TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT, 1990 NORTH YORK MOORS NATIONAL PARK AUTHORITY

NOTICE OF DECISION OF PLANNING AUTHORITY ON APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION TO CARRY OUT DEVELOPMENT

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The above named Authority being the Planning Authority for the purposes of your application registered 17 February 2011, in respect of erection of a 15kW wind turbine (max height 17.4 metres to blade tip) at Howlet Hall, Ugglebarnby Lane, Ugglebarnby have considered your said application and have refused permission for the proposed development for the following reason:

1. The proposed wind turbine, by reason of its height, design, kinetic movement and location away from the existing property in open countryside would result in an unduly obtrusive feature in this part of the National Park and as such would have an unacceptable adverse impact on the character and appearance of this open and elevated landscape. The proposal is therefore considered to be contrary to Core Policy D of the NYM Local Development Framework which seeks to ensure that renewable energy installations are in a location and are of a scale and design appropriate to the locality and to Core Policy A which seeks to ensure that new development conserves and enhances the special qualities of the National Park and does not have an unacceptable impact on the quiet enjoyment, peace and tranquillity of the Park.

Mr C M France Director of Planning

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