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Letter by email

Inspector Birkinshaw and Inspector Bristow c/o Louise St John Howe, Programme Officer

Dear Inspector Birkinshaw and Inspector Bristow,

## St Albans City & District Council's Local Plan (LP 2041) - Initial Questions for **Examination**

Thank you for your letter of 10 February 2025 setting out Initial Questions for Examination. Please find attached St Albans City & District Council's response to the guestions raised and, as requested, we have referred to the relevant examination documents by title and reference number.

For your ease of reference and document management, we have grouped the responses together under the same headings as in your letter, namely:

Q1-6 - Duty to Cooperate

Q7 - Flooding

Q8-12 - Green Belt (Q8-11 in one document, Q12 in another, due to file size)

Q13-14 - Housing Requirement

Q15-19 - Hemel Garden Communities

As you will see, we have also set out a response to the request at paragraph 8, to assist the Examination.

Yours sincerely,

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