Item 7

**REPORT TO AREA 1 FORUM** 

12<sup>th</sup> DECEMBER 2005

REPORT OF THE BUILDING CONTROL MANAGER

## NAMING OF DEVELOPMENT LAND REAR OF INSTITUTE STREET, BYERS GREEN

A request has been received from Mr Martin Cummings to officially name and number the above development comprising 9 detached dwellings. Having regard to the layout of the site, only one street name is required.

The developer has asked for the name 'Warwick' to be included in the site name.

After consultation with the Town Council and relevant ward councillors the following responses have been received:

Councillor Waters forwarded the suggestion of 'Warwick Gardens' via correspondence from Spennymoor Town Council.

Councillor Thompson forwarded the name 'Thomas Wright', the famous astronomer who lived in the Old Hall in Byers Green and erected the observatory at Westerton.

Unless the members of the Forum would wish to suggest an alternative name, it is felt appropriate that one of the above names be recommended for the development.

Background Papers
TOWN IMPROVEMENT CLAUSES ACT 1847
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORT Circular 3/93

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