Environmental Assessment of Plans and Programmes (Scotland) Regulations 2004

STRATEGIC ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT (SEA) SCREENING DETERMINATION FOR THE AUCHTERARDER EXPANSION – TOWNHEAD AND NORTH EAST DEVELOPMENT FRAMEWORK

This statement sets out the Council's determination under Regulation 15(1) of the Environmental Assessment of Plans and Programmes (Scotland) Regulations 2004 on whether or not a Strategic Environmental Assessment (SEA) is required for the review of the above plan.

Having consulted the three Consultation Authorities, and having considered the criteria set out in the Regulations, the Council considers that the Auchterarder Expansion Development Framework has the potential to have significant environmental effects. The Council has therefore determined that SEA is required for the Development Framework.

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Further information on the determination, the accompanying statement of reasons and the consultation responses can also be viewed at:

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