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Shared Strategic (Section 1) Plan

Inspector: Mr Roger Clews

Dear Mrs Andrea Copsey,

The Inspector for the above plan has requested responses to the following questions:

(A) Do you consider that the publication of the 2018-based household projections represents a meaningful change in the housing situation from the situation that existed when I produced my letter of 27 June 2018 [IED/023]?

And

(B) If so, what are the implications of that change for the soundness of the housing requirement figures in the submitted Section 1 Plan?

My answers are:

To (A) The publication of the 2018-based household projections do indeed represent a meaningful change in the housing situation from the situation that existed when he produced his letter of 27 June 2018 [IED/012].

To (B) The implications are that the housing requirement figures in the submitted Section 1 Plan are unsound and that the figure of 75,000 houses must be replaced with the new figure of 69,000 houses.

Best Regards,

Mr. V. R. Hibbert