PENDLE CORE STRATEGY PLAN EXAMINATION

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Dear Mr Halton

Pendle Core Strategy (CS) Examination

The Programme Officer will be circulating the hearing sessions programme to participants in the next day or so. In the accompanying letter he will be drawing attention to the fact that the Council intend to produce Schedules of Main and Additional Modifications during the Examination.

Modifications

It would be helpful to me and participants if these Schedules could be produced and published as soon as possible. In this respect please could you give me an indication of when they will be produced? As indicated in my initial questions to the Council the Schedules should be living documents to be continually updated during the Examination. Any Modifications suggested may be further refined during the Examination, including as a result of discussion at the hearing sessions.

Hearing Statements

As indicated in the *Examination Guidance Note from the Inspector* the Council should produce a hearing statement on each of the Matters identified in the hearings programme seeking to answer each of the individual questions set out in the list of issues/questions. As recently advised via the Programme Officer the Council is not necessarily limited to the 3000 word limit but the more focused its responses the better for me. In particular it would be helpful if the Council could cross reference its responses to relevant parts of Core Documents and Examination Documents rather

than repeat what is already before the Examination. Statements should be available by Friday 20 March 2015.

If you require any clarification on the above please contact me via the Programme Officer.

Yours sincerely

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INSPECTOR

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