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3 May 2023

Dear Linda,

**APPLICATION NO:** 21/0050/CWS73M

**DESCRIPTION:** Variation of condition 2 (revise restoration date from 25.11.2051 to 31.12.2034); Condition 3 (revise working scheme including revised location of stone processing shed and replacement office/welfare facilities) and condition 7 (revise export limits to 100,000 tpa from 50,000 tpa for 3 years) relating to planning consent 14/0101/CWMAJM for extension to existing quarry, dated 21/05/2015

**LOCATION:** Oathill Quarry, Fiddlers Green, Temple Guiting, Gloucestershire, GL54 5SG

Thank you for consulting the Cotswolds National Landscape Board<sup>1</sup> ('the Board') on the additional information provided by the applicant in support of this development, which would be located within the Cotswolds National Landscape<sup>2</sup>.

As you will be aware, the Board has previously objected to the proposed increase in output at Oathill Quarry on a number of occasions, in letters dated:

- 28 September 2018, in response to planning application 18/0010/CWMAJM;
- 31 May 2019, in response to planning application 19/0032/CWMAJM;
- 1 July 2019, in response to the same planning application;
- 15 June 2020, in response to planning application 19/0086/CWMAJM;
- 22 January 2021, in response to the same planning application;
- 30 November 2021, in response to this planning application 21/0050/CWS73M; and
- 18 July 2022, in response to the same planning application.

Therefore, this response should be considered in addition to these previous responses, in particular those dated 30 November 2021 and 18 July 2022.

Having reviewed the submitted Highway Response (undated) and Technical Note (dated 24 March 2023), the Board considers that they do not respond to the Board's previous objections and therefore wishes to maintain our **objection** to this application to vary conditions 2 and 7 pursuant to planning consent 14/0101/CWMAJM.

**Cotswolds Conservation Board**

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The Cotswolds National Landscape is a designated Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty (AONB), managed and looked after by the Cotswolds Conservation Board.

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*Chairman:*  
**Brendan McCarthy**  
  
*Vice Chair:*  
**Rebecca Charley**

If you have any queries regarding the information provided in this response, please do not hesitate to get in touch.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'S. Joyce', with a small dot at the end.

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## NOTES:

- 1) Cotswolds National Landscape is the new name for the Cotswolds Areas of Outstanding Natural Beauty (AONB). The new name takes forward one of the proposals of the Government-commissioned 'Landscapes Review' to rename AONBs as 'National Landscapes'. This change reflects the national importance of AONBs and the fact that they are safeguarded, in the national interest, for nature, people, business and culture.
- 2) The name used for the organisation associated with the AONB designation is the Cotswolds National Landscape Board. At times this is abbreviated to National Landscape Board or The Board. The legal name of the organisation remains the Cotswolds Conservation Board but this name is no longer used in most circumstances.