

Email from PINS: Southwark Inspector Matters Issues Questions (dated 7 Dec 2020)

Dear Jacqueline

Please find attached the following examination documents:

Draft Hearings Programme;
Inspectors' Matters, Issues and Questions; and
Guidance Notes.

As advised previously, these documents should be made available on the examination website from 11 December. We are providing them now so that the Council has early sight and can start considering its response in good time. We are mindful that the Council is separately preparing responses to the recent consultation representations. Accordingly, on receipt of the Council's responses we may raise further questions for the examination through supplementary MIQs or as part of agendas for the hearings. However, we would anticipate that in responding to the recent consultation comments, the Council's answers to the points raised may well inform/duplicate responses to some of our MIQs.

As well as uploading the attached documents to the examination website, those who have submitted duly made representations at the 2018 PSV stage; the 2019 APV stage and the 2020 Council's Proposed Changes stage will need to be notified that the MIQs, guidance notes and draft programme are available and that they have until 11 January 2021 to confirm whether they wish to be heard and that they have until 27 January 2020 to submit any further statements in light of our MIQs. Hopefully most people on the PSV/APV/CPC databases can be contacted by email. This notification needs to be done on 11 December and by no later than 15 December. If it assists I can provide wording/draft text for the notification.

If there are any questions from yourself Jacqueline or from the Council on this email and its attachments please do not hesitate to contact me. In terms of the guidance notes the figures for duly made representations at the PSV and APV stages are taken from the Council's consultation reports. The figure of 153 representations on the latest consultation is a count of the records in EIP83 (not including late reps). Please let me know if any of these figures need amending and we will reissue the guidance notes.

Kind regards

David