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Chief Legal Officer Per Mr R Ritchie Committee Services The Moray Council Council Office High Street ELGIN IV30 1BX

Dear Sir

TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING (SCHEMES OF DELEGATION AND LOCAL REVIEW PROCEDURE)

REQUEST FOR REVIEW: PLANNING APPLICATION 09/01618/PPP – PLANNING PERMISSION IN PRINCIPLE TO ERECT A HOUSE AT UPPER THORN, DRYBRIDGE, BUCKIE

PROCEDURE NOTICE RELATIVE TO NEW EVIDENCE

I refer to your letter dated 24 May 2010.

I respond on behalf of the Transportation Manager to the two questions raised in the letter relating to the Statutory test for the consideration of new evidence and our views on the content of the new information:-



(1) Circumstances which would preclude the applicant from meeting the statutory test

The applicant has submitted a revised drawing showing access arrangements for the proposed development. This revised drawing is based on a survey which is more accurate than the information supplied in the original planning application. It is our view that this information could and should have been made available at the time of the planning application. Furthermore, it is our view that the circumstances which have led to the submission of the revised drawing showing the access arrangements for the proposed development are not exceptional.

(2) Views on the substance of the new information

The survey undertaken for drawings No Future Plans 01 and Future Plans 02 is more accurate than that submitted for planning application 09/01618/PPP. There is now a single point of access where the visibility splay to the north of the access can be provided without crossing third party land. The applicant has cleared obstructions to visibility from the access which were present when the planning application was assessed. Transportation have recently visited the site and we can confirm that the required visibility splay can be provided, albeit only at the point shown on the drawing submitted to the Local Review Body.

In accordance with regulation 15(3) we will send a copy of this response to the applicant and interested parties.

Yours faithfully

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