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Dear Ms McCabe

Planning consultation: Isles of Scilly Local Plan Examination. Further submission from Natural England

On 17th December Natural England submitted representations to the Examination including a statement of common ground prepared between the Council and Natural England (SD04). The statement of common ground stated that the only outstanding issue between the two parties related to the conclusions set out in the Habitats Regulations Assessment regarding recreational disturbance.

The Council have updated the Habitats Regulations Assessment report (SD15) and Natural England are now able to concur with the conclusion set out within that report. A letter of response to this effect (dated 6th Jan 2020, our ref 304656) has been send to the Council and is attached with this letter.

We can confirm that the outstanding issue between the Council and Natural England (as set out in the statement of common ground (SD04)) is now resolved.

We would be happy to comment further should the need arise but if in the meantime you have any queries please do not hesitate to contact us.

For any queries relating to the specific advice in this letter only please contact Carol Reeder on 0208 225 6245 / 07721 108902 or carol.reeder@naturalengland.org.uk. For any new consultations, or to provide further information on this consultation please send your correspondences to consultations@naturalengland.org.uk.

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