COUNTY: DERBYSHIRE SITE NAME: HAREWOOD GRANGE STREAM

SECTION

DISTRICT: NORTH EAST DERBYSHIRE **SITE REF:** 15 WKS

Status: Site of Special Scientific Interest (SSSI) notified under Section 28 of the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981.

Local Planning Authority: Peak District National Park/Derbyshire County Council

North East Derbyshire District Council West Derbyshire District Council

National Grid Reference: SK 311684 Area: 6.07 (ha.) 15 (ac.)

Ordnance Survey Sheet 1:50,000: 119 **1:10,000:** SK 36 NW

Date Notified (Under 1949 Act): 1963 Date of Last Revision: 1981

Date Notified (Under 1981 Act): 1986 Date of Last Revision: –

Other Information:

Site formerly known as Harewood Grange Stream Section, Holymoorside.

Reasons for Notification:

The rocks exposed in the stream section at Harewood Grange were laid down under the sea during the Yeadonian Stage of the Carboniferous Period some 315 million years ago. The site is of great importance to geologists since it provides a continuous and well-exposed section of rock representing most of this Stage, and complements other Yeadonian sections in Derbyshire.