16. Planning Applications

The schedule of planning applications is attached.

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Human Rights Act 1998 Issues

The determination of the applications which are the subject of reports in this plans list are considered to involve the following human rights issues: -

- 1. Articles 8: Right to respect for private and family life.
- i) Everyone has the right to respect for his/her private and family life, his/her home and his/her correspondence.
- ii) There shall be no interference by a public authority with the exercise of this right except such as in accordance with the law and is necessary in a democratic society in the interests of national security, public safety or the economic well being of the country, for the prevention of disorder or crime, for the protection of health or morals, or for the protection of the rights and freedom of others.

2. The First Protocol

Every natural or legal person is entitled to the peaceful enjoyment of his/her possessions. No one shall be deprived of his possessions except in the public interests and subject to the conditions provided for by law and by the general principles of international law. The preceding provisions shall not, however, in any way impair the right of a State to enforce such laws as it deems necessary to control the use of property in accordance with the general interest or to secure the payment of taxes or other contributions or penalties.

Each report considers in detail the competing rights and interests involved in the application. Having had regard to those matters in the light of the convention rights referred to above, it is considered that the recommendation is in accordance with the law, proportionate and both necessary to protect the rights and freedoms of others and in the public interest.

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Background Papers:

Individual planning application files referred to in this document are held in the Planning Department, Brympton Way, Yeovil, BA20 2HT

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Planning Applications will not be considered before 4.00 pm

Members of the public who wish to speak about a particular planning item are recommended to arrive at 3.45 p.m.

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| 3 | 56 | TURN HILL | 09/04320/ FUL | Change of use of existing agricultural building and premises to light industrial use etc. (Retrospective) | Land adjacent Belmont House, Aller | Mr N Robertson |
| 4 | 64 | SOUTH PETHERTON | 10/00188/ FUL | The replacement of the existing permission with a new permission to allow caravan storage; touring caravans, tents, motor caravans (60 pitches); 4 seasonal holiday caravans and; 15 static caravan pitches; all for holiday purposes and a permanent wardens caravan. | West Down Orchard Touring Park, Lopen Head, South Petherton | Mr J Penfold |
| 5 | 75 | SOMERTON | 10/00231/ CPO | Section 96 review of old minerals planning permission (ROMP) under section 96 of the Environment Act 1995 | Quarry, Badgers Cross Lane, Somerton | Mr and Mrs M Squire |