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LDF Publication Draft Consultation, Forward Planning & Implementation, Leonardo Building, 2 Rossington Street, Leeds LS2 8HD

RE: LEEDS SITE ALLOCATION PLANS - FORMAL OBJECTION

Date 09.11.2015 Dear Sir / Madam,

As part of the Leeds Site Allocation Plan public consultation process, I would like to formally object to the proposed development of the following sites: HG241. HG243. ~~~ It is my understanding that the proposed development sites are NOT consistent with the national policy, specifically with regard to Green Belt. Leeds must continue to protect our Green Belt and greenfields.

The fields and open green spaces, which are being proposed for development, are important to me because they are important for wildlife and for children to play horsforth has enough new build and can not cope with any more. The increase in traffic will increase the pollution along the A65 and all the properties in the near area. Horsforth has nearly doubled in size and enough is enough there are plenty of non green belt areas to be developed

These sites should continue to be part of Leeds' 'Strategic Green Infrastructure' as identified in the Adopted Core Strategy. It is my understanding that the proposed development sites are NOT consistent with the national policy, specifically with regard to infrastructure. Leeds has insufficient policies in place to address the issues that these developments will generate. Development and infrastructure requirements must be considered side by side.

Development of these sites on greenfields will lead to nearby villages being engulfed within the 'Main Urban Area' and they will no longer be separate 'Major Settlements' of their own. Reference, Adopted Core Strategy (Map 3, Settlement Hierarchy).

My concerns include the traffic on the A65 as it is so busy and the new roundabouts have made no improvements to the area. The schools can not cope and classes will be too big . Crime rate will increase due to the increase of houses Please keep me informed of the public examinations, submission of the plans and potential outcome of the review as I would like to retain my right to attend and speak.

Yours faithfully,

JULIE BANKS

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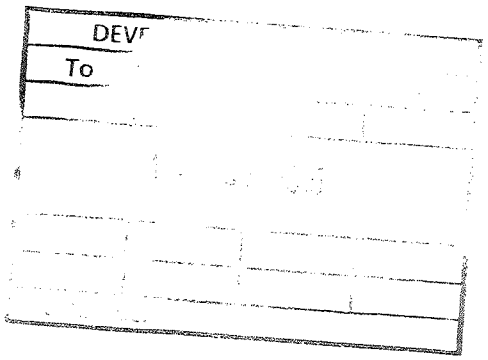
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