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For the attention of: Sarah Papaleo

Cumberland Council (Copeland area)

[By email: Development.Control3@cumberland.gov.uk]

12 February 2024

Dear Sarah Papaleo

Re: 4/24/2036/0B1

VARIATION OF CONDITION 2 TO ALTER HOUSE TYPES, REMOVE PARKING COURTS & CHANGE THE HOUSING MIX OF PLANNING APPLICATION 4/21/2196/0R1 APPROVAL OF RESERVED MATTERS FOR ACCESS, APPEARANCE, LANDSCAPING, LAYOUT & SCALE FOR 5 DWELLINGS FOLLOWING OUTLINE APPROVAL 4/16/2416/001; HARRAS DYKE FARM, HARRAS DYKE, WHITEHAVEN

Thank you for your notification of 8 February 2024 seeking the views of the Coal Authority on the above.

The Coal Authority is a non-departmental public body sponsored by the Department for Energy Security and Net Zero. As a statutory consultee, the Coal Authority has a duty to respond to planning applications and development plans in order to protect the public and the environment in mining areas.

We have reviewed the site location plan provided and can confirm that the site falls within the Coal Authority's defined Development Low Risk Area. On this basis we have no specific comments to make.

However, in the interest of public safety, it is requested that the Coal Authority's Standing Advice note is drawn to the applicant's attention, where relevant.

Yours

The Coal Authority Planning Team

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