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Subject: Objection 2020/70/92894/W

Importance: High

Dear sir

we would like to strongly object to the application submitted by Abacus stone sales on various grounds

Abacus tried to kid the council that they had a wider access than originally thought but then the council put up an orange fence stopping them from going deeper into the woodland and having a gentleman from Kirklees to stand and monitor what they were doing proved that they knew something had to be done to ensure they did not go deeper into the woodland like they were hoping they could.

Work should have stopped immediately when they knew the ground was unstable they have exposed roots and brought trees down behind the orange fence again why was this allowed to happen why were Kirklees not monitoring the works they were doing and also when they realised it was not wide enough to actually get through on. This point proving this application did not work and should never have been started and now they want more of the woodland to be destroyed and a greater loss of trees with TPOs on how can this be allowed when the government specifically say that ancient woodland should be preserved and protected and not dug up for an access route to a small parcel of land it doesn't make any sense.

If ever person in Kirklees decided to buy an ancient woodland as they did in this case in a green belt area and kept applying for planning to dig it up and chop trees down that are hundreds of years old, we would have not greenbelt left this is making a president case for others in Kirklees this is why this should not be passed or allowed to happen.

The work would cause irreparable damage its already made a mess of the banking as it is to date Abacus stone at the beginning of all this were heavily fined for illegally cutting down trees without permission and should never have been allowed to get this far with this application they just keep pushing for more and more of the ancient woodland and Kirklees should not be allowed to allow this to happen. The proposal lacks any details no engineering drawings to say how they plan to hold up this road we are working below and the land is subsiding all the time This site would need battering and then it would need more of the woodland in order to create this again this would then go outside this planning application a fact the applicant is not discussing. Kirklees should have made them check out the ground conditions before they were allowed to make such a mess. Kirklees should have been asking how they ever planned to make this work you can clearly see that the planning doesn't work a fact that seems to be overlooked and never mentioned they knew it was to narrow but ploughed ahead pushing to get more woodland well Kirklees should say NO !

The applicant have a record for not adhering to permissions why would this one be any different and Kirklees are constantly on at them on this site and their other sites around kirklees.

I hope Kirklees protect this Ancient woodland and its trees and totally reject this application.

Yours sincerely