

## Natural England s Position Statement for Applications within the Sussex North Water Supply Zone

## September 2021 Interim Approach

Please take the following as Natural Sussex North .

## **Sussex North Water Supply Zone**

Arun Valley SPA, SAC and Ramsar Site-Sussex North Water Supply Zone

The Sussex North Water Supply Zone includes supplies from a groundwater abstraction which cannot, with certainty, conclude no adverse effect on the integrity of;

Arun Valley Special Area Conservation (SAC) Arun Valley Special Protection Area (SPA) Arun Valley Ramsar Site.

As it cannot be concluded that the existing abstraction within Sussex North Water Supply Zone is not having an impact on the Arun Valley site, we advise that developments within this zone must not add to this impact.