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EXAMINATION INTO THE SOUNDNESS OF THE HARTLEPOOL LOCAL PLAN

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Dear Sir/Madam

INSPECTOR'S MATTERS, ISSUES AND QUESTIONS

Please find attached a PDF copy of the Inspector's Matters, Issues and Questions (MIQs) (Document EX/INS/15) and updated Guidance Notes (Document EX/INS/16).

Any further statements on the MIQs relevant to your representations on the published Plan must be prepared in accordance with the Guidance Notes.

Statements relating to Matters 1-10 should be submitted to the Programme Officer no later than 5pm on 12 September.

Statements relating to Matters 11-18 must be submitted no later than 5pm on 22 September.

In accordance with the Guidance Note's Statements of Common Ground between the Council and parties can be submitted at any time but preferably in accordance with the guidance at paragraph 31 of the Inspector's Guidance Notes.

Notification is given that the hearings will commence at 10.00 am on 26 September 2017 at the Hartlepool College of Further Education, Stockton St, Hartlepool TS24 7NT. Further details about the hearings and venue (and how to get there) can be found in the Guidance Notes.

The Hartlepool Local Plan Examination webpage at https://www.hartlepool.gov.uk/localplan provides further information and updates, as and when required.

If you require any further information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours faithfully

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