Single Issue Review of Core Strategy Policy CS7 and

Site Allocations Plans Examination

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JUDGEMENT OF THE PEOPLE OVER WIND AND SWEETMAN V COILLTE TEORANTA CASE C-C323/17: CONSIDERAITON OF AVOIDANCE AND REDUCTION MEASURES IN HABITAT REGULATIONS ASSESSMENT

We refer to the above judgement of the Court of Justice for the European Union of 12 April 2018.

We would be grateful if the Council could confirm the extent to which you consider that the Habitats Regulation Assessments prepared for both the SIR and SALP are legally compliant, and if not, what further work would be required in light of the judgement.

Yours sincerely

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