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Dear Mairi

**TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING (SCOTLAND) ACT 1997
NOTICE OF INTENTION TO ADOPT SUPPLEMENTARY GUIDANCE – WIND
ENERGY DEVELOPMENT**

I refer to your correspondence of 29 August 2018 certifying notice of Western Isles Council's intention to adopt the above Supplementary Guidance.

Scottish Ministers give notice that the Supplementary Guidance 'Wind Energy Development' may not be adopted until the modification specified in Annex A to this notice has been made.

This modification is required to highlight the commitment given to bring forward revised Wind Energy Development Supplementary Guidance for adoption within 6 months of adoption of the Outer Hebrides LDP (2018).

We would also wish to provide assistance with the preparation of the forthcoming revised Wind Energy Development Supplementary Guidance and are keen to do so at the earliest opportunity to support the timescale in the modification being achieved.

Yours sincerely

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ANNEX A – WESTERN ISLES COUNCIL - SUPPLEMENTARY GUIDANCE - WIND ENERGY DEVELOPMENT

MODIFICATIONS TO BE MADE

Page 2 – Below heading '**CONTEXT**':

Insert wording - 'This Supplementary Guidance is adopted on an interim basis. Revised Supplementary Guidance on Wind Energy Development will be brought forward for adoption within 6 months of adoption of the Outer Hebrides LDP (2018).'