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Please note that a copy of this response will also be forwarded to the other Councils in this joint venture

Dear Mr Motuel

Joint Minerals & Waste Plan – Main Modifications for Wokingham BC, Bracknell Forest Borough Council, Reading Borough Council and Royal Borough of Windsor and Maidenhead LBC

Thank you for your consultation request on the above dated and received by Natural England on 28th February 2022.

Natural England is a non-departmental public body. Our statutory purpose is to ensure that the natural environment is conserved, enhanced, and managed for the benefit of present and future generations, thereby contributing to sustainable development.

Natural England does not consider that this Joint Minerals and Waste Plan poses any likely risk or opportunity in relation to our statutory purpose, and so does not wish to comment on this consultation.

The lack of comment from Natural England should not be interpreted as a statement that there are no impacts on the natural environment. Other bodies and individuals may wish to make comments that might help the Local Planning Authority (LPA) to fully take account of any environmental risks and opportunities relating to this document.

If you disagree with our assessment of this proposal as low risk, or should the proposal be amended in a way which significantly affects its impact on the natural environment, then in accordance with Section 4 of the Natural Environment and Rural Communities Act 2006, please consult Natural England again.

Yours sincerely

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