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Comment

**Document Element:** Policy NB4: Landscape Character

**Respondent:** Mr K Lloyd

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**Summary:**

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**Change suggested by respondent:**

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**Legally compliant:** Not specified

**Sound:** Not specified

**Comply with duty:** Not specified

**Attachments:** None