

POW OF INCHAFFRAY DRAINAGE COMMISSION (SCOTLAND) BILL

Response from Barbara Renton, Director (Environment) Perth and Kinross Council

I am writing in response to your letter dated 10 May 2017 regarding your request for the Council to confirm its position on the above mentioned Bill.

Perth & Kinross Council were consulted on the above previously and provided comments in a letter dated 04 July 2016 to the Solicitors for the Pow of Inchaffray Commission (McCash & Hunter LLP). I can confirm that our comments were considered in a response letter dated 09 August 2016 and that the proposed Bill has taken these into account. Our comments primarily related to Section 19 of the Bill.

I can confirm the Council is satisfied with the proposal that it will not be required to seek consent from the Commission for any work within 6m of the Pow in order to carry out any of its statutory powers and duties. It is also recognised that the Council will give the Commission seven days' notice prior to any proposed works starting, unless an emergency situation arises where notice shall be given as soon as reasonably practicable.

I trust the above sets out Perth & Kinross Council's position regarding the above.