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Dear Ms Russell

**Consultation on "Our Approach to the 2010-14 Price Review"**

With reference to the above consultation document Perth and Kinross Council has the following comments to make:

The overall approach, seeking to implement an open and transparent approach to the development of the price review is welcomed. The suggested use of various forms of communication and use of the media is also welcomed. However, in addition to this it would be useful if the website contained a discussion page through which stakeholders could debate relevant issues.

The idea of consulting in stages is supported, as is the early production of the timetable for consultation. From previous experience of the stakeholder information days and the amount of information discussed at these meetings, the proposed publication of a short paper in advance of these meetings would be very beneficial. In relation to the venue for these meetings, your offices in Stirling would seem as good as any in that they are fairly central, easily accessible and have adequate parking provision.

I trust the above comments are of interest to you.

*Brenda E. Murray*

Yours sincerely

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