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Dear Sir

**TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING (SCOTLAND) ACT 1997
THE TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING (NOTIFICATION OF APPLICATIONS)
(SCOTLAND) DIRECTION 2007
OUTLINE PLANNING PERMISSION FOR GOLF COURSE AND RESORT
DEVELOPMENT AT LAND AT MENIE HOUSE, BALMEDIE, ABERDEEN**

I refer to your letter of 15 May 2008.

In relation to bullet point 14, you will now have seen the letter of 13 May from the council's agent where it is explained what the council's intention is regarding the EKOS report. The new EKOS report has been produced by the due date (AC9).

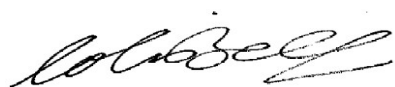
With reference to bullet point 22, you will also have seen the letter of 9 May from the applicant's agent, explaining that new reports will be issued. These reports were circulated by the due date (T6 and T7).

I enclose copies of the following:

- A letter we have received from the Scottish Wildlife Trust dated 09 May 2008.
- A letter of representation we have received from Mr Paul Miller dated 08 May 2008.

- A letter we have received from Mr Charles P Skene Dated 13 May 2008.

Yours faithfully



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cc: All relevant persons.