24. Biodiversity Net Gain

Do you believe that, if the development is granted planning permission, the Biodiversity Gain Condition (as set out in Paragraph 13 of Schedule 7A of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990) would apply?

☐ Yes ☑ No

If No, please provide reasons, with reference to which exemptions or transitional arrangements you believe apply:

4.2 Development below the de Minimus threshold
i) does not impact onsite Priority habitat
ii) impacts less than 25m² of onsite habitat that has biodiversity value greater than zero and less than 5 metres in length of onsite linear habitat.
(the site is 100% hardstanding).

If Yes, please provide the information requested in all the questions below:

Please provide the date the pre-development biodiversity value of onsite habitat(s) have been calculated: (this should be one of the following dates: the date of this application; or an earlier proposed date)

Date (DD/MM/YYYY): 20/08/2026.

Please provide the pre-development biodiversity value of onsite habitats on this date:

Zero.

If a date earlier than the date of the submission of the planning application has been specified above, please provide reasons why this date has been used:

Please state the publication date of the biodiversity metric tool(s) used to calculate the onsite biodiversity value(s) provided above.

Date (DD/MM/YYYY):

24. Biodiversity Net Gain (continued)

Has there been any loss (or degradation) of any onsite habitat(s), resulting from activities carried out before the date the pre-development biodiversity value of onsite habitat(s) was calculated and either:
- on or after 30 January 2020 which were not in accordance with a planning permission; or
- on or after 25 August 2023 which were in accordance with a planning permission?

☐ Yes ☑ No

If yes, please provide details including: the date immediately before this activity was carried out; the onsite biodiversity value on this date; and any supporting evidence (or reference to relevant document containing these details).

If yes, please state the publication date of the biodiversity metric tool(s) used to calculate any onsite biodiversity value(s) provided above.

Date (DD/MM/YYYY):

Does the application site have irreplaceable habitat(s) (corresponding to the descriptions in The Biodiversity Gain Requirements (Irreplaceable Habitat) Regulations 2024) which exist on land to which this application relates on the date the pre-development biodiversity value of onsite habitat(s) was calculated?

☐ Yes ☑ No

If yes, please provide a description of these and any further details (for example reference to relevant document):

☐ I/We confirm this application is accompanied by the following:
i. The completed biodiversity metric tool(s) showing the calculation of the pre-development biodiversity values, and on the dates, detailed above including, if applicable, those related to any loss (or degradation) of any onsite habitat(s)
ii. Plan(s), showing onsite habitat(s) existing on the date the pre-development biodiversity value of onsite habitat(s) was calculated; and
iii. If applicable, plan(s) showing onsite irreplaceable habitat(s) existing on the date the pre-development biodiversity value of onsite habitat(s) was calculated.

Please provide details (for example reference to relevant document):

Note: Plans must be drawn to an identified scale, and show the direction of North.