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Harry Garland,
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11th February 2022

Dear Mr. Garland,

Reference: DEV\HG\D124-177 proposed zebra crossing Knowl Road, Mirfield

Having been notified of the above proposal in October 2021 we have noted the planning notices. I have been in previous correspondence with Kirklees Council about this matter which I enclose.

Our premises at [REDACTED] is a retail warehouse with daily collections by Royal Mail and Fedex. We also have regular deliveries by suppliers and a weekly paid for bin collection by Kirklees Council.

Your proposal to site a crossing directly outside our premises would seemingly remove the possibility of these collections and deliveries continuing. There seems to be no viable place for vehicles to stop based on your proposed plan. This would make it difficult for us to continue to trade from these premises and I have asked Robert Hardcastle twice for the Council policy for compensating businesses that are affected by council plans. On neither occasion have I received a response. I would like you to look into this on our behalf. It is my firm belief that we should be compensated for any disruption to the day to day running of our business or the cost of relocation should it be required.

We believe the crossing should be close to the passageway from Crowlees school opposite No. 7. This is where the only significant footfall in Knowl Road occurs. In the 21 years that we have traded from this site we are unaware of any road traffic incident on the stretch of road involving either pupils or parents of Crowlees School. Robert Hardcastle confirms that this is his belief also.

We also have had no information on whether our weekly bin collection will continue.

I look forward to your response in your course.

Yours sincerely,

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