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Dear Sir,

## North Somerset Core Strategy: Examination of remitted policies Inspector's letter 22 April 2014

This is an interim response to confirm that it is the Council's intention to continue to progress the Core Strategy and identify a new housing requirement, working within the context set out in paragraph 56[2] of the Inspector's letter. The Council will therefore not be withdrawing Policy CS13 and the other remitted policies (56[1]) or inviting the Inspector to find Policy CS13 unsound (56[3]).

The Council is currently considering the implications of the Inspector's letter in respect of paragraph 56[2] and will be providing a more detailed response in due course.

Yours sincerely,

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