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To all Interested Parties

Your Ref:

Our Ref: EN010020

Date: 6 January 2015

Dear Sir/Madam

**Planning Act 2008 (as amended) and The Infrastructure Planning
(Examination Procedure) Rules 2010 (as amended) – Rules 13 and 16**

**Application by Mynydd y Gwynt Ltd for an Order Granting Development
Consent for the Mynydd y Gwynt Wind Farm**

Notification of Accompanied Site Inspection and Open Floor Hearing

Accompanied Site Inspection

I write to notify you of the commencement time and meeting place for the Accompanied Site Inspection scheduled for **3 February 2015**. The site inspection will begin at **10am** promptly and attendees are requested to arrive by **9:45am** and park in the hard standing area on the southern side of the A44, opposite the entrance to the Sweet Lamb Rally Complex, for a compulsory safety briefing and issuing of protective clothing.

The site inspection will involve the use of 4x4 vehicles and may include some walking on uneven ground. I therefore request that all attendees wear appropriate clothing for the weather, and sturdy footwear. I would remind you that the site inspection is **not** an opportunity to make any oral representations on the application and simply an opportunity to identify physical features that are relevant to the examination.

I would like to thank all the parties who were involved in the preparation of the site inspection itinerary and the interested parties who submitted itinerary suggestions. Please note that if a requested site is not included in the final ASI itinerary, there is scope to include it in further accompanied and unaccompanied site inspections during the examination.

The confirmed itinerary and map can now be viewed on the Mynydd y Gwynt pages of the Planning Portal website by following this link:

<http://infrastructure.planningportal.gov.uk/document/2922207>

If you would like to attend the site inspection but did not notify the Planning Inspectorate by the deadline of 11 December 2014, or you have confirmed attendance

but wish to join the site inspection at a specific stage, you should make your intentions known to Emré Williams (Case Manager) by **Wednesday 21 January 2015** using the contact details at the head of this letter.

Open Floor Hearing

The examination timetable, set out in my letter of 27 November 2014, includes a deadline of 18 December 2014 for requests to hold an Open Floor Hearing as part of the examination. As requests for an Open Floor Hearing were received, under section 93 of the Planning Act 2008 (the PA2008), an Open Floor Hearing will be held on the following date:

Date of Meeting: 5 February 2015

Arrival from: 9:30am

Meeting begins: 10:00am

Venue: Llanidloes Community Centre, Mount Lane, Llanidloes, Powys, SY18 6EY

The open floor hearing will be held to provide an opportunity for interested parties to make oral representations about the application, subject to my powers of control over the conduct of the hearing. I will manage the proceedings and may set a time limit for contributions to ensure fairness to all participants.

If you wish to participate in or observe the Open Floor Hearing, please advise the Planning Inspectorate using the details at the head of this letter by no later than **Wednesday 21 January 2015**. Please indicate if you wish to give an oral representation and in respect of which topics.

Os hoffech gwneud cyfraniadau drwy gyfrwng y Gymraeg yn ystod unrhyw gwrandawriad dylech nodi hyn ynghyd a'ch cadarnhad i fod yn bresennol neu i siarad yn y gwrandawriad hynny. Fe fydd cyfieithydd ar gael yn ystod y Gwrandawriad Llawr Agored ar 21 Ionawr 2015.

It would also assist us if you could notify us of any special requirements you may have (e.g. disabled access, hearing loop etc). Please ensure that you include your interested party reference number in your correspondence.

Yours faithfully

Philip Asquith

Philip Asquith
Examining Authority

Advice may be given about applying for an order granting development consent or making representations about an application (or a proposed application). This communication does not however constitute legal advice upon which you can rely and you should obtain your own legal advice and professional advice as required.

A record of the advice which is provided will be recorded on the Planning Inspectorate website together with the name of the person or organisation who asked for the advice. The privacy of any other personal information will be protected in accordance with our Information Charter which you should view before sending information to the Planning Inspectorate.