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FAO. The Manager, Strategic Planning & Design, Enfield Council

Dear Madam or Sir,

**Re: London Borough of Enfield, *Draft Local Plan 2021 (Regulation 18)***

**Consultation-**

**Acknowledgement of**

**written submissions, within the Consultation period**

This email is issued for the purposes of clarification in relation to written submissions and supporting evidence, made on behalf of *Interested Persons*, by email on 13/09/2021 at 11.40am and 2.23pm respectively, see *Appendices 1* and *2* and attachments. These dates are within the deadline published online for making representation to the *draft Local Plan 2021 (Regulation 18)* Consultation, due on: 23:59 on 13 September 2021. This webpage also details that email is an acceptable form of service of a consultation response, to be sent to: <localplan@enfield.gov.uk>

See online pages, available at: <<https://letstalk.enfield.gov.uk/localplan>> [Accessed on 8 August 2021] This procedure for submitting consultation response by email may be in accordance with the Civil Procedure Rules, *Practice Direction 6A – Service within the United Kingdom*, ‘Service by fax or other electronic means’, Para. 4.1.

In due course an automated response was issued by the Council via email on 15/09/2021, acknowledging the written submission and stating the Consultation was now closed, see below and *Appendix 3*. Despite what is stated in the automated response on the basis that the submission was made, before 23:59 on 13 September 2021, it may be reasonable to hold that the submission was made before the Consultation’s published closing date and time above and the material submitted, should be taken into account in the Regulation 18 Consultation above. This is on the basis of having been issued by email, prior to the published date and time, for the close of the above Consultation and on this basis the notice issued on 15/09/2021, should be disregarded and the material taken into account in the above Consultation, on behalf of Interested Persons. .

Regards,

