## <u>Dispensation for Councillor Jane Melanie Dunn</u>

In accordance with the provisions of the Localism Act 2011 (section 33) and the powers delegated to the Proper Officer in relation to granting dispensations, I hereby declare that, for the period until the end of her term of office (May 2027), Councillor Jane Melanie Dunn shall be relieved from the restrictions in section 31(4) of the Localism Act 2011 and has been granted a dispensation to permit: attendance at site visits, participation in discussion and participation in voting at meetings of the Parish Council if the matter relates to the following:

• The Parish Council's response to consultations on planning applications within the parish of Mary Tavy; attendance at site visits, participation in discussion and participation in voting shall be permitted despite the paid position, as an Information Adviser for Dartmoor National Park Authority (DNPA, the planning authority for the parish of Mary Tavy), that Cllr. Dunn holds and has declared on the Register of Interests.

As Proper Officer to Mary Tavy Parish Council, I am satisfied that Councillor Dunn's position within DNPA is such that she is not involved with the work of the planning department of that authority. I am assured that her position is unlikely to unduly bias her opinion in any particular direction when considering the Parish Council's response to planning application consultations. I believe the possibility of financial gain, or the prevention of financial disadvantage, to be negligible from participation in the above stated matter.

Miss. Katherine Anness (Proper Officer) 10<sup>th</sup> November 2023