

## WANDYLAW WINDFARM PUBLIC INQUIRY PREPARATION

### Assessment of Landscape and Visual Character (Ridgewind ES Section 8 and Appendix H)

#### Agreement with magnitude of visual effect from the following view points

- Viewpoint 1, (left and right), Eastern edge of Warenford village
- Viewpoint 2, Road heading west out of North Charlton
- Viewpoint 6, B4130 to the south of Bamburgh Castle
- Viewpoint 7, Road heading south west out of Craster
- Viewpoint 9, Minor road off the A697 at Powburn
- Viewpoint 10, St Cuthbert's Way, Gainslaw Hill
- Viewpoint 11, Cup and Ring marked rock, within site

#### Additional view points

I can confirm visibility from the following locations (per DDW 3/06/08), and whether I will be considering them in my evidence; however my considerations may conclude that there is no adverse impact.

Location	Visibility	Evidence
1. Dunstanburgh Castle	Visible	Yes (Suggested viewpoint location from John of Gaunt's tower – GR NU2564, 2181)
2. Inner Farne	Visible	Yes (Suggested viewpoint location from the north-western side of the light house – GR NU218357)
3. The Pennine Way over Cheviot	Not visible from trig point or Pennine Way, but from public rights of way close by	Yes
4. Flodden	Limited	No
5. The A1 between Warenford and Charlton Mires (in addition to 3 viewpoints undertaken by Ridgewind)	Visible	Yes
6. Seahouses (Primarily from view points along the B1340)	Visible	Yes (Suggested location eg stretch of road adjacent to St Aidan's Dunes GR NU207330)
7. Beadnell (Primarily from view points along the B1340,	Visible	Yes (Suggested location eg stretch south of Swinhoe, GR NU213278)

**Wandylaw Wind Farm Audit (Scott Wilson, 2007).**

Of the additional viewpoints advised by Scott Wilson I will consider the following in my evidence as indicated by a 'Yes' in column 3.

8. Bamburgh (surrounding elevated countryside including Castle, B1341, B1340)	Viewpoint 6	Yes, to include view from Bamburgh Castle Car park
9. Powburn (elevated locations along the A697, including Glanton, Whittingham)	Viewpoint 9	No
10. Ellingham / Preston / Embleton	Additional Viewpoint 13 as advised by Scott Wilson	Yes – generally to include minor road traveling south-east from Ellingham at approx GR NU175255.
11. From the B6348	Additional Viewpoint 14 as advised by Scott Wilson	Yes – generally to include views either side of GR NU110298
12. Hepburn – N.Charlton Road	Re-assessment of Viewpoint 2 as advised by Scott Wilson	Yes – in particular stretch between Botany and Quarry House, either side of GR NU095248. To include considerations of cumulative impact.

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