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RF**Bartlett, Helen**

From: POServices [simon@poservices.co.uk]
Sent: 17 November 2010 15:51
To: Bartlett, Helen; Baxter, Amy
Cc: Charles, Ruth
Subject: Fw: Further Statements - JCS for Broadland, Norwich and South Norfolk
Attachments: supplementarystatement.doc

Helen,

This is the statement from BNP which has the reference number RF 52 and my reply to her RF 53. Could you do some photocopies of the further statement for tomorrow please.

Can confirm that the Leeder family and GNDP Statement of Common Ground is RF 54.

Many thanks

Louise

Dear Ms. Crowther,

Thank you for your email together with your further statement, and I can confirm that all agenda matters that are the subject of discussion during the examination of the GNDP Joint Core Strategy are subject to law.

The Inspectors have your statement sent in October, as well as your earlier representations, and will have noted the points raised in them. Matter 1 was dealt with on Day one and the Inspectors are anxious not to re-visit sections of the programme which have already been discussed, but this does not mean that they will be ignoring any statements made by any representors or any section of those statements. It is simply that as there is a full programme to get through in a finite amount of time, they do not wish to re-open a discussion point which has already been covered.

Even though you did not participate in the discussion of Matter 1, I would like to re-assure you that written and verbal representations carry exactly the same weight. However, it is up to representors themselves to decide which matters they wish to participate in, and looking through the email correspondence we had concerning the programme these show that every effort was made to list you as a participant in the matters that you wished to contribute to verbally.

I can confirm that I have forwarded your further statement to the Inspectors and that it will also be posted on the GNDP website.

Kind regards

Louise St John Howe
Programme Officer

From: edith.crowther

Sent: Wednesday, November 17, 2010 12:38 PM

To: simon@poservices.co.uk

Subject: Fw: Further Statements - JCS for Broadland, Norwich and South Norfolk

Dear PO Services

I am obliged to make a Supplementary Statement because I have been informed that legal matters were covered in the Hearing on Matter 1. This cannot be right: for a start, all Matters are subject to Law, in every respect. I said so in my first Statement, and have repeated it in the emails below.

I was under the impression that choosing a Matter meant no more than that you wanted to participate in the Hearing. I did not see any point in saying the same thing at all the Hearings, so I chose two Matters which I thought were likely to provide instances where Environmental Law was likely to be useful - if only in indicating the direction in which future planning rules are likely to go, given the massive weight of international law on the Environment now bearing down on us as individuals and as organisations, companies, etc.

My Statement does apply to all the Matters, that is quite obvious as it is extremely clearly worded. If no notice is going to be taken of it unless it has Matter 1 written in the top right-hand corner, then I request that it be added retrospectively to the documents for Matter 1 and since it has no doubt been read, this will not put the Inspector to any trouble. I am not happy that he did not make a Summary of it under Matters 2 and/or 3, although this would have been very easy, but that is something I have no power to influence. I do have considerable power to insist that I be taken note of as an individual or a representative though, going right up through national laws to the Aarhus Convention, so I am insisting! - as it seems to me that the Inspector has seized on his own perception of which Matters are suitable for my Statement to airbrush the Statement out of existence.

I note that several Representors at the Hearing have been complaining for some time about a lack of real Democracy and real Consultation but I had no such complaint - until now. I am appearing tomorrow at a Hearing, and request that my Statement be supplied as an Additional Document in the (excellent) way other additional documents have been.

Sorry if I sound cross - I am not, just concerned to be heard. You yourselves have been unfailingly helpful, democratic, polite, and efficient. Indeed so has the Inspector, and I am sure he did not mean to exclude me - it is just that his words yesterday have had that effect, whether he realises it or not.

Sincerely

Edith Crowther

----- Forwarded Message -----

From: edith crowther <edith_crowther@yahoo.co.uk>
To: POServices <simon@poservices.co.uk>
Sent: Sun, 17 October, 2010 23:04:11
Subject: Re: Further Statements - JCS for Broadland, Norwich and South Norfolk

ID No, 11743

Thank you. As well as Matter 2, I would like to be listed for Matter 3, sections A and C.

I believe Matter 3 section B, which deals with the Growth Triangle, is off the agenda.

My Statement remains the same for all Matters, but I am not being frivolous, or lazy - it is worth pointing out more than once, exactly how and why the various projects and proposals do not respect either:

1. United Nations law, or:
2. the individual position of the UK as an Ecological Debtor which uses more than 150 per cent of its own Bio-capacity and is thus a danger to itself as well as other nations unless all UK growth is halted immediately, and some growth is reversed.

With regard to the UN World Charter for Nature, this was sent in my first email as a website link as follows:

<http://www.un-documents.net/a37r7.htm>

In case of problems though, I now attach it as a file. The http version is squashed into three A4 pages, the Word version is longer.

Regards and best wishes

From: POServices <simon@poservices.co.uk>
To: edith crowther <edith_crowther@yahoo.co.uk>
Sent: Thu, 14 October, 2010 14:15:20
Subject: Re: Further Statements - JCS for Broadland, Norwich and South Norfolk

Thanks for the clarification and can confirm that you are listed for Matter 2. If you wish to be listed to participate in Matter 3 can you please let me know which section - A, B or C. Many thanks

Checking your statements we have received your written statement and also the press release but there is no attachment containing the UN Charter material. Could you please send to us again.

Many thanks

Louise Howe

17/11/2010

From: edith crowther
Sent: Monday, October 11, 2010 11:16 AM
To: POServices
Subject: Re: Further Statements - JCS for Broadland, Norwich and South Norfolk

Thank you for this. I did write "Matters 2 and 3 (all parts)" in the top right-hand corner of the first page - the same Statement covers both, and indeed all the Matters because they are all ultimately governed by International Law on the environment.

However if I am only allowed one Matter at the hearing, then I choose **Matter 2**. I see that some (or all) of Matter 3 may have been dropped, anyway, so far as the Hearing is concerned. It looks as if Part B has been dropped, to be specific.

If I am allowed to make the same Statement about both Matters, then I would like to do so. There is a great deal of point in examining quickly and in person, WITH the Inspector, how the same International Law might apply to different local development topics - although I admit that it is an exercise which Planners can very easily do for themselves on their own, if they accept that International Law obliges them to do so. They would also find, I think, that International Law allows them to give weight to the kind of statement I sometimes hear or sometimes see written out by hand, from members of the public who really cannot cope with the mechanics of commenting - not because they are stupid, but because they are no more familiar with the workings of commenting than I am, or Planners are, with a tractor engine.

From: POServices <simon@poservices.co.uk>
To: edith crowther <edith_crowther@yahoo.co.uk>
Sent: Fri, 8 October, 2010 12:38:57
Subject: Re: Further Statements - JCS for Broadland, Norwich and South Norfolk

I have received your further submission and registered this. Can you please let me know which Matter you would like to address with this statement. Many thanks

Louise Howe

From: edith crowther
Sent: Thursday, October 07, 2010 9:58 PM
To: simon@poservices.co.uk
Subject: Further Statements - JCS for Broadland, Norwich and South Norfolk

Dear Simon Osborn -

ID No. 11743

Please find attached my Further Statement (5 pages) together with two Appended documents, each 3 pages long (a U.N. Charter and a Committee on Climate Change Press Release). The Press Release is an attachment. The UN Charter is best sent as a link, as follows:

<http://www.un-documents.net/a37r7.htm>

I note the deadline has shifted to 15th October, so I did not post the 6 copies today, will post them tomorrow. Perhaps you could confirm that they have arrived safely? Thank you very much.

Edith Crowther