

Proposed Amendment

SOUTH EAST ENGLAND REGIONAL ASSEMBLY ANNUAL MEETING

Date: 13 July 2005

Amendment proposed by: Cllr Tony Reid, East Sussex CC

Agenda Item 5

Policy Nos: H3 - Location of Housing
H4 - Affordable Housing
H6 - Type and Size of New Housing

Proposal: H3 para 3 delete 'sub-regional'
H4 para 1 delete 'sub-regional'
H6 para 1 delete 'sub-regional'

Explanation:

The reasons for seeking this change are as follows:

- Whilst emerging PPG3 and the draft Regional Housing Strategy encourage housing market assessments across district boundaries and related to housing market areas, there is, as yet, no requirement for assessments to be undertaken sub-regionally. Many will be undertaken locally.
- The 21 housing market areas identified in the RHS are imprecisely defined spatially and do not accord with the sub-regions in the South East Plan. Housing market assessments should therefore be undertaken locally within appropriate housing market areas.