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Dear Madam

## TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING (SCOTLAND) ACT 1997 THE TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING (NOTIFICATION OF APPLICATIONS) (SCOTLAND) DIRECTION 2009 ERECTION OF CLASS 1 RETAIL FOODSTORE AT WILTON MILLS 31-32 COMMERCIAL ROAD HAWICK

Thank you for your submission of the requested screening opinion which was received on 21 June 2016.

The period within which Scottish Ministers may require your authority to refer the application to them for decision was 28 days from your original submission of 30 May 2016. Consideration was subsequently suspended awaiting receipt of your Council's screening opinion. The consideration deadline has now been adjusted to 1 July 2016 to reflect the intervening period. This period may be extended before it expires if necessary to allow Scottish Ministers to complete their consideration of the proposal.

Yours faithfully

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