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Dear Charles,

**TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING (SCOTLAND) ACT 1997
NOTICE OF INTENTION TO ADOPT: SUPPLEMENTARY GUIDANCE
HOUSING**

I refer to your correspondence of 31 August 2017 certifying notice of Scottish Borders Council's intention to adopt the Housing Supplementary Guidance.

I write to confirm that Scottish Ministers do not propose to issue a Direction to this document. The Council may therefore proceed to adopt the Supplementary Guidance in accordance with the provisions of the Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997. The Council should satisfy itself that it has met the requirements set down by section 27 (2) of the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008.

Yours sincerely

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