

# Examination into the Welwyn Hatfield Local Plan.

## HEARINGS

1 Legal Soundness

21 September 2017

### Agenda

- 1) Has the DPD been prepared in accordance with the Local Development Scheme?
- 2) Is the DPD in general accordance with the Statement of Community Involvement and its public consultation requirements?
- 3) Has the DPD been subjected to Sustainability Appraisal? Are its conclusions sound and have they been taken into account in the DPD?
- 4) Has a Habitat Regulations Assessment been prepared? Are its conclusions sound and have they been taken into account in the DPD?
- 5) Has the DPD been prepared in full accordance with the relevant parts of the Planning and Compulsory Purchase Act 2004 and the T&CP (Local Plan) (England) Regulations 2012 as amended?
- 6) Has the DPD had regard to appropriate national policy?
- 7) Has the Council fulfilled the requirements of the duty to cooperate?