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Supporting Planning Statement

Shaley Farm

Sandy Gate Road

Scholes

Justification

A search of the planning history of the farm will reveal that this farm has, over the past 5 years, changed from a dairy farm to a beef farm. It has also diversified by changing some of the older buildings to a cattery, a holiday let and introducing stables.

This is a family farm that has been in the same family for several generations.

As the older stone buildings are not now suitable for housing animals new buildings are required. This extension will largely house cattle.

The farm has 358 cattle and 450 sheep. The extension is required to house the animals in the winter and when calving. It is an extension of the existing cattle shed.