

**Newport SINCs – Reasons for Designation**

<b>Site</b>	<b>Site Ref Number</b>	<b>Habitat Species Guidelines</b>	<b>Reason</b>
Pilton Vale Brook	M4	H15-Watercourses, H7-Marshy grasslands, H11-Fens, reed beds and other swamps, S1-Mammals, S2-Birds, S3-Reptiles, S4-Amphibions, S5-Fish	Freshwater linear brook tributaries of which may support otter. Adj habitats include swamp and semi-improved neutral grasslands.