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I wish to register my objection to the proposed housing development at Netherbarns. As a local resident who makes daily use of the grounds at Abbotsford and as one involved in the local tourist industry, I strongly feel that this development is not sufficiently important to justify the detrimental effect it will have on the environs of such a valued tourist attraction in the Borders. Visitors do not only enjoy the House, but also the grounds and the year round views that were so important to Sir Walter Scott. I do not feel that the plans to screen the development are sufficient, and feel that the prospect of building works at an important time in the cultural and historic celebration of Scott's life will have a detrimental effect on the tourist economy of the area when events are to be focussed in the area on the occasion of the 250th anniversary of Scott's birth.

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