



**Forestry Commission
Application: Supplementary
Notice of Operations within a
Site of Special Scientific Interest
(SSSI)**



Name of Site of Special Scientific Interest (SSSI):

National Grid Reference:

Forestry Commission application reference number¹ – (to be completed by FC staff):

If you already have Natural England’s consent for activities listed on the following pages, please indicate this and give details, for example, the management plan consented.

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Note: Forestry Commission and Natural England are committed to improving their customer service, and wish to avoid a land owner/manager having to apply for two separate permissions. Where the supplementary information notice has been completed, Forestry Commission will forward it to Natural England together with the grant or Felling Licence application. The Forestry Commission will then issue Natural England’s consent decision at the same time as the grant agreement or Felling Licence.

Where this supplementary notice is not completed and submitted with your grant or Felling Licence application, a SSSI owner/occupier must obtain consent for the work from Natural England separately. Failure to obtain Natural England’s consent may result in a breach of Section 28 of the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981.

¹ This may relate to an application for a grant or a felling licence.



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Additional information required about the proposed tree felling operation.

Please give details of how trees will be felled including the treatment of brash, the type and ground pressure of vehicles and/or heavy plant to be used, the use of horses to extract timber and the use of herbicides.

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Please give details of any permanent or temporary structures such as storage cabins that you propose to erect.

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On a map, please show where any construction/modifications to roads, tracks and rides, including the creation of new timber storage areas and/or vehicle turning areas, will be located within the SSSI. You must tell us the dimensions and methodology for the roading etc. below.

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Please give details below (and on a map) of the location of any ditches and drains that you propose to modify or install to facilitate the tree felling.

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Please give details about the location of all proposed access and extraction routes within the SSSI (including a map where necessary).

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Please give further details about the proposed locations for storing timber and/or heavy plant, and the duration of storage.

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Please give details about the proposed start, end and duration of felling and extraction operations. Please also give details about how you will avoid adverse ground conditions.

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Please give details about the location of any other vegetation that you propose to cut, the methodology and what you propose to do with the cuttings.

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Declaration

In providing this information and signing this form, I hereby give notice to Natural England under Section 28E (1a) of the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981 (as amended and inserted by Section 75 and Schedule 9 of the Countryside and Rights of Way Act 2000) of my proposal to carry out, cause or permit the operations stated above within this SSSI in association with proposed tree felling operations or grant agreement.

Name of land owner/occupier:

Signed by:

Name (if not owner or occupier):

Position:

Date:

If we require any further information or details, we will contact you directly.