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Dear Mr Dowell

## TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING (SCOTLAND) ACT 1997 THE TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING (NOTIFICATION OF APPLICATIONS) (SCOTLAND) DIRECTION 2009 CHANGE OF USE FROM INDUSTRIAL BUILDING (CLASS 4) TO DANCE STUDIO (CLASS 10), UNIT 2, 4 WALKER ROAD, INVERNESS

I refer to the Directorate's letter of 9 March 2017.

Since it has not been possible to reach a decision on this case, Scottish Ministers have decided to extend the period for their consideration. Under the terms of Regulation 32 of the Town and Country Planning (Development Management Procedure) (Scotland) Regulations 2013, Scottish Ministers hereby direct that your authority may not grant planning permission for the above mentioned development before 3 May 2017 and Scottish Ministers may during that time, require your authority to refer the application to them for decision.

Yours sincerely

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