

5 August, 2020

Mr. Colin Haigh,
Head of Planning,
Welwyn Hatfield Borough Council,

By email only

Dear Mr. Haigh,

My letter about the 2018 household forecasts was instigated by a request via PINS from DHCLG who wish to review the position in the now relatively small number of authorities who have plans being examined under the 2012 NPPF. It was hoped that all such authorities would be able to respond by 31 July. That request does not mention BREXIT or Covid 19, the implications of which, I would suggest, are no more than speculation at this point in time. I will inform them that your response can be expected by 28 August 2020. If that is not the case then I would be grateful if you could let the Programme Officer know ASAP.

Yours Sincerely

Mel Middleton

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