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Sent: 11 April 2023 13:59
To: Kate Meller
Cc: Tom Dunsdon; Susan Ring; Andrew Sharland QC; Grant James; Allison Crossland; We Love Stoke Lodge; Kathy Welham; Penny Beeston; Ed Carpenter
Subject: RE: Stoke Lodge TVG

Dear Ms Meller

I am writing on behalf of the City Council (in its capacity as education authority and landowner) and further to the receipt of Mr Petchey's last Report dated 14 March 2023.

This process has been going on for a very long time now and all parties have had more than an adequate opportunity to address the Inspector on all issues. It is respectfully submitted that there is no need for the registration authority to ask the parties for yet further submissions to be referred to Mr Petchey. Mr Petchey has been very fair in giving an opportunity for the fullest possible submissions to be made but it is now the time for this matter to be referred to the PROWG committee for a final decision to be made. To do otherwise is not in anyone's interests and will increase the overall cost and delay in dealing with this matter. It is noted that the Applicant does not want there to be further submissions to Mr Petchey.

Whilst writing I should make it clear that the City Council (in its capacity as education authority and landowner) does not agree with Mr Petchey's conclusions on the issue of statutory incompatibility and I would be grateful if you could ensure this dissent with Mr Petchey's conclusions is drawn to the attention of the PROWG committee. If this matter is subject to judicial review, it will seek to uphold a decision to reject the application on this alternative basis.

Please acknowledge receipt of this e-mail.

Yours sincerely

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