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Dear Mrs Curley,

Objection to SMD/2023/0532

On your report /comment from the Fire Brigade to this proposed application, it states that

The site should provide access and facilities for the fire service in accordance with Approved Document B5 of the Building Regulations Section 15 (Fire Mains and Hydrants) and Section 16 (Vehicle Access) .

I would remind you that access roads and drives upon which appliances would have to travel in order to proceed to within 45 metres of any property, should be capable of withstanding a load of the new generation of pumping appliances used within Staffordshire which have a G.V.W of 17800Kg.

There are several problems that will arise therefore on the matter of vehicular access and weight limit. Whiston Eaves Lane has a weight restriction of 7.5tons at the quarry entrance.





How will emergency fire service vehicles get to any wooden clad lodges situated down in the quarries, especially quarry 2 which is 1/2 a mile away from here by a narrow, circuitous, internal route and down in the bottom of that quarry ?

On the basis of fire risk, this is potentially lethal hazard in the scheme's design and layout.

Please put this as another objection to be registered on this application website.

Thank you.

Yours sincerely

Sheila Walters

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