

Submission ID: 17773

Re: ExQ1 – Q3.0.18 – Classifications of woodlands

The Ancient Woodland Inventory, held by Natural England is provisional and as such does not necessarily provide a complete picture of Ancient Woodland.

Looking at the woodlands surrounding the application site, we have reason to believe that Little Warren in particular, may be ancient. This is due to it's proximity to the Ancient Woodlands of Newell Wood and Castledike Wood. This and any other woodlands that may be Ancient as they contain Ancient Species Indicators, should be fully assessed prior to the proposal progressing.

Evidence should be submitted to Natural England as to whether these woods should be added to the inventory.

If you require any further information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

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