

S&DCC 2017 Correspondence

January/February

Date	Content	Reply
30/01/17	12/01/17 email to Provost copied to B. Malone PKC re discrepancies in PKC practices at December 2016 meeting	Provost stating that PKC has no ability to halt planning process, no-one has been misled and there was no misrepresentation of the facts been made.
31/01/17	Letter to planning re airport housing, requesting revised EIA before houses can be built or no consent given owing to LDP embargo of no more than 10 houses until construction has begun on CTRL.	
31/01/17	Submission of SDCC objections to H29 housing proposal. Submission of environmental report by Ironside Farrar	None expected.
31/01/17	Letter from J. Swinney MSP re correspondence to him from B Malone re wording changes in LDP and outlining procedures adopted by PKC in determining definition of committed and constructed, he will still pursue PKC for a meeting with the CC.	None expected
1/02/17	To Cllr Cuthbert 5/01/17 of PKC audit committee to look into discrepancies with the LDP	Email reply from Cllr Cuthbert, apologising for email problem give timeline of events and decisions with LDP from 2012 to present day, will pass on to officers to investigate.
1/02/17	From Alex Rowley, MSP re Scot Gov consultation on the future of the planning system.	
3/02/17	To Calum Petrie PKC requesting an extension to the deadline for comments, to allow time for audit of extra material submitted by developers, as they have an extension to submit this extra material.	Ack 6/02/17, reply by 27/02/17
3/02/17	To N. Brian PKC re the refusal of our request for extension of comment deadline due to village gas emergency, to find that the developer had been given an extension of 28 days to allow them to submit new/missed information, is the developer manipulating the situation? Request for N. Brian to investigate planning officers' procedures.	7/02/17 reply outlining time scale of planning extension up to 3/02/17. Presence of beavers around H29 brought to attention of PKC planning by members of the public and identified to the applicant prior to the original submission, legislation does not allow for a planning authority to invalidate an

		application for the omission of a survey so nothing wrong with PKC procedures.
13/02/17	Info re demolition of Birch Avenue arrangements.	None expected
13/02/17	Re letter sent on 6/01/17	From Transport Scotland re pollution and congestion without the completion of the CTRL, they are auditing Transport Assessment submitted by applicant's consultants JMP and will respond to PKC. Their remit is to monitor effects of congestion and air pollution on the trunk road network. The CTRL is not a trunk road but a PKC promoted scheme.
11/02/17	From Direct Ecology to Ironside Farrar re beaver report. No legal protection for beavers yet but could be from summer 2017 so survey undertaken to ensure any implications from beaver proximity to the H29 site could be addressed more quickly. Report states no beaver activity found within 300 metres of site although beavers roam over a wide territory but the report does seem to have adequately addressed beaver activity within the red line site boundary.	
14/02/17	From B. Renton PKC re mediation type meeting, offering PAS as independent chair with a suggested date.	Emailed response 18/02/17, stating the SDCC do not consider this type of meeting appropriate, reply 20/02/17 acknowledgement of our position
16/02/17	To J. Valentine PKC proposing an independent chair for meeting with planning dept, copied to Murdo Fraser.	Reply 22/02/17 pkc still proposing mediation meeting , no mention of chair etc
16/02/17	To Lisa Simpson legal dept PKC re press comment by AJS stating their employees had been deliberately missed out in the village questionnaire survey.	Email reply 20/02/17 PKC has no authority over press, role is to provide legal advice and to represent PKC, "seek your own legal advice"
17/02/17	To pkc requesting that the CTRL Stage 2 report be available for public use to enable public comment	
17/02/17	From pkc re FOI request for DMRB stage 2 report sent 24/01/17	CD received 17/02/17
21/02/17	To HMP castle Huntly re community help with the Bleachie	
21/02/17	From Nick Brian PKC planning application acknowledgement.	
21/02/17	To SGN thanks for prompt attention during emergency and asking for causes?	
23/02/17	To PKC planning: re planning application invalid due to statement that "none of land is part of an agricultural holding"	
23/02/17	To M. Fraser & J. Swinney MSP copy of correspondence from J Valentine PKC still offering	Reply from M. Fraser thinking mediation meeting with PKC

	mediation meeting	might be a good thing
24/02/17	To J.Swinney MSP asking him to initiate action by an appropriate scot gov minister to assess PKC planning authority performance.	