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From: Bennett, Andrew
Sent: 16 January 2013 10:49
To: Wilkinson, Alison
Subject: TPO - Viewlands, Shilburn Road, Allendale, NE47 9LG
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Hi Alison,

This is an interesting one, as it turns out.

This Order is the "*Tynedale District Council (Rear of Viewlands, Shilburn Road, Allendale) Tree Preservation Order 1999*" which was made on a provisional basis on 15 July 1999.

The Order itself is, unfortunately, a bit of a mish-mash of different concepts:

- 1) The Order seeks to protect a Group of trees. The Group should be identified as "G1" in the Order, but instead it is labelled as "T1" (which is the labelling that is intended for use for individual trees. In itself, this is not a fatal error, but read on...
- 2) Group T1 is then described as "*hedgerow, including 2 sycamore trees 1 ash tree*". Whilst hedgerow trees may be included in a TPO, they must be specifically identified if a Group designation is used (as the sycamores and ash trees have been done here). Hedgerow generically cannot be used and, in particular, hedges, bushes and shrubs cannot be protected under a TPO. There is therefore some doubt as to the extent of the Order here, with the exception of the three trees specifically identified.
- 3) Finally, there is no evidence that the TPO was ever confirmed. It may have been – we just can't prove it as it was never endorsed to that effect and, given the errors above, even confirmation would throw some doubt onto the situation.

As it was clearly the intention of Tynedale DC to protect trees at the position located on the attached plan, I would recommend as follows:

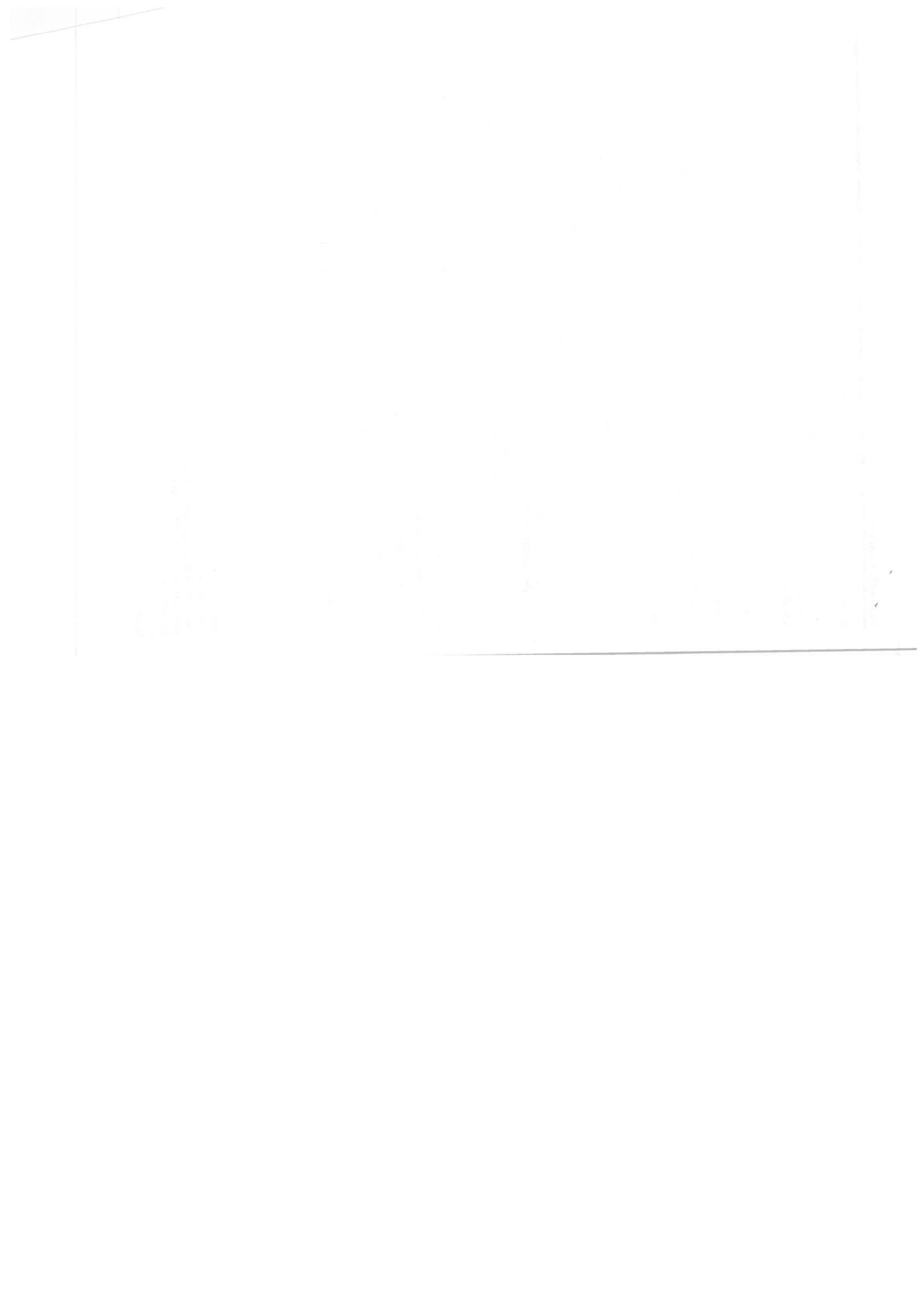
- A) Either endorse the original Order as "Not confirmed" or, alternatively, revoke it;
- B) At the same time, re-survey the trees and decide which, if any, should be protected;
- C) If any are still suitable for protection, then make a fresh TPO and serve this at the same time as any decision letter is issued in accordance with paragraph a) above.

Sorry that this is not a clear-cut case to proceed with – but you get a lot of that with old TPOs, I'm afraid.

Thanks,

Andrew

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Subject: [PROTECT]TPO - Viewlands, Shilburn Road, Allendale, NE47 9LG

Good morning Andy

Would you mind checking to see if this is a current TPO? Specifically for an ash tree on the rear boundary.

Regards

Alison

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Town and Country Planning Act 1990

Town and Country Planning (Tree Preservation) (England) Regulations 2012

**The Northumberland County Council
(Land at Viewlands, Shilburn Road, Allendale)
Tree Preservation Order 2013
(no. 02 of 2013)**

The **Northumberland County Council**, in exercise of the powers conferred on them by section 198 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 make the following Order—

Citation

1. This Order may be cited as the **Northumberland County Council (Land at Viewlands, Shilburn Road, Allendale) Tree Preservation Order 2013 (no. 02 of 2013)**.

Interpretation

2.

- (1) In this Order “the authority” means the **Northumberland County Council**.
- (2) In this Order any reference to a numbered section is a reference to the section so numbered in the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 and any reference to a numbered regulation is a reference to the regulation so numbered in the Town and Country Planning (Tree Preservation) (England) Regulations 2012.

Effect

3.

- (1) Subject to article 4, this Order takes effect provisionally on the date on which it is made.
- (2) Without prejudice to subsection (7) of section 198 (power to make tree preservation orders) or subsection (1) of section 200 (tree

preservation orders: Forestry Commissioners) and, subject to the exceptions in regulation 14, no person shall –

- (a) cut down, lop, uproot, wilfully damage, or wilfully destroy; or
- (b) cause or permit the cutting down, topping, lopping, wilful damage or wilful destruction of,

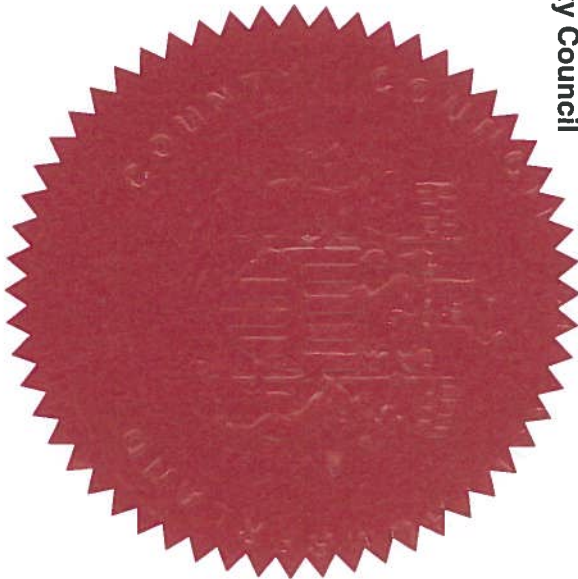
any tree specified in the Schedule to this Order except with the written consent of the authority in accordance with regulations 16 and 17, or of the Secretary of State in accordance with regulation 23, and, where such consent is given subject to conditions, in accordance with those conditions.

Application to trees to be planted pursuant to a condition

4. In relation to any tree identified in the first column of the Schedule by the letter "C", being a tree to be planted pursuant to a condition imposed under paragraph (a) of section 197 (planning permission to include appropriate provision for preservation and planting of trees), this Order takes effect as from the time when the tree is planted.

Dated this 04th day of February 2013

The Common Seal of the **Northumberland County Council**
was hereunto affixed in the presence of -



.....
Duly Authorised Officer

Seal no. 11819

Confirmation of Order

This Order was confirmed by the Northumberland County Council without modification on the14th..... day ofMARCH.....2013

~~OR~~

~~This Order was confirmed by the Northumberland County Council, subject to the modifications indicated by:~~

.....
.....
.....

~~I state how indicated, on the day of20..~~

Signed:

ANDREW BENNETT

Officer Title:LEADER OFFICER..
Authorised by the Council to sign in that behalf

~~Decision not to confirm Order~~

~~A decision not to confirm this Order was taken by the Northumberland County Council on the day of20..~~

Signed:

~~Officer Title:
Authorised by the Council to sign in that behalf~~

Variation of Order

This Order was varied by the Northumberland County Council on the day of20.. by a variation order under reference number[insert reference number to the variation order] a copy of which is attached.

Signed:

Officer Title:
Authorised by the Council to sign in that behalf

Revocation of Order

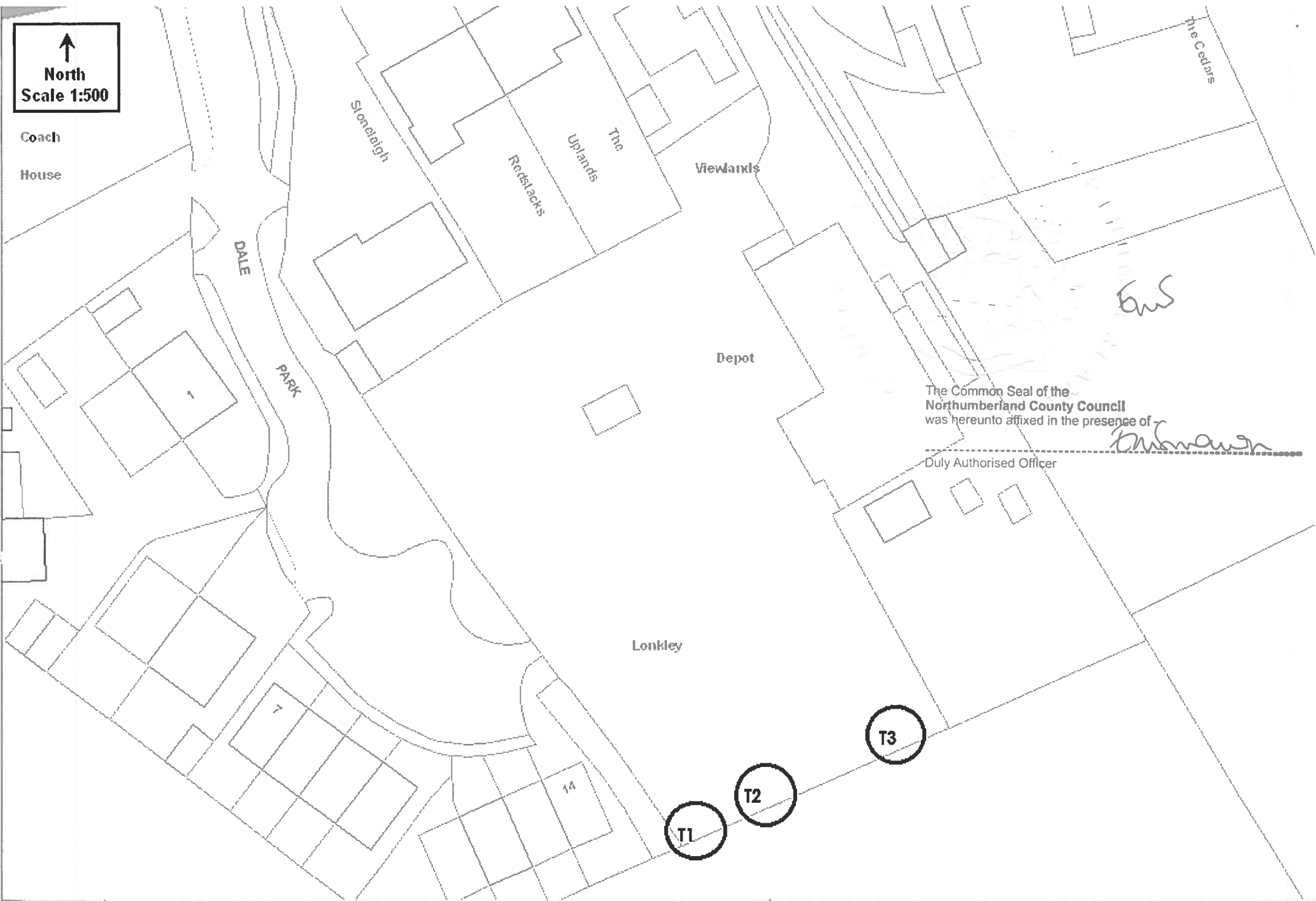
This Order was revoked by the Northumberland County Council on the day of20..

Signed:

Officer Title:
Authorised by the Council to sign in that behalf



Coach
House



SCHEDULE
Specification of trees

Trees specified individually
(encircled in black on the map)

Reference on map	Description	Situation
T1	Sycamore	From the south west corner of the plot of land to the south of Viewlands, which lies immediately to the east of 14 Dale Park, the tree is located approximately 2 metres to the north east.
T2	Ash	From the south west corner of the plot of land to the south of Viewlands, which lies immediately to the east of 14 Dale Park, the tree is located approximately 10 metres to the north east.
T3	Ash	From the south west corner of the plot of land to the south of Viewlands, which lies immediately to the east of 14 Dale Park, the tree is located approximately 27 metres to the north east.

Trees specified by reference to an area
(within a dotted black line on the map)

Reference on map	Description	Situation
None	None	None

Groups of trees
(within a broken black line on the map)

Reference on map	Description (including number of trees in the group)	Situation
None	None	None

Woodlands
(within a continuous black line on the map)

Reference on map	Description	Situation
None	None	None

Town and Country Planning Act 1990

Town and Country Planning (Tree Preservation) (England) Regulations 2012

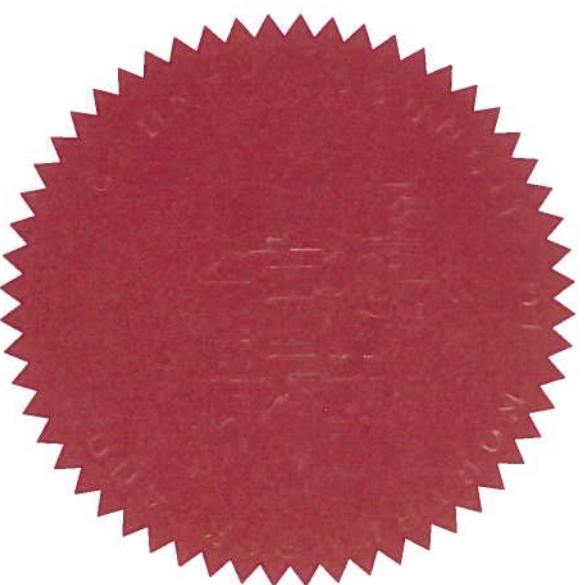
The Northumberland County Council (Rear of Viewlands, Shilburn Road, Allendale Tree Preservation Order 1999 – Tynedale District Council) Revocation Order 2013

Northumberland County Council, in pursuance of the powers conferred in that behalf by sections 198 and 333(7) of the Town & Country Planning Act 1990 hereby makes the following Order:-

That the **Rear of Viewlands, Shilburn Road, Allendale Tree Preservation Order 1999 – Tynedale District Council** made on 15 July 1999 is hereby revoked.

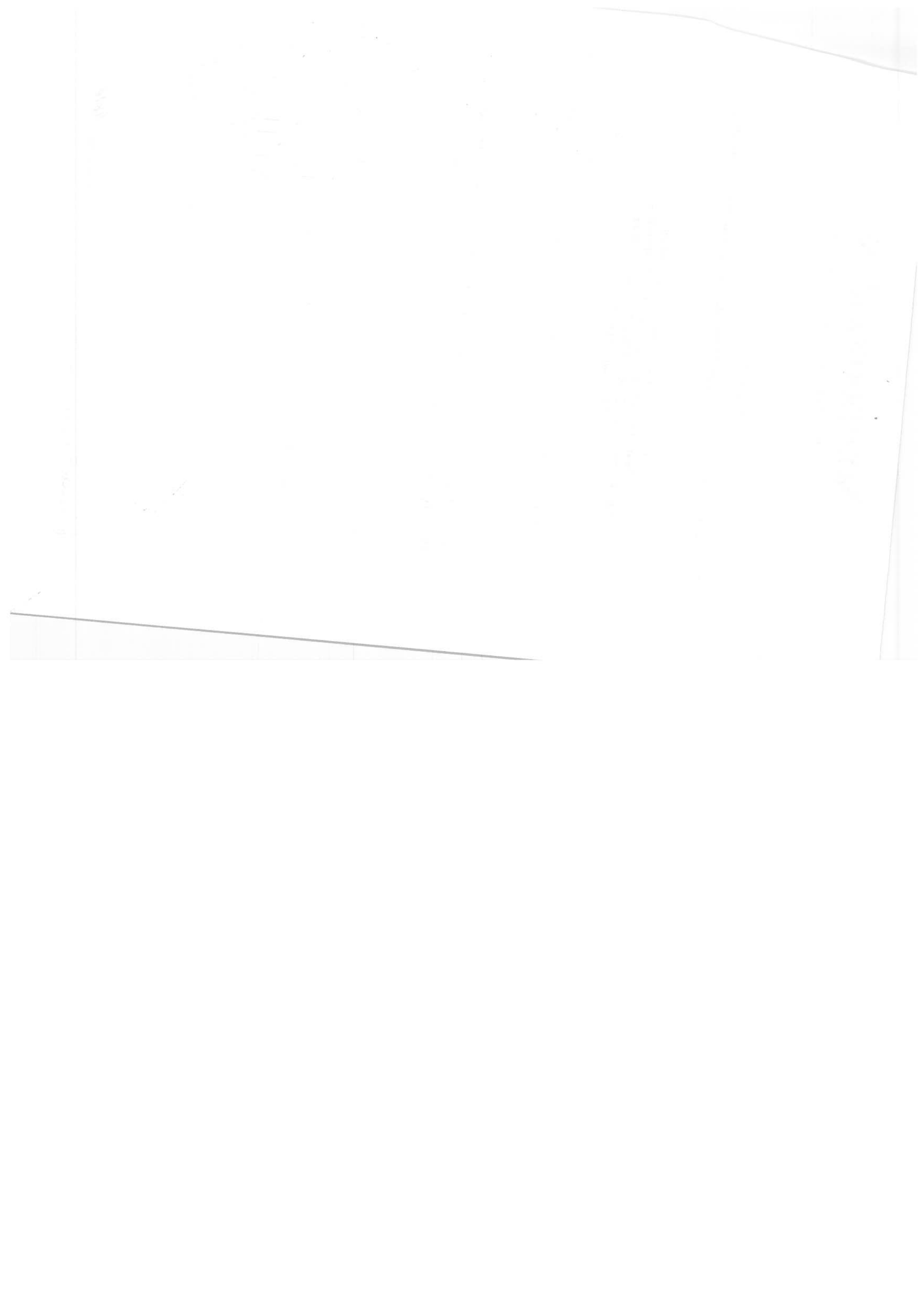
Dated this 04th day of February 2013

The Common Seal of
Northumberland County Council
was hereunto affixed in the presence of -



[Signature]
.....Duly Authorised Officer

Seal Number: *11/8/13*



FIRST SCHEDULE

TREES SPECIFIED INDIVIDUALLY*

<i>No. on Map.</i>	<i>Description.</i> (encircled in black on the map)	<i>Situation.</i>
NONE		

TREES SPECIFIED BY REFERENCES TO AN AREA*

<i>No. on Map.</i>	<i>Description</i> (within a dotted black line on the map)	<i>Situation.</i>
NONE		

GROUPS OF TREES*

<i>No. on Map.</i>	<i>Description.</i> (within a broken black line on the map)	<i>Situation.</i>
T1	HEDGEROW, INCLUDING 2 SYCAMORE TREES 1 ASH TREE	REAR OF VIEWLANDS, SHILBURN ROAD, ALLENDALE

* The word "NONE" must be entered where necessary.

WOODLANDS*

<i>No. on Map.</i>	<i>Description</i> (within a continuous black line on the map)	<i>Situation.</i>
NONE		

* The word "NONE" must be entered where necessary.

SECOND SCHEDULE

This Order shall not apply so as to require the consent of the authority to

- (1) the cutting down of any tree on land which is subject to a forestry dedication covenant where
- (a) any positive covenants on the part of the owner of the land contained in the same deed as the forestry dedication covenant and at the time of the cutting down binding on the then owner of the land are fulfilled;
- (b) the cutting down is in accordance with a plan of operations approved by the Forestry Commission under such deed.
- (2) the cutting down of any tree which is in accordance with a plan of operations approved by the Forestry Commission under a grant scheme under section 1 of the Forestry Act 1979 except a scheme which applies to a forestry dedication covenant.
- (3) the cutting down, uprooting, topping or lopping of a tree
- (a) by or at the request of the Post Office where the land on which the tree is situated is land which has been acquired for the purpose of the Post Office's undertaking and either works on such land cannot otherwise be carried out or the cutting down, uprooting, topping or lopping is for the purpose of securing safety in the operation of the undertaking; or the lopping in pursuance of the power conferred on any operator of a telecommunications code system by virtue of paragraph 19 of Schedule 2 to the Telecommunications Act 1984;
- (b) by or at the request of
- (i) a statutory undertaker or a holder of a licence under section 6(1) of the Electricity Act 1989 where the land on which the tree is situated is operational land as defined by the Act and either works on such land cannot otherwise be carried out or the cutting down, uprooting, topping or lopping is for the purpose of securing safety in the operation of the undertaking;
- (ii) a licence holder within the meaning of Part I of the Electricity Act 1989, where such tree obstructs the construction by the licence holder of any electric line within the meaning of Part I of the said Act of 1989 or interferes or would interfere with the maintenance or working of any such line;
- (iii) the National Rivers Authority or an internal drainage board established under the Water Act 1989, where the tree interferes or would interfere with the exercise of any of the functions of such authority or drainage board in relation to the maintenance, improvement or construction of water courses or of drainage works; or a water undertaker or sewerage undertaker appointed under section 11 of the Water Act 1989 in relation to their duties as such undertakers; or
- (iv) the Secretary of State for Defence, the Secretary of State for Transport, the Civil Aviation Authority, or in relation to any airport managed by a company to which any property, rights or liabilities have been transferred in pursuance of a scheme made under section 1 or 15 of the Airports Act 1986, the person for the time being having the management of the airport, where in the opinion of such Secretary of State, Authority or person the tree obstructs the approach of aircraft to, or their departure from, any airport or hinders the safe and efficient use of aviation or defence technical installations;
- (c) where immediately required for the purpose of carrying out development authorised by the planning permission granted on an application made under Part III of the Act, or deemed to have been so granted for any of the purposes of that Part;
- (d) which is a fruit tree cultivated for fruit production growing or standing on land comprised in an orchard or garden.

THIRD SCHEDULE

Provisions of the following parts of Part III of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 as adapted and modified to apply to this Order.

75.—(1) Without prejudice to the following provisions as to the revocation or modification of consents, any consent under the Order, including any direction as to replanting given by the authority on the granting of such consent, shall (except in so far as the consent otherwise provides), ensure for the benefit of the land and of all persons for the time being interested in it.

77. Reference of applications to the Secretary of State.—(1) The Secretary of State may give directions to the authority requiring applications for consent under the Order to be referred to him instead of being dealt with by the authority.

(2) A direction under this section may relate either to a particular application or to applications of a class specified in the direction.

(3) Any application in respect of which a direction under this section has effect shall be referred to the Secretary of State accordingly.

(4) Where an application for consent under the Order is referred to the Secretary of State under this section, the provisions of Articles 4 and 5 of the Order shall apply as they apply to such an application which falls to be determined by the authority.

(5) Before determining an application referred to him under this section the Secretary of State shall, if either the applicant or the authority wish, give each of them an opportunity of appearing before, and being heard by, a person appointed by the Secretary of State for the purpose.

(7) The decision of the Secretary of State on any application referred to him under this section shall be final.

78. Appeals against decisions or in default of decision.—(1) Where an authority—

(a) refuse an application for consent under the Order or grant it subject to conditions, or

(b) give any certificate or direction, on granting cor-
the applicant may by notice appeal to the Secretary of State.

(2) A person who has made an application for consent under the Order may also appeal to the Secretary of State if the authority have neither—

(a) given notice to the applicant of their decision on the application; nor

(b) given notice to him that the application has been referred to the Secretary of State in accordance with directions given under section 77 above,

within two months from the date of receipt of the application, or within such extended period as may at any time be agreed upon in writing between the applicant and the authority.

(3) Any appeal under this section shall be made by notice in writing served within such time as is specified in subsection (4) below.

(4) The service of such a notice must be within—

(a) 28 days from the receipt of notification of the decision, certificate or direction, as the case may be, or such longer period as the Secretary of State may allow; or

(b) in the case of an appeal under subsection (2), 28 days or such longer period as the Secretary of State may allow from the end of the period of two months or, as the case may be, the extended period agreed.

(5) In relation to an appeal under subsection (2), it shall be assumed that the authority decided to refuse the application in question.

79. Determination of appeals.—(1) On an appeal under section 78 the Secretary of State may—

(a) allow or dismiss the appeal,

(b) reverse or vary any part of the decision of the authority (whether the appeal relates to that part of it or not),
or

(c) cancel any certificate or cancel or vary any direction, and may deal with the application as if it had been to him in the first instance;

(2) Before determining an appeal under section 78 the Secretary of State shall, if either the appellant or the authority so wish, give each of them an opportunity of appearing before and being heard by a person appointed by the Secretary of State for the purpose.

(5) The decision of the Secretary of State on such an appeal shall be final.

97. **Power to revoke or modify the consent under the Order.**—(1) If it appears to the authority that it is expedient to revoke or modify any consent under the Order granted on an application made under Article 3 of the Order, the authority may by Order revoke or modify the consent to such extent as they consider expedient.

(3) The power conferred by this section may be exercised at any time before the operations for which consent has been given have been completed.

(4) The revocation or modification of consent shall not affect so much of those operations as has been previously carried out.

Provided that no compensation shall be payable in respect of loss or damage suffered by reason of such refusal or grant of consent in the case of any trees the subject of a certificate in accordance with Article 5 of this Order.

10.—In assessing compensation payable under the last preceding Article account shall be taken of:

(a) any compensation or contribution which has been paid whether to the claimant or any other person, in respect of the same trees under the terms of this or any other Tree Preservation Order made under section 198 of the Act, or under the terms of any Interim Preservation Order made under section 8 of the Town and Country Planning (Interim Development) Act 1943, or any compensation which has been paid or which could have been claimed under any provision relating to the preservation of trees or protection of woodlands contained in an operative scheme under the Town and Country Planning Act 1932, and

(b) any injurious affection to any land of the owner which would result from the felling of the trees the subject of the claim.

11.—(1). A claim for compensation under this Order shall be in writing and shall be made by serving it on the authority, such service to be effected by addressing the claim to the authority and leaving it at or sending it by post to the principal office of the authority.

(2) The time within which any such claim shall be made as aforesaid shall be a period of twelve months from the date of the decision of the authority, or of the Secretary of State, as the case may be, or where an appeal has been made to the Secretary of State against the decision of the authority, from the date of the decision of the Secretary of State on the Appeal.

12.—Any question of disputed compensation shall be determined in accordance with the provisions of section 205 of the Act.

13.—(1) The provisions of section 201 of the Act shall apply to this Order and the Order shall take effect on 15th July 1999.]*

[illegible]

NOTE: Any person contravening the provisions of this Order by cutting down, uprooting or wilfully destroying a tree, or by wilfully damaging, topping or lopping a tree in such a manner as to be likely to destroy it is guilty of an offence and liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding the prescribed sum⁵ or, on conviction on indictment to a fine. The penalty for any other contravention of this Order is a fine not exceeding Level 4 on the standard scale⁶ on summary conviction.

If a tree is removed, uprooted or destroyed in contravention of an order or, except in the case of a tree to which the Order applies as part of a woodland, is removed, uprooted or destroyed or dies at a time when its cutting down or uprooting is authorised only by section 198(6)(a) of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 relating to trees which are dying or dead or have become dangerous, it is the duty of the owner of the land, unless on his application the local planning authority dispense with the requirement, to plant another tree of appropriate size and species at the same place as soon as he reasonably can. Except in emergency, not less than 5 days previous notice of the removal, etc., should be given to the authority to enable the latter to decide whether or not to dispense with the requirement. In respect of trees in a woodland it is sufficient to replace the trees removed, uprooted or destroyed by planting the same number of trees either on or near the land on which the trees removed, uprooted or destroyed stood or on such other land as may be agreed between the authority and the owner of the land, and (in either case) in such places as may be designated by the authority.

* This provision is not to be included unless it appears to the authority that the Order should take effect immediately.

+ This provision may be included in relation to trees to be planted pursuant to a condition imposed under section 197 of the Act.

§ Currently a sum not exceeding £20,000.

‡ £1,000 but subject to alteration by Order.

(2) The authority shall keep a register of all applications for consent under this Order containing information as to the nature of the application, the decision of the authority thereon, any compensation awarded in consequence of such decision and any directions as to replanting of woodlands; and every such register shall be available for inspection by the public at all reasonable hours.

5.—Where the authority refuse consent under this Order or grant such consent subject to conditions they may when refusing or granting consent certify in respect of any trees for which they are so refusing or granting consent that they are satisfied—

- (a) that the refusal or condition is in the interests of good forestry; or
- (b) in the case of trees, other than trees comprised in a group of trees or in a woodland, that the trees have an outstanding or special amenity value; or
- (c) in the case of trees which are comprised in a group of trees or in a woodland, that the group of trees or the woodland, as the case may be, has an outstanding or special amenity value,

but a certificate shall not be given in the case of trees falling within (c) above if the application in respect of them has been referred by the Forestry Commissioners under section 15(1)(b) or 15(2)(a) of the Forestry Act 1967.

6.—(1) Where consent is granted under this Order to fell any part of a woodland other than consent for silvicultural thinning then unless—

- (a) such consent is granted for the purpose of enabling development to be carried out in accordance with a permission to develop land under Part III of the Act, or
 - (b) the authority with the approval of the Secretary of State dispense with replanting,
- the authority shall give to the owner of the land on which that part of the woodland is situated a direction in writing specifying the manner in which and the time within which he shall replant such land and where such a direction is given and the part is felled the owner shall, subject to the provision of this Order and section 204 of the Act, replant the said land in accordance with the direction.

(2) Any direction given under paragraph (1) of this Article may include requirements as to—

- (a) species;
- (b) number of trees per acre (hectare);
- (c) the erection and maintenance of fencing necessary for protection of the replanting;
- (d) the preparation of ground, draining, removal of brushwood, lop and top; and
- (e) protective measures against fire.

7.—On imposing any condition requiring the replacement of any tree under Article 4 of the Order, or on giving a direction under Article 6 of this Order with respect to the replanting of woodlands, the authority shall if such condition or direction relates to land in respect of which byelaws made by the National Rivers Authority, an internal drainage board, a water undertaker or a sewerage undertaker (as defined in the Water Act 1989) or any other authority whose functions are now exercised by the above bodies, restrict or regulate the planting of trees, notify the applicant or the owner of the land, as the case may be, of the existence of such byelaws and that any condition or direction has effect subject to the requirements of the byelaws, and the condition or direction shall have effect accordingly.

8.—The provisions set out in the Third Schedule to this Order, being provisions of Part III of the Act adapted and modified for the purposes of this Order, shall apply in relation thereto.

9.—Subject to the provisions of this Order, any person who has suffered loss or damage in consequence of any refusal (including revocation or modification) of consent under this Order or of any grant of any such consent subject to conditions, shall, if he makes a claim on the authority within the time and in the manner prescribed by this Order, be entitled to recover from the authority compensation in respect of such loss or damage.

98. **Procedure for s.97 Orders: opposed cases.**—(1) Except as provided in section 99, an Order under section 97 shall not take effect unless it is confirmed by the Secretary of State.

(2) Where an authority submit such an Order to the Secretary of State for confirmation, they shall provide the Secretary of State with a statement of their reason for making the Order and shall serve notice together with a copy of the statement on—

- (a) the owner of the land affected,
- (b) the occupier of the land affected, and
- (c) any other person who in their opinion will be affected by the Order.

(3) The notice shall specify the period within which any person on whom it is served may require the Secretary of State to give him an opportunity of appearing before, and being heard by, a person appointed by the Secretary of State for the purpose.

(4) If within that period such a person so requires, before the Secretary of State confirms the Order he shall give such an opportunity both to him and to the local planning authority.

(5) The period referred to in subsection (3) shall be 28 days from the service of the notice.

(6) The Secretary of State may confirm an Order submitted to him under this section either without modification or subject to such modifications as he considers expedient.

(7) Where a notice has been served in accordance with the provisions of subsection (2) of this section, no operations or further operations as the case may be, in pursuance of the consent granted, shall be carried out pending the decision of the Secretary of State under this section.

99. **Procedure for s.97 Orders: unopposed cases.**—(1) This section applies where—

- (a) the authority have made an Order under section 97 above; and
- (b) the owner and occupier of the land and all persons who in the authority's opinion will be affected by the Order have notified the authority in writing that they do not object to it.

(2) Where this section applies, instead of submitting the Order to the Secretary of State for confirmation the authority shall advertise the fact that the Order has been made and the advertisement must specify—

- (a) the period within which persons affected by the Order may give notice to the Secretary of State that they wish for an opportunity of appearing before, and being heard by, a person appointed by the Secretary of State for the purpose; and
- (b) the period at the expiration of which, if no such notice is given to the Secretary of State, the Order may take effect by virtue of this section without being confirmed by the Secretary of State.

(3) The authority shall also serve notice to the same effect on the persons mentioned in subsection (1)(b).

(4) The period referred to in subsection 2(a) must be not less than 28 days from the date the advertisement first appears.

(5) The period referred to in subsection 2(b) must be not less than 14 days from the expiration of the period referred to in subsection (2)(a).

(6) The authority shall send a copy of any advertisement published under subsection (2) to the Secretary of State not more than three days after the publication.

(7) If—

- (a) no person claiming to be affected by the Order has given notice to the Secretary of State under subsection (2)(a) within the period referred to in that subsection, and
 - (b) the Secretary of State has not directed within that period that the Order be submitted to him for confirmation,
- the Order shall take effect at the expiry of the period referred to in subsection 2(b) without being confirmed by the Secretary of State as required by section 98(1).

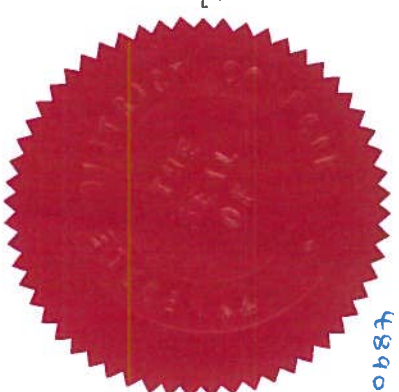
(8) This section does not apply to an Order revoking or modifying a consent granted or deemed to have been granted by the Secretary of State under Part III, Part VII or Part VIII of the Act.

GIVEN under the Common Seal of the

the 15th July

1999

CHAIRMAN OF COUNCIL
CHIEF EXECUTIVE



Dated 15TH JULY 1999

TYNEDALE DISTRICT COUNCIL

TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 1990

Insert title
of Order

Insert name
of local
planning
authority

Town and Country Planning Act 1990

REAR OF VIEWLANDS, SHILBURN ROAD, ALLENDALE

TREE PRESERVATION ORDER, 1999.

TYNEDALE DISTRICT COUNCIL

in this Order called “the authority”, in pursuance of the powers conferred in that behalf by sections 198 and 199 [and] 201*] [and] [300] of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990, and subject to the provisions of the Forestry Acts 1967 and 1979, hereby make the following Order:—

1. In this Order:—

“the Act” means the Town and Country Planning Act 1990;

“owner” means the owner in fee simple, either in possession or who has granted a lease or tenancy of which the unexpired portion is less than three years; lessee (including a sub-lessee) or tenant in possession, the unexpired portion of whose lease or tenancy is three years or more; and a mortgagee in possession; and

“the Secretary of State” means the [Secretary of State for the Environment, Transport and the Regions] [Secretary of State for Wales].

2.—Subject to the provisions of this Order and to the exemptions specified in the Second Schedule hereto, no person shall, except with the consent of the authority and in accordance with the conditions, if any, imposed on such consent, cut down, top, lop, uproot, wilfully damage or wilfully destroy or cause or permit the cutting down, topping, lopping, uprooting, wilful damage or wilful destruction of any tree specified in the First Schedule hereto or comprised in a group of trees or in a woodland therein specified, the position of which trees, groups of trees and woodlands is defined in the manner indicated in the said First Schedule on the map annexed hereto† which map shall, for the purpose of such definition as aforesaid, prevail where any ambiguity arises between it and the specification in the said First Schedule.

3.—An application for consent made to the authority‡ under Article 2 of this Order shall be in writing stating the reasons for making the application, and shall by reference if necessary to a plan specify the trees to which the application relates, and the operations for the carrying out of which consent is required.

4.—(1) Where an application for consent is made to the authority under this Order, the authority may grant such consent either unconditionally, or subject to such conditions (including conditions requiring the replacement of any tree by one or more trees on the site or in the immediate vicinity thereof), as the authority may think fit, or may refuse consent:

Provided that where the application relates to any woodland specified in the First Schedule to this Order the authority shall grant consent so far as accords with the principles of good forestry, except where, in the opinion of the authority, it is necessary in the interests of amenity to maintain the special character of the woodland or the woodland character of the area, and shall not impose conditions on such consent requiring replacement or replanting.

NOTE: Where appropriate this Order has been updated to reflect statutory amendments which have resulted in the need to show substitutions or repeals of the prescribed form.

* Include only where Order contains a direction under section 201 of the Act.

† Map to be to a scale of not less than 25 inches to one mile (1:2500), except in the case of large woodlands when the scale shall be 6 inches to one mile (1:10000 or 1:10560).

‡ NOTE: If it is proposed to fell any of the trees included in this Order and the felling requires a licence under the Forestry Act 1967, an application should be made in the first place to the Forestry Commission.

TREE PRESERVATION ORDER

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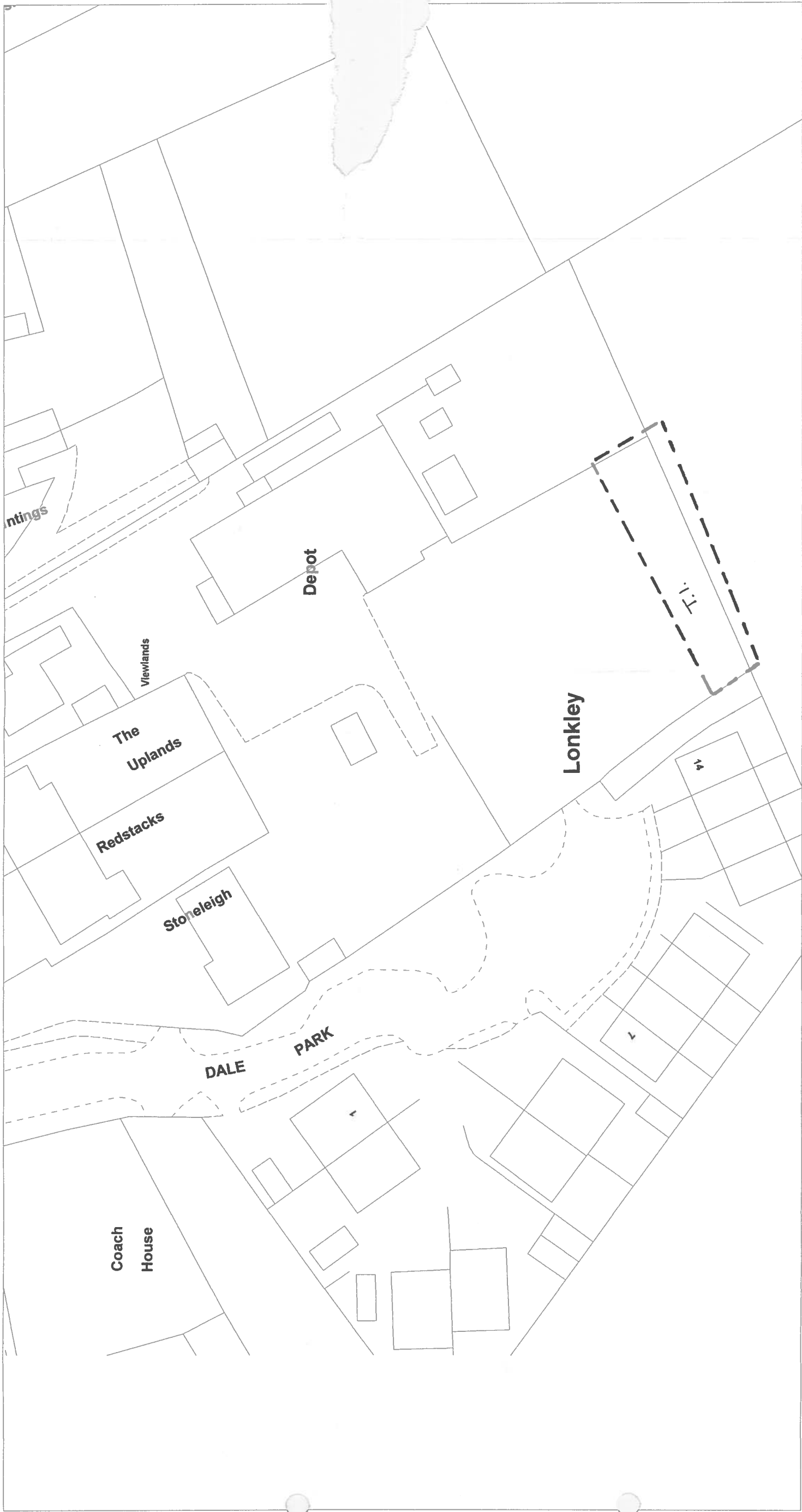
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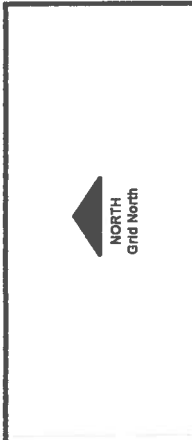
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