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Sent: 02 October 2019 10:38
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Subject: RE: SoCG - Mid Sussex District Council Emerging Site Allocations DPD

Dear Kate,

Thank you for your email. I confirm Southern Water’s position has not changed with regard to meeting the duty to cooperate, since it is not a public body, nor is it included within the Town & Country Planning Regulations 2012 as a prescribed body under Section 4(1) Duty to Cooperate. Other mechanisms are in place to ensure that water companies deliver the infrastructure required to cater for growth, across all water and/or wastewater catchments, whilst maintaining prescribed standards of protection of the environment.

I would also reiterate, in line with our previous correspondence, that Southern Water is committed to participating in the plan making process, including SoCG, where these are required to resolve any specific issues.

Kind regards,

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