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Date:
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Dear Les,

ORR'S REGULATION OF LAND DISPOSALS BY NETWORK RAIL

Thank you for the opportunity to consider how the current arrangements for regulating Network Rail's land disposals have worked recently and the proposed changes.

We have found that over recent years the current arrangements have worked well both in terms of efficiency but also in being able to protect strategically important sites for future use. Transport Scotland do not expect a significant change to the protection of these strategically important sites with the changes proposed to Network Rail's general consent under Condition 7 of their network licence.

I hope this response is helpful for you.

Yours sincerely,

Sarah Cooper