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Dear Mr Colmena

Extension of consultation period for the Maldon District Pre-Submission Local Development Plan Consultation

I refer to your letter dated 29 January 2014 which has been passed to me for response.

The Water Services Regulation Authority (Ofwat) is the economic regulator for the water and sewerage companies of England and Wales. Your correspondence relates to essentially a local matter in respect of impacts on water and sewerage service provision and in this respect the relevant water company/companies local to the area and the Environment Agency are your key Statutory Consultees. We expect that normal commercial arrangements will apply and that planning matters related to water and sewerage service provision will be resolved locally.

I confirm that we therefore do not have any comments now and will not have any future comments regarding this planning application.

Yours faithfully

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Angie Swann

On behalf of Water Services Regulation Authority (Ofwat)