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Sir

You have asked for comments regarding proposals for housing in Leeds. I give mine below.

It seems from the leaflet in my possession that a huge number of houses are planned for the Horsforth area and the majority of these appear to be proposed for building on Green Belt Land. This is totally unacceptable. The idea of Green Belt Land is to keep a barrier between built up areas and countryside to ensure that towns and villages do not simply run into each other in an urban sprawl. This is both a National and Local Government policy but if your proposals are to be believed, Leeds City Council appears to be going against this policy. Further, there is now a proposal to build a link road to the airport which would also be built on green belt land. It is imperative that the Green Belt is maintained so that the barrier between built up areas is kept, otherwise all vestiges of countryside in this beautiful area will be lost and we shall be left with a London-type sprawl.

I therefore object to the plans which I consider are unjustified and are not consistent with both local and national policy. I would propose that the plans are sent back to the drawing board and are re-drawn on Brown Belt Land, of which there is plenty in this area.

Yours

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