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CEDC Matter 4/B

No, this contravenes the Burton Conservation Plan in every way. This continues to be used for planning purposes for properties within this area, so how is this different? Section 4 of the plan specifically refers to Burton Farm which will disappear after 120 years (4 generations). I would ask that the Inspector considers this in conjunction with the farm tenancy clauses referred to in previous reports from Jacksons.

I would also refer the Inspector to the 1600 signature petition delivered to a Christchurch Council Meeting, which gets a very small mention! This is only the tip on the iceberg, we just ran out of time. Burton residents feel very strongly about not allowing this to happen.

I do not think I can add anything further to the objections already made, but would urge the Inspector to spend a little time in the village (Burton) it is like no other. We have retained the community in every sense, and the farm is an integral part of it. There used to be 6!