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BY EMAIL

Dear Ms Briggs

Environmental Assessment (Scotland) Act 2005 01383 Screening – Perth and Kinross Council – Flood Risk and Flood Risk Assessments (Developers Guidance note on Flooding and Drainage)

I refer to your screening consultation submitted on 8 May via the Scottish Government SEA Gateway in respect of the above plan. In accordance with Section 9(3) of the Environmental Assessment (Scotland) Act 2005, SNH has considered your screening report using the criteria set out in Schedule 2 for determining the likely significance of effects on the environment.

I understand from the screening report that this guidance provides additional detail and guidance in relation to Policies 50 and 51 in the Proposed LDP2. These policies have recently been subject to SEA. I note that the guidance does not introduce new policy and agree that the guidance is not likely to have significant environmental effects in respect of our main areas of interest.

Please note that this consultation response provides a view solely on the potential for the plan or programme to have significant environmental effects. SNH cannot comment on whether or not the plan meets other criteria determining the need for SEA as set out in the Act.

Should you wish to discuss this screening determination, please do contact Carolyn Deasley in the first instance on 01738 458583 or via SNH's SEA Gateway at sea.gateway@snh.gov.uk

Yours sincerely

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