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Dear Mr Wilde

**Gosport Borough Local Plan 2011-2029
Response to consultation on Modifications**

Following consideration of your preliminary findings letter, the Council has prepared Main Modifications relating to Soundness as well as Minor Modifications (Copies enclosed). These modifications were published for a six week period of consultation ending on 2nd July 2015. A brief summary of the responses to the consultation has been prepared by the Council and copies of the full responses that were received during the consultation period are enclosed.

You asked the Council to consider the implications of the Main Modifications on the Sustainability Appraisal of the Plan. With regard to MM1 the Council's response to your question 1.8 included a revised Sustainability Appraisal to address this issue. I do not think MM2 raises any additional issues that need to be considered in the Sustainability Appraisal.

In accordance with Section 27(C) of the Planning and Compulsory Purchase Act 2004 (as amended) the Council request that you recommend modifications to the Plan in order to make the document sound.

Yours sincerely

Chris Payne
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