

29th January 2024

Dear Sir/Madam,

Please find enclosed the District Level Licence WML-OR148 issued to Local Planning Authorities (LPAs) for DLL schemes covered by NatureSpace applications. This licence includes those LPAs that have joined the scheme under the Staffordshire Conservation Strategy. The current WML-OR112-9 consolidated licence is due to expire on 21 April 2024, this licence replaces it in effect from the 29th January 2024 and covers a 3-year period until 28th January 2027.

A copy of the licence is attached, and the relevant Conservation Strategy documents are available if required. This licence is accompanied by a NERC agreement signed by Naturespace, Natural England the Newt Conservation Partnership.

We would like to draw your attention to the following:

1. Condition 26: Please note that Natural England is minded not to consider enforcement of Condition 26 b, in relation to 'householder developments' only, as defined in the Conservation Strategy.

If you have any queries about the licence or the Annexes, please feel free to contact us to discuss further.

Best wishes

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