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Dear Simon

Further to your email and the response from Liz Annalls I attach a letter in response and a further revision to the ecological impact assessment.

It has come to light that a mistake was made transferring data from the biological records. The records for dormice were transposed for common rabbit. This has been revised in the latest version of the report (dated February 2022) and explained in detail in the attached letter.

I have had both our sets of ecologists at Lindsay Carrington and Holbury Consultancy contribute to this response as there are some serious concerns that the mitigation proposed by the Council's ecological advisor would cause greater harm to the species on site. The letter also asked for evidence of the mitigation proposed which does not appear proportionate to the findings on site.

It might be more productive to have a video conference call between the specialists rather than this exchange which has now become quite lengthy?

It is very much our intention to assist you in considering the ecological impacts and mitigation of the proposal based on the best available expert evidence that directly relates to the findings of the survey work. If you feel you require more help with interpretation of the technical findings we would be very happy to help.

Kind regards,
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