton-in-Fabis

56 Should the Brief require assessment in accordance with national policy on Green Belt, including measures to mitigate any effects on the Green Belt?

Yes, NE consider that this is necessary, given the proposed duration of this mineral scheme and its particularly sensitive and visible location in the Green Belt.

57 Should a requirement for assessment of effects on the Trent Valley Green Infrastructure Corridor be included?

Yes, this corridor contains not only the Attenborough SSSI and Nature Reserve but also the Trent Valley Way; an important and popular recreational route.

58 Should a requirement for assessment of impact on the Attenborough Nature Reserve be included.

Yes, this has already been undertaken at an application stage, after advice from NE and NWT to the Applicant, but is still, after four Regulation 25 requests, incomplete.