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10th August 1981 4/3/W/79366/P1

Mr. G. Bailey 4/0775/81G/GIB/MB

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Dear Sirs.

D.o.L. Circular 7/77 - Notice of Proposed Development by Department Erection of 45m high lattice mast, stationing of building and security fence, Land at Bovingdon Airfield, Chesham Road, Bovingdon

I refer to your consultation dated 3rd June 1981 under Circular 7/77 in respect of the above development. The matter was considered by this Council's Development Control Committee on 30th July 1981.

The Council wish to object to the proposed siting of the mast as shown on the submitted drawings. It is considered that the siting is too prominent by reason of its close proximity to a busy highway and that its siting is such that it would not be practicable to provide adequate screening to reduce the impact of the proposed mast upon the general amenities of the locality. The Council would however be prepared to accept the proposal if an alternative and less prominent site could be found and have suggested that a site meeting is arranged to investigate alternative, less prominent sites. In accordance with paragraph 12 of Circular 7/77, I enclose herewith copies of letters received from local residents, etc. and the Bovingdon Farish Council in respect of the proposal.

Flease let me know when you wish a meeting to be arranged.

Yours faithfully,

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