

By email to: [REDACTED]

Our ref: A14892112
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Dear Adrian

**TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING (SCOTLAND) ACT 1997
NOTICE OF INTENTION TO ADOPT: SUPPLEMENTARY GUIDANCE
MAINTAINING AN EFFECTIVE HOUSING LAND SUPPLY**

I refer to your correspondence of 29 June 2016 certifying notice of South Ayrshire Council's intention to adopt supplementary guidance on Maintaining an Effective Housing Land Supply.

I write to confirm that Scottish Ministers do not propose to issue a Direction. The Council may therefore proceed to adopt the supplementary guidance in accordance with the provisions of the Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997. The Council should satisfy itself that it has met the requirements set down by section 27 (2) of the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008.

Yours sincerely

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