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I wish to object to the above proposal with regards to it's extremely adverse impact on Abbotsford House. Abbotsford has a unique role in tourism in the Borders, in the year when we are celebrating Scotlands Stories and Scott's 250th Anniversary, it seem extraordinary to be proposing a development that will clearly have an adverse impact on this historic site.

Together with the launch of the Great Tapestry of Scotland in Galashiels, the continued development of the railway site so nearby to Abbotsford, the Borders has a real opportunity to further develop its vital tourist industry, growing visitor numbers and creating jobs. It makes no sense to undermine the physical advantage of the Abbotsford site which brings such large visitor numbers to the area, both for the house itself, the visitor centre and the walks around the estate.

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