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Dear Ms Clements,

Re: FODC Draft Plan Strategy – Re-consultation on Schedule of Proposed Changes.

I write on behalf of Causeway Coast and Glens Borough Council and in response to your e-mail dated 1st October 2020.

I note the purpose of the re-consultation is to inform the general public, consultation bodies and interested parties of the Proposed Changes and to demonstrate for the purpose of the future Independent Examination (IE) that everyone affected has had an opportunity to comment before any recommended change is made to the Draft Plan Strategy by the Planning Appeals Commission (PAC).

It is also noted that the re-consultation particularly relates to the following policies:

- MIN04: Unconventional Hydrocarbon Extraction;
- FLD03: Sustainable Drainage Systems;
- RE01: Renewable and Low Carbon Energy Generation; and
- HOU17: Affordable Housing in the Countryside

and that the Schedule has now been updated to reflect all the changes agreed with your Elected Members.

I wish to advise that the Council has no comment to make on the Proposed Changes or accompanying Addendums to the Sustainability Appraisal, Habitats Regulations Assessment, Rural Needs Impact Assessment and Equality Impact Screening Report.

Yours faithfully,

Mrs Denise Dickson Head of Planning