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Dear Jonathan

STRATEGIC ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT (SEA) SCREENING DETERMINATION FOR GLASGOW CITY COUNCIL DESIGN GUIDE FOR NEW RESIDENTIAL AREAS ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT (SCOTLAND) ACT 2005 SECTION 8(1)

I refer to the Screening Report submitted on 8 August 2012 for the Design Guide for New Residential Areas and the responses from the Consultation Authorities which you forwarded on 3 September 2012.

I am writing to confirm formally that Glasgow City Council has determined that the Design Guide for New Residential Areas will have no significant environmental effects when considered in relation to the criteria set out in Schedule 2 of the Environmental (Scotland) Act 2005. A Strategic Environmental Assessment (SEA) is not therefore required. The Consultation Authorities agree with this view.

The determination is being advertised in the Evening Times and is available to view on our website, along with the related screening report which incorporates the Statement of Reasons, and responses from the Consultation Authorities.

I would be grateful if you could pass a copy of this determination to the Consultation Authorities.

Please let me know if you require any further clarification or information.

Yours sincerely

Executive Director of Development and Regeneration Services