



Ribble Valley Borough Council

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REQUIRED FOR AGRICULTURAL APPLICATIONS

Applicant Name: BRIAN BLEZARD
Application Site: HOTHERSALL HALL FARM, RIBCHESTER
Holding Number: 21/010/0011 SBI:106452741
Proposed Development: SILAGE STORE

Please answer all parts to this form

1. Land

Total Area of Holding: (Hectares) 129
Owned: (Hectares) 129
Rented: (Hectares) 28 hectares maize grown on contract
If rented, type of tenancy: (AHA, FBT) N/A
Land Use: (Hectares) Pasture: 41 Meadow: 88
Crop: All Grass
Land Quality: (DA/SDA/NVZ) Non disadvantaged lowland

2. Enterprise

Dairy Cows: 340 Sheep (ewes): 300 (store lambs)
Dairy cattle in calf: 90 + 130 followers Other Sheep: /
Beef Cows: 0 Location of Lambing: /
Bulls: 0 Sows: NA
Other Cattle: / Other Pigs: /
Poultry: 0 Other Livestock: /
Crops (Type): Grass

3. Farm Buildings & Machinery

Existing Farm Buildings:

(sizes, type and use) _____

Cattle housing + silage storage
Machinery storage

Farm Machinery:

(type and use) _____

Used range of equipment for
livestock enterprise

Existing Slurry Capacity: _____

Adequate to meet (and exceed)
SAFEO regulations

4. Details of the proposed development

Is the proposal reasonably required for the purposes of agriculture? (Please explain why)

See supporting statement.

Is the proposed development designed for the purposes of agriculture? (Please explain how)

Yes - steel frame + concrete

Are there any future plans that are relevant to the proposed development? (Expansion of herd/ diversification ect.)

Continue to develop dry herd.

5. Any further information