PROPOSED ABERDEENSHIRE LOCAL DEVELOPMENT PLAN 2020 **RESPONSE FORM**

As part of the production of the Local Development Plan, a 'Main Issues Report' was published in January 2019. The responses from these consultations have helped to inform the content of the Proposed Local Development Plan ("the Proposed Plan").

The Aberdeenshire Local Development Plan will direct decision-making on land-use planning issues and planning applications in Aberdeenshire for the 10-year period from 2021 to 2031. The Proposed Plan was agreed by Aberdeenshire Council in March 2020 as the settled view of the Council. However, the Proposed Plan will be subjected to an independent examination and is now open for public comment.

This is your opportunity to tell us if anything should be changed in the Proposed Plan, and why.

When writing a response to the Proposed Plan it is important to specifically state the modification(s) that you would wish to see to the Plan.

This is the only remaining opportunity to comment on the Proposed Plan. The reasons for any requested changes will be analysed and reported to Scottish Ministers. They will then appoint a person known as a Reporter to conduct a public examination of the Proposed Plan, focusing particularly on any unresolved issues and the changes sought.

Ministers expect representations (or responses) to be concise (no more than 2000 words) and accompanied by limited supporting documents. It is important to ensure that all of the information that you wish to be considered is submitted during this consultation period as there is no further opportunity to provide information, unless specifically asked.

Please email comments to ldp@aberdeenshire.gov.uk or send this form to reach us by 17 July 2020.

We recommend that you keep a copy of your representation for your own records.



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If you wish to contact one of the area planning offices, please call 01467 534333 and ask for the relevant planning office or email planning@aberdeenshire.gov.uk.

Please use this form to make comments on the Proposed Aberdeenshire Local Development Plan 2020. If you are making comments about more than one topic it would be very helpful if you could fill in a separate response form for each issue you wish to raise.

Please email or send the form to reach us by 17 July 2020 at the following address:

Post: Planning Policy Team, Infrastructures Services Aberdeenshire Council, Woodhill House, Westburn Road, ABERDEEN, AB16 5GB

Email: ldp@aberdeenshire.gov.uk

Please refer to our **Privacy Notice** at the end of this form for details of your rights under the Data Protection Act.

YOUR DETAILS

Title:	Mrs
First Name:	Marianne
Surname:	Evans
Date:	15 July 2020
Postal Address:	Stewart Milne Homes,
Postcode:	
Telephone Number:	
Email:	

Are you happy to receive future correspondence only by email? Yes _x No □

Are you responding on behalf of another person? Yes $_{\star}$ No \square

If yes who are you representing?	Stewart Milne Homes
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* Tick the box if you would like to subscribe to the Aberdeenshire LDP eNewsletter:

An acknowledgement will be sent to this address soon after the close of consultation.

YOUR COMMENTS

Please provide us with your comments below. We will summarise comments and in our analysis will consider every point that is made. Once we have done this we will write back to you with Aberdeenshire Council's views on the submissions made. We will publish your name as the author of the comment, but will not make your address public.

Modification that you wish to see (please make specific reference to the section of the Proposed Plan you wish to see modified if possible, for example Section 9, paragraph E1.1):

The Cluny and Sauchen Settlement statement should include the site identified as GR030 in the Main Issues Report (MIR) and OP3 in the draft Proposed Local Development Plan (dPLDP) for retail/café use.

Reason for change:

We object to the Cluny and Sauchen settlement boundary not being extended to accommodate the site which was given the bid reference GR030 (see Appendix 1) and was preferred for development in the Main Issues Report (MIR) and identified as site OP3 in the draft Proposed Local Development Plan (dPLDP).

The site, which is located to the south west of Sauchen and within walking distance of the village, was promoted for retail/café use in response to the community's desire for further facilities. This want of the community was made clear from responses to Stewart Milne Homes community engagement as part of the Pre-application consultation for housing developments in the village. The site can be made available in the short term for retail/café use and there are no physical or technical constraints that would prevent development.

At MIR/dPLDP stage, Aberdeenshire Council were supportive of the proposals citing "the proposed site would provide an easily accessible and convenient retail and employment element to the settlement that has historically been lacking for some time. This could retain people within the settlement as well as potentially attracting further investment".

It was recognised that the need to provide local amenities outweighed the site been categorised as prime agricultural land. In any event, the shape and size of the site limits its value for agricultural use.

It is disappointing that the site has not been included as an opportunity site in the Proposed Plan. There were a number of representations expressing support for the allocation of the site for retail uses at the MIR/dPLDP stage (Issues and Actions Paper – Garioch). Despite this, the Council have removed the zoning without a clear explanation. In their Issues and Actions Paper (Garioch) they suggest that the site was identified as the preferred option as "a possible solution to the community's aspiration for a community hub to be established in the settlement" and advise that an alternative site has been identified by the community for this purpose. This proposed community hub is for a meeting place/community venue and not for retail/café use as proposed for the GR030 site. Therefore there is no logical explanation for its removal.

The merits of the retail/café site remain in terms of adding to the amenities of the village and this and the potential community hub are stand alone facilities and the zoning of one does not preclude the zoning of the other. In fact, the zoning of both will help diversify the land uses in the village.

We therefore respectfully request the reinstatement of bid site GR030 as an opportunity site for retail/café use in the Cluny and Sauchen settlement.

APPENDIX 1

Local Development Plan 2021



Call for Sites Response Form

Aberdeenshire Council would like to invite you to use this form to submit a site for consideration within the next Local Development Plan (LDP 2021) for the period 2021 to 2031. A separate form should be completed for each site you wish to submit.

This is not a speculative plan. It is a fresh 'call for sites', so please re-submit any sites that do not or are not expected to have planning permission by 2021.

In order for the bids to be fully assessed, it is crucial that the questions in the bid form are answered fully and concisely with clear evidence of deliverability. The submission of a supporting statement, often known as a paper apart, <u>should be avoided</u>, and only assessments, such as a Flood Risk Assessment that has already been undertaken, should be submitted in support of your proposed site.

Completed forms and Ordnance Survey "Landline" site maps should be returned by email to: ldp@aberdeenshire.gov.uk

Alternatively, you can return the form and Ordnance Survey map by post to: Planning Policy, Infrastructure Services, Woodhill House, Westburn Road, Aberdeen AB16 5GB

All forms must be submitted by 31 March 2018.

Name	
Organisation (if applicable)	Stewart Milne Homes
Address	
Telephone number	
Email address	
Do you wish to subscribe to our newsletter?	Yes

I. Your Details

2. If you are acting as an agent on behalf of a third party, please give their details

Name	
Organisation (if applicable)	-
Address	•
Telephone number	-
Email address	

3. Other Owners

Please give name, organisation, address, email details of other owner(s) where appropriate:	Stewart Milne Group
Do these owners know this is being proposed for development?	Yes

For data protection purposes, please complete the rest of this form on a new page

4. Site Details

Name of the site (Please use the LDP name if the site is already allocated)	Land to South West of Sauchen
Site address	Sauchen, Aberdeenshire
OS grid reference (if available)	NJ699106
Site area/size	1.89 acres
Current land use	Agriculture
Brownfield/greenfield	Greenfield
	ey map (1:1250 or 1:2500 base for larger sites, e.g. over 2ha) of the site, points of access, means of drainage etc.

5. Ownership/Market Interest

Ownership (Please list the owners in question 3 above)	Sole owner
Is the site under option to a	Owned by developer
developer?	If yes, please give details As per ownership details in Q3
Is the site being marketed?	No
Marthurson Bartan	N/A

6. Legal Issues

Are there any legal provisions in the title deeds that may prevent or restrict development?	No
(e.g. way leave for utility providers, restriction on use of land, right of way etc.)	N/A
Are there any other legal factors that might prevent or restrict development?	No
(e.g. ransom strips/issues with accessing the site etc.)	N/A

7. Planning History

Have you had any formal/informal	No
pre-application discussions with the Planning Service and what was the response?	N/A pre-application discussions will be held following the zoning of the site in a Proposed Plan.
Previous planning applications	Please provide application reference number(s), description(s) of the development, and whether planning permission was approved or refused: N/A
Previous 'Call for sites' history. See Main Issues Report 2013 at www.aberdeenshire.gov.uk/ldp	Please provide Previous 'Call for sites'/'Bid' reference number: N/A
Local Development Plan status www.aberdeenshire.gov.uk/ldp	Is the site currently allocated for any specific use in the existing LDP? No
	If yes, do you wish to change the site description and or allocation? N/A

8. Proposed Use

Proposed use		Housing/employment/mixed use/other (please specify): Retail use/coffee shop	
Housing	Approx. no of units	N/A	
	Proposed mix of house types	Number of: • Detached: • Semi-detached: • Flats: • Terrace: • Other (e.g. Bungalows): Number of: • I bedroom homes: • 2 bedroom homes:	
	and a first start	 3 bedroom homes: 4 or more bedroom homes: 	
	Tenure (Delete as appropriate)	N/A	
	Affordable housing proportion	N/A	
Employment	Business and offices	Indicative floor space: m ²	
	General industrial	Indicative floor space: m ²	
	Storage and distribution	Indicative floor space: m ²	
1	Do you have a specific occupier for the site?	N/A	
Other	Proposed use (please specify) and floor space	Small scale retail use or coffee shop or similar use	
	Do you have a specific occupier for the site?	No but the site will be actively marketed following zoning in the Local Development Plan	
Is the area of in the OS site	each proposed use noted plan?	Yes	

9. Delivery Timescales

We expect to adopt the new LDP in 2021.	0-5 years	N
How many years after this date would you	6-10 years	
expect development to begin? (please tick)	10+ years	
When would you expect the development	0-5 years	V
to be finished? (please tick)	6-10 years	
	+ IOyears	
Have discussions taken place with	Yes	
financiers? Will funding be in place to cover all the costs of development within these timescales	If yes, please give details (e.g. bank facility, grant funding, secured loan etc.) Existing lending facilities would cover future development	
Are there any other risk or threats (other	No	
than finance) to you delivering your proposed development	If yes, please give might overcome N/A	details and indicate how you them:

10. Natural Heritage

Is the site located in or within 500m of a	RAMSAR Site	x
nature conservation site, or affect a	Special Area of Conservation	x
protected species?	Special Protection Area	x
	Priority habitat (Annex I)	x
Please tick any that apply and provide	European Protected Species	x
details.	Other protected species	x
	Site of Special Scientific Interest	x
You can find details of these designations	at National Nature Reserve	x
https://www.environment.gov.scot/	Ancient Woodland	x
EU priority habitats at	Trees, hedgerows and woodland	x
http://gateway.snh.gov.uk/sitelink/ing	dex (including trees with a Tree	
.jsp	Preservation Order)	
• UK or Local priority habitats at	Priority habitat (UK or Local	x
http://www.biodiversityscotland.gov.u		1 C
dvice-and-resources/habitat-	Local Nature Conservation Site	x
definitions/priority/)	Local Nature Reserve	x
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LDP's Supplementary Guidance No. !		
www.aberdeenshire.gov.uk/ldp	development:	
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II. Historic environment

Historic environment enhancement		The Lord Land
Please state if there will be benefits for the	N/A	
historic environment.	If yes, please give details:	
Does the site contain/is within/can affect any of the following historic environment assets?	Scheduled Monument or their setting	x
Please tick any that apply and provide details. You can find details of these designations at:	Locally important archaeological site held on the Sites and Monuments Record	x
http://historicscotland.maps.arcgis.com/a	Listed Building and/or their setting	x
pps/Viewer/index.html?appid=18d2608ac 1284066ba3927312710d16d	Conservation Area (e.g. will it result in the demolition of any buildings)	×
http://portal.historicenvironment.scot/ https://online.aberdeenshire.gov.uk/smrp	Inventory Gardens and Designed Landscapes	x
ub/master/default.aspx?Authority=Aberd	Inventory Historic Battlefields	x
<u>eenshire</u>	If yes, please give details of how you p mitigate the impact of the proposed d N/A	

12. Landscape Impact

Is the site within a Special Landscape Area	No
(SLA)? (You can find details in Supplementary Guidance 9 at www.aberdeenshire.gov.uk/ldp)	If yes, please state which SLA your site is located within and provide details of how you plan to mitigate the impact of the proposed development:
 SLAs include the consideration of landscape character elements/features. The character elements/features. The character istics of landscapes are defined in the Landscape Character Assessments produced by Scottish Natural Heritage (see below) or have been identified as Special Landscape Areas of local importance. SNH: Landscape Character Assessments https://www.snh.scot/professional-advice/landscape-character-assessment SNH (1996) Cairngorms landscape assessment http://www.snh.org.uk/pdfs/publications/review/075.pdf SNH (1997) National programme of landscape character assessment: Banff and Buchan http://www.snh.org.uk/pdfs/publications/review/037.pdf SNH (1998) South and Central Aberdeenshire landscape character assessment http://www.snh.org.uk/pdfs/publications/review/037.pdf 	If your site is not within an SLA, please use this space to describe the effects of the site's scale, location or design on key natural landscape elements/features, historic features or the composition or quality of the landscape character: This will be provided through future detailing of the proposals. The site currently offers little by way of established landscape features and it is not in an SLA. Development provides the opportunity to create an attractive landscape gateway to the village.

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13. Flood Risk

Is any part of the site identified as being at	No
risk of river or surface water flooding within SEPA flood maps, and/or has any part of the site previously flooded?	If yes, please specify and explain how you intend to mitigate this risk: N/A
(You can view the SEPA flood maps at http://map.sepa.org.uk/floodmap/map.htm)	
Could development on the site result in	No
additional flood risk elsewhere?	If yes, please specify and explain how you intend to mitigate or avoid this risk: N/A
Could development of the site help alleviate	No
any existing flooding problems in the area?	If yes, please provide details: N/A

14. Infrastructure

a. Water / Drainage		
Is there water/waste water capacity for the proposed development (based on Scottish Water asset capacity search tool	Water	Yes
http://www.scottishwater.co.uk/business/Conn ections/Connecting-your-property/Asset- Capacity-Search)?	Waste water	Yes through improvements as a result of current zonings in Sauchen
Has contact been made with Scottish Water? If yes, please give details of outcome: Discussions have taken place as p monthly meetings		e taken place as part of
Will your SUDS scheme include rain gardens? http://www.centralscotlandgreennetwork.org/c ampaigns/greener-gardens	N/A Please specify:	
b. Education - housing proposals only	A STATE OF THE OWNER OF THE OWNER OF	
Education capacity/constraints https://www.aberdeenshire.gov.uk/schools/pare nts-carers/school-info/school-roll-forecasts/	Please provide details of any known education constraints. Is additional capacity needed to serve the development? N/A	
Has contact been made with the Local Authority's Education Department?	N/A If yes, please give details of outcome:	
c. Transport		
If direct access is required onto a Trunk Road (A90 and A96), or the proposal will impact on traffic on a Trunk Road, has contact been made with Transport Scotland?	No If yes, please give details of outcome: N/A	
Has contact been made with the Local Authority's Transportation Service? They can be contacted at transportation.consultation@aberdeenshire.go y.uk	No If yes, please give details of outcome: N/A	

Public transport	Please provide details of how the site is or could be served by public transport. The site is within 400 metres of an existing bus service.
Active travel (i.e. internal connectivity and links externally)	Please provide details of how the site can or could be accessed by walking and cycling: Connections will be made to the existing footpath network where appropriate.
d. Gas/Electricity/Heat/Broadband	
Has contact been made with the relevant utilities providers?	Gas: No If yes, please give details of outcome(s): Mains gas provision is not available in the village
	Electricity: Yes If yes, please give details of outcome(s): Capacity can be provided
	Heat: Yes If yes, please give details of outcome(s): Capacity can be provided
	Broadband: Yes If yes, please give details of outcome(s): Capacity can be provided
Have any feasibility studies been undertaken to understand and inform capacity issues?	No Please specify: From other developments we have done in Sauchen we can confirm that capacity can be made available.
Is there capacity within the existing network(s) and a viable connection to the network(s)?	Yes Please specify: As per above
Will renewable energy be installed and used on the site? For example, heat pump (air, ground or water), biomass, hydro, solar (photovoltaic (electricity) or thermal), or a wind turbine (freestanding/integrated into the building)	Yes If yes, please specify the type of renewable energy technology(s), if it is to provide electricity and/or heating (i.e. space heating and/or hot water), and the scale of provision (To supplement off-site connection all the way to 100% energy provision (off-grid)): The relevant technologies will be used at the time of development
e. Public open space	
Will the site provide the opportunity to enhance the green network? (These are the linked areas of open space in settlements, which can be enhanced through amalgamating existing green networks or providing onsite green infrastructure)	Yes Please specify: This will be achieved through the provision of landscaping as part of the development
You can find the boundary of existing green networks in the settlement profiles in the LDP	

Will the site meet the open space standards, as set out in Appendix 2 in the Aberdeenshire Parks and Open Spaces Strategy? https://www.aberdeenshire.gov.uk/media/6077/ approvedpandospacesstrategy.pdf Will the site deliver any of the shortfalls identified in the Open Space Audit for specific settlements? https://www.aberdeenshire.gov.uk/communities -and-events/parks-and-open-spaces/open- space-strategy-audit/	Yes Please specify: The detailed design will meet Aberdeenshire Council's Open Space requirements Not applicable Please specify: No deficit is identified
f. Resource use	
Will the site re-use existing structure(s) or recycle or recover existing on-site materials/resources?	No If yes, please specify: N/A
Will the site have a direct impact on the water environment and result in the need for watercourse crossings, large scale abstraction and/or culverting of a watercourse?	No If yes, please provide details:

15. Other potential constraints Please identify whether the site is affected by any of the following potential constraints:

https://www.aberdeenshire.gov.uk/media/20555/appendix-3- boundaries-of-the-greenbelt.pdf	
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Contraction of the Prophylichal	
Carbon-rich soils and peatland	No
http://www.snh.gov.uk/planning-and-development/advice-for-	
planners-and-developers/soils-and-development/cpp/	
Coastal Zone	No
https://www.aberdeenshire.gov.uk/media/20176/4-the-coastal-	-
zone.pdf	
Contaminated land	No
Ground instability	No
Hazardous site/HSE exclusion zone	No
(You can find the boundary of these zones in Planning Advice 1/2017	
Pipeline and Hazardous Development Consultation Zones at	
https://www.aberdeenshire.gov.uk/planning/plans-and-	
policies/planning-advice/ and advice at	
http://www.hse.gov.uk/landuseplanning/developers.htm)	
Minerals – safeguarded or area of search	No
https://www.aberdeenshire.gov.uk/ldpmedia/6 Area of search and	
safeguard for minerals.pdf	
Overhead lines or underground cables	No
Physical access into the site due to topography or geography	No
Prime agricultural land (grades 1, 2 and 3.1) on all or part of the site.	No the land is grade
http://map.environment.gov.scot/Soil_maps/?layer=6	3.2
'Protected' open space in the LDP (i.e. P sites)	No
www.aberdeenshire.gov.uk/ldp and choose from Appendix 8a to 8f	
Rights of way/core paths/recreation uses	No
Topography (e.g. steep slopes)	No

If you have identified any of the potential constraints above, please use this space to identify how you will mitigate this in order to achieve a viable development:

16. Proximity to facilities

How close is the site to a range of facilities?	Local shops	This proposal will provide a local shop
*Delete as appropriate	Community facilities (e.g. school, public hall)	>lkm
	Sports facilities (e.g. playing fields	400m-1km
	Employment areas	400m-1km
	Residential areas	400m
	Bus stop or bus route	400m
	Train station	N/A
	Other, e.g. dentist, pub (please specify)	N/A

17. Community engagement

Has the local community been given the opportunity to influence/partake in the design and specification of the development proposal?	Not yet. However engagement as part of housing applications by SMH has identified the community's wish to see a shop in Sauchen
	If yes, please specify the way it was carried out and how it influenced your proposals:
	If not yet, please detail how you will do so in the future: Community engagement will be carried out at an appropriate time in the plan making process.

18. Residual value and deliverability

Please confirm that you have considered the	I have considered the likely 'residual value' of
'residual value' of your site and you are	the site, as described above, and fully expect
confident that the site is viable when	the site to be viable:
infrastructure and all other costs, such as	
constraints and mitigation are taken into	Please tick: 🗸 📕
account.	

If you have any further information to help demonstrate the deliverability of your proposal, please provide details.

19. Other information

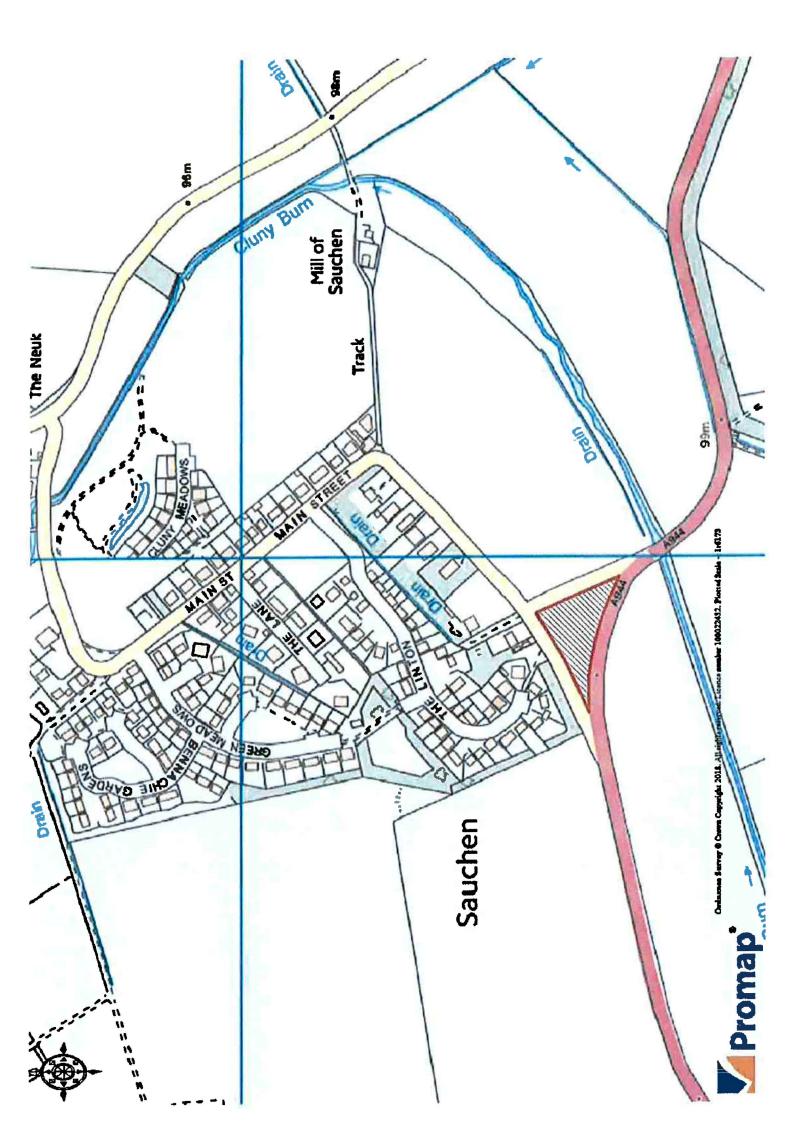
Please provide any other information that you would like us to consider in support of your proposed development (please include details of any up-to-date supporting studies that have been undertaken and attach copies e.g. Transport Appraisal, Flood Risk Assessment, Drainage Impact Assessment, Peat/Soil Survey, Habitat/Biodiversity Assessment etc.)

The relevant studies will be carried out should the site be a preferred option in the Main Issues Report.

Please tick to confirm your agreement to the following statement:



By completing this form I agree that Aberdeenshire Council can use the information provided in this form for the purposes of identifying possible land for allocation in the next Local Development Plan. I also agree that the information provided, other than contact details and information that is deemed commercially sensitive (questions I to 3), can be made available to the public.



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 To provide public comment on the Aberdeenshire Local Development Plan. The data on the form will be used to inform Scottish Ministers and individual(s) appointed to examine the Proposed Local Development Plan 2020. It will inform the content of the Aberdeenshire Local Development Plan 2021.

Your information is:

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Being collected by Aberdeenshire Council	X

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Legal Obligations	Х

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Your name and respondent identification number (provided to you by Aberdeenshire Council on receipt of your

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Not applicable.

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Not applicable.

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