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Figure 13: windmill to the east of the alternative site (looking east)

IF ONE LOOK TO THE EAST OF THE WINDMILL THE MOONROCK VIEWPOINT INSIDE THE AUGRABIES FALLS NP IS CLEARLY VISIBLE. A CONCERN TO ME WOULD BE THAT THE PLANT WILL BE VISIBLE FROM THE TOP OF THE VIEWPOINT LOOKING WEST.

I AM ALSO CONCERNED ABOUT THE FACT THAT FROM A NEWLY DEVELOPED VIEWPOINT INSIDE THE AUGRABIES FALLS NP, CALLED SWARTRANTE, THE PLANT, SITE 2, WOULD BE VISIBLE LOOKING SOUTH WEST FROM THE VIEWPOINT. THIS IS A DISTANCE OF APPROXIMATELY 6KM FROM THE VIEWPOINT TO THE PLANT AT S28.58939 E20.25420

THIS SEEMS TO BE CONFIRMED BY FIGURE 16: VIEWSHED OF NORTH EAST CORNER OF SITE 2 PAGE 50 1 AUGRABIES DRAFT BAR 48. THIS POSSIBILITY SHOULD BE INVESTIGATED.