Hinckley & Bosworth
Borough Council

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Town and Country Planning Act 1990

To:- **C Noakes**
Director of Community Services
(Community Services Department)

Name and Address of Applicant
Leicestershire County Council
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Name and Address of Agent (if any)

Part I - Particulars of Application

Date of Application	**Application No.**
3 September 2008	08/00875/C

Particulars and location of development:

PROPOSED BRICK STORE YARD

Hanson Brick Ltd Desford Brick Works Heath Road Bagworth Coalville

Part II -

That the Leicestershire County Council be advised that Hinckley & Bosworth Borough Council has the following comments to make:-

1. Whilst appreciating Hanson Building Products problems in connection with the urgent need to provide additional brick stocking areas because of the dramatic downturn in the building industry and their desire to retain staff as well as continued production at the brickworks, the Borough Council is concerned that the proposed location of the stockyard is in a prominent, elevated location in the wider landscape surrounding Heath Farm. Whilst raising no objection in principle to what the company is trying to achieve, the Borough Council urges the County Council to ensure that robust screening and landscaping measures are incorporated into the permission to reduce any negative impact the development may have on the visual appearance of the site within the wider rural landscape.

T. M Prowse

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PROPER OFFICER OF THE COUNCIL

Date : 18 September 2008