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Date: 13th November 2017

Dear Simon Berkeley and Christa Masters,

Re: Examination of the Single Issue Review of Core Strategy Policy CS7 ('the SIR')

Response to Planning Inspector's letter dated 4th October 2017

Thank you for your letter outlining two concerns following the Core Strategy Single Issue Review hearings which took place on the 24th September to the 29th September 2017.

The Council has responded to your concerns in the form of two additional notes which we believe provides you with the evidence and justification to consider the Single Issue Review Sound subject to modifications. The Plan fully meets the tests of soundness set out in paragraph 182 of the National Planning Policy Framework (and legal requirements).

If you have any queries on the above response please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely,

Marie Smith **Strategic Planning Service Manager**