

each have an impact both on wildlife and the environment in general. Of particular concern are the impacts of lighting on bats and invertebrates, and fuel spillages/surface water runoff into any nearby watercourses. Measures for mitigation should be recommended, where adverse impacts are envisaged.

- For any investigation carried out, the methodology known to be most useful and effective for any particular study should be used. If it is not explained in full in the text, then both this and the analysis of results should be made available at a named source. The methodology used for species surveys and the results should always be included within the Environmental Statement.
- Conclusions should remain impartial rather than favour any particular outcome of the Environmental Assessment. They should be based upon the evidence found within the scope of the Environmental Assessment, rather than upon unsubstantiated opinion.
- Any source material should be referred to and listed in a reference section. Where data has not or cannot be obtained, for whatever reason, this should be explained in the text and no conclusions reached in its absence.

I hope this is useful.

Yours sincerely



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