Ove Arup and Partners Limited fao: Mrs Laura Marchant Rose Wharf 78 East Street Leeds LS9 8EE

Your ref:

Gen-P9-XXX-PLN-002

Our ref:

NYM/2016/0452/CVC

Date:

2 AUG 2016

Dear Mrs Marchant

Verification check of condition 56 of planning approval NYM/2014/0676/MEIA at Dove's Nest Farm & Haxby Plantation, Sneatonthorpe(proposed minehead); underneath 252 sq km of the NYMNPA(winning & working of minerals); a corridor extending underground from the edge of the NP boundary to Wilton International Complex(mineral transport system); Lady Cross Plantation near Egton, Lockwood Beck Farm near Moorsholm, Tocketts Lythe, near Guisborough(intermediate shaft sites); site within the eastern limits of the Wilton International Complex, Teesside(tunnel portal)

I refer to the details submitted in relation to the above verification check which was registered on 20 June 2016 together with the additional verge protection and mitigation measures set out in Robert Staniland's email of 28th July.

I would advise you that having assessed the information submitted with the above Verification Check; I can confirm that the details are acceptable in pursuant to Condition 56 (Protection of species rich verges) of the above planning permission for the Doves Nest Farm part of the overall project. For the avoidance of doubt, verge protection details are still outstanding for the Ladycross Plantation part of the mine project.

I trust that the above advice is of assistance, but if you have any further queries please don't hesitate to contact Mark Hill at the above address.

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Yours Sincerely

Mr C M France

Director of Planning