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Mr Paul Hocking Enforcement and Trees Manager New Forest National Park Authority Lymington Town Hall Avenue Road Lymington SO41 9ZG

Dear Mr Hocking

<u>17/00710 – The Beeches, Copythorne – Continued mixed use of land and siting of timber clad mobile home for Adult day care</u>

Following determination of the planning application by the National Park Authority at its October Council Meeting, Copythorne Parish Council became aware that this development related to the retention of a timber clad mobile home and that the use of the associated land, which is agricultural, was for a new business activity in the New Forest outside the defined villages which would neither support the well-being of the local community, nor maintained the land-based economy or cultural heritage of the National Park and was, therefore, contrary to policy. We note the Authority has now had to take enforcement action as the owner/s declined to remove the mobile home, despite the refusal, and wish to state the enforced removal and planning position of the National Park Authority is fully supported by Copythorne Parish Council.

Yours sincerely

Susan Brayley Clerk/ RFO to Copythorne Parish Council