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H2 BRINDLE AVENUE

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13 NOV 2015

NEEDS SITE ALLOCATION PLANS

H42 - 43 / H42 - 42

DEAR SIRS

I WISH TO OBJECT TO THE ABOVE PLANS ON THE BASIS THAT THESE AREN'T CONSISTENT WITH NEEDS OWN CORE PLAN OR NATIONAL POLICY ON GREEN BELT SITES. THE COUNCIL'S OWN CORE STRATEGY PLAN IN ITS GLOSSARY DEFINES GREEN BELT AS A DESIGNATION FOR AREAS OF OPEN LAND AROUND CERTAIN CITIES AND LARGE BUILT UP AREAS WHERE STRICT PLANNING CONTROLS APPLY TO KEEP THE LAND PERMANENTLY OPEN AND LARGELY UNDEVELOPED.

THE NATIONAL PLANNING POLICY FRAMEWORK STATES THAT THE GOVERNMENT ATTACHES GREAT IMPORTANCE TO GREEN BELTS. THE FUNDAMENTAL AIM OF GREEN BELT POLICY IS TO PREVENT URBAN SPRAWL BY KEEPING LAND PERMANENTLY OPEN. THE ESSENTIAL CHARACTERISTICS OF GREEN BELTS ARE THEIR OPENNESS AND THEIR PERMANENCE.

THERE HAS ALSO BEEN LITTLE CONSULTATION BY THE CITY COUNCIL. THE ONLY INFORMATION COMING FROM LOCAL COUNCILLORS USING THEIR OWN INITIATIVE.

THE COLLEGE MENTIONED THAT PART OF THEIR CAMPUS WAS A NATURE RESERVE.

BECAUSE OF THIS LACK OF CONSULTATION AND THE ABOVE  
I DONT BELIEVE THAT EITHER OF THESE SITES ARE  
JUSTIFIED NOR SOUND NOR EFFECTIVE AND CERTAINLY  
NOT NECESSARY.

CONCERNING HQ2-43 (BROWNFIELD)

I ATTEND A CONSULTATION MEETING ON 14 APRIL WITH  
COMMENTS TO BE SENT TO A HENDINGLEY ADDRESS AND NOTHING.  
THE FIRST I LEARNED ABOUT THE CHANGE OF USE / AND PLANNING  
APPLICATION WAS ON 16 OCTOBER, WHERE WAS THE CONSULTATION.  
THIS EDUCATIONAL BUILDING COULD HAVE RAISED THE SHORTFALL  
OR PLACES NEEDED NOW FOR PRE SCHOOL — THROUGH TO 6<sup>th</sup> FORM.  
APOLOGIES IF THESE CHANGES WERE ADVERTISED AND I MISSED THEM

Yours faithfully

