



## FOR ASSISTANCE IN COMPLETING THIS FORM CONTACT

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Application to determine if prior approval is required for a proposed: Erection, Extension or  
Alteration of a Building for Agricultural or Forestry use

The Town and Country Planning (General Permitted Development) (England) Order 2015 (as  
amended) - Schedule 2, Part 6

### Publication of applications on planning authority websites

Please note that the information provided on this application form and in supporting documents may be published on the Authority's website. If you require any further clarification, please contact the Authority's planning department.

### Site Location

**Disclaimer:** We can only make recommendations based on the answers given in the questions.

If you cannot provide a postcode, the description of site location must be completed. Please provide the most accurate site description you can, to help locate the site - for example "field to the North of the Post Office".

Number

Suffix

Property Name

Address Line 1

Address Line 2

Address Line 3

Town/city

Postcode

Description of site location must be completed if postcode is not known:

Easting (x)

Northing (y)

Description

Agricultural Land north east of Cleggswood Farm, Higher Lakewood, Hollingworth Road, Littleborough. OL15 0AZ  
Land accessed from Rakewood Road, Littleborough.

Applicant Details

Name/Company

Title

Mr & Mrs

First name

G

Surname

Ashworth

Company Name

Address

Address line 1

Ashfold Farm

Address line 2

Turkishill Lane

Address line 3

Milnrow

Town/City

Rochdale

County

Lancs

Country

Postcode

OL16 3TS

Are you an agent acting on behalf of the applicant?

- ☒ Yes
- ☐ No

## Contact Details

Primary number

Secondary number

Fax number

Email address

## Agent Details

Name/Company

Title

First name

Surname

Company Name

## Address

Address line 1

Address line 2

Address line 3

Town/City

County

Country

Postcode

OL3 6DY

## Contact Details

Primary number

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## The Proposed Building

Please indicate which of the following are involved in your proposal

- ☒ A new building  
☐ An extension  
☐ An alteration

Please describe the type of building

Agricultural Barn

Please state the dimensions of the building

Length

18.2

metres

Height to eaves

3.9

metres

Breadth

12.3

metres

Height to ridge

5

metres

Please describe the walls and the roof materials and colours

Walls

Materials

External colour

Pre-stressed concrete chamber wall panels

Vertical Yorkshire Board treated softwood cladding above

Polyester powder coated steel access doors

Rainwater goods

Natural grey

Natural timber

Matt 'Olive Brown'

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## Roof

Materials

Fibre cement low condensation corrugated roof sheets

External colour

Grey

Has an agricultural building been constructed on this unit within the last two years?

☐ Yes

☒ No

Would the proposed building be used to house livestock, slurry or sewage sludge?

☐ Yes

☒ No

Would the ground area covered by the proposed agricultural building exceed 1000 square metres?

☐ Yes

☒ No

Please note: If the ground area covered exceeds 1000 square metres it will not qualify as Permitted Development and an application for Planning Permission will be required.

Has any building, works, pond, plant/machinery, or fishtank been erected within 90 metres of the proposed development within the last two years?

☐ Yes

☒ No

## The Site

What is the total area of the entire agricultural unit? (1 hectare = 10,000 square metres)

73.2

Scale

Hectares

What is the area of the parcel of land where the development is to be located?

1 or more

Hectares

How long has the land on which the proposed development would be located been in use for agriculture for the purposes of a trade or business?

Years

100

Months

0

Is the proposed development reasonably necessary for the purposes of agriculture?

- ☒ Yes  
☐ No

If yes, please explain why

The land is permanently used for grazing and cultivation / baling of cut hay twice yearly to create animal fodders.  
The proposal will provide secure storage for the extensive agricultural machinery required, land maintenance ancillary products and necessary dry, under-cover storage for the yield of hay bales produced and bulk feeds

Is the proposed development designed for the purposes of agriculture?

- ☒ Yes  
☐ No

If yes, please explain why

The size and design is of a typical agricultural unit for this general and common farming practice within then locality.  
The building has been sited on the most practical area for access and intended use and compliments the topography of the land.

Does the proposed development involve any alteration to a dwelling?

- ☐ Yes  
☒ No

Is the proposed development more than 25 metres from a metalled part of a trunk or classified road?

- ☒ Yes  
☐ No

What is the height of the proposed development?

5.0

Metres

Is the proposed development within 3 kilometres of an aerodrome?

- ☐ Yes  
☒ No

Would the proposed development affect an ancient monument, archaeological site or listed building or would it be within a Site of Special Scientific Interest or a local nature reserve?

- ☐ Yes  
☒ No

## Site Visit

Can the site be seen from a public road, public footpath, bridleway or other public land?

- ☒ Yes  
☐ No

If the planning authority needs to make an appointment to carry out a site visit, whom should they contact?

- ☒ The agent  
☐ The applicant  
☐ Other person

Declaration

I / We hereby apply for Prior Approval: Building for agricultural/forestry use as described in this form and accompanying plans/drawings and additional information. I / We confirm that, to the best of my/our knowledge, any facts stated are true and accurate and any opinions given are the genuine options of the persons giving them. I / We also accept that: Once submitted, this information will be transmitted to the Local Planning Authority and, once validated by them, be made available as part of a public register and on the authority's website; our system will automatically generate and send you emails in regard to the submission of this application.

☒ I / We agree to the outlined declaration

Signed

Warren Greenway

Date

29/06/2023