PROPOSED GENERAL PURPOSE AGRICULTURAL BUILDING AT

AP STANWAY
APESFORD CROSSING COTTAGE
APESFORD
BRADNOP
LEEK
STAFFORDSHIRE
ST13 7EX

The applicants operate a small agricultural business comprising a breeding sheep flock and poultry enterprise. The holding comprises 22 acres of land with 8 acres owned and 14 acres rented with a hay crop taken off the mowing land annually. The business operates under holding number 37/053/0149. In terms of livestock numbers, the applicants keep 40 breeding ewes plus lambs and approximately 250 ducks plus ducklings.

The proposed building will be used to store the applicants range of machinery (tractor and implements), store equipment used by their business and to store hay and straw. During lambing, the space will be used to house sheep and lambs.

The proposed building has been sited on an area of scrub which was previously overgrown and therefore of limited use for agricultural purposes. The site is also well screened and close to the applicants house.

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