

File Ref: EA/N/65/14 WGB

County: Norfolk

Site Name: Morston Cliff

District: North Norfolk

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

Local Planning Authority: North Norfolk District Council

National Grid Reference: TF 990441 **Area:** 0.86 (ha) 2.12 (ac)

Ordnance Survey Sheet: 1:50,000: 132 1:10,000: TF 94 SE

Date Notified: {Under 1949 Act}: 1955 **Date of Last Revision:** N/A

Date Notified: {Under 1981 Act}: 1984 **Date of Last Revision:**

Other Information:

This site lies adjacent to the North Norfolk Coast SSSI.

Reasons for Notification:

Morston Cliff is a key Pleistocene site providing a view of what is probably the only interglacial raised-beach deposit in East Anglia. This deposit, of presumed Ipswichian interglacial age, is overlain by the glacial deposits of the Hunstanton Till of late Devensian age. An important site with great potential for research into the glacial-interglacial history of eastern Britain.