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Dear Mr Dennington,

**CRAWLEY LOCAL DEVELOPMENT FRAMEWORK – CORE  
STRATEGY SUBMISSION DRAFT**

Under the provisions of Section 24 of the Planning and Compulsory Purchase Act 2004 (the Act) the Assembly has assessed the general conformity of the Crawley Core Strategy submission document against the adopted Regional Spatial Strategy (RPG9 and Alterations) and also the emerging Regional Spatial Strategy (the Draft South East Plan as submitted to Government on 31 March 2006).

Members of the Regional Planning Committee consider the Core Strategy to be in general conformity with both the adopted and emerging RSS. However, a number of specific aspects of the Core Strategy have been identified which do not appear to have had full regard to adopted or emerging RSS. The Assembly therefore submits the enclosed detailed representations on these matters. These representations are submitted on the basis of PPS12 (2004) 'Test of Soundness' Test iv.

I have also enclosed a copy of the report presented to members of the Regional Planning Committee for your information.

If you wish to discuss any aspect of our representations, please contact Sue Janota on 01483 555200.

Yours sincerely,

**Paul Bevan**  
**Chief Executive**