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PLANNING

Cairngorms National Park Local  
Development Plan 2020

**Strategic Environmental Assessment  
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Table 47 SEA Assessment Key.

Significance of Effect		Scale and Permanence of Effect	
Plan element would have a <b>major positive</b> effect in its current form as it would resolve an existing issue or maximise opportunities. <b>SIGNIFICANT.</b>	++	Local (e.g. settlement or community council level)	<b>L</b>
Plan element would have a <b>minor positive</b> effect.	+	Regional (e.g. National Park or neighbouring LA level)	<b>R</b>
Effect of plan element is <b>uncertain.</b>	?	National (i.e. Scotland)	<b>N</b>
Plan element would have <b>no predicted</b> effects or <b>no site specific</b> effects.	□	International (i.e. trans-national boundary effects)	<b>I</b>
Plan element would have a <b>minor adverse</b> effect.	-	Permanent	<b>P</b>
The plan element would have a <b>major adverse</b> effect as it would create significant new problems or substantially exacerbate existing problems. Consider exclusion of option. <b>SIGNIFICANT.</b>	--	Temporary	<b>T</b>