Subject RE: Ennerdale Timber Haulage - KM response 08.04.2022



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Daniel

Many thanks for your further correspondence on this matter. I hope my response as below reassures you on our approach to this matter and our wish to transport timber from the Ennerdale Valley in a way that appropriately responds to the range of issues, including any community concerns.

In terms of your specific points:

Firstly we remain of the opinion that the guidance applies to Scotland and has not been adopted at a GB level.

Secondly we are content that the route(s) we are using are classified as 'agreed' routes.

Forestry England works to the highest possible standards and in relation to timber haulage from Ennerdale, we have undertaken the following measures to mitigate against any issues arising from our operations:

- Discussing with the regional Timber Transport Group
- Meeting on site to discuss with Highways and Police
- Appropriately assessing the issues, considering mitigation and communicating/actioning them
- Raising awareness with the PC of the harvesting operations required to respond to issued SPHN's
- Attended the consultation and engagement meeting with the PC on 21.3.2022.

In summary, I remain of the opinion that Forestry England, in relation to timber transport from Ennerdale, is acting reasonably, appropriately discharging our responsibilities.

Many thanks,

Kevin

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