

Matter Arising MA008

Lisburn & Castlereagh City Council seek consideration of a modification in respect of MC24B (Page 22 Focussed & Minor Changes Consultation Document SUB-DOC 016).

Response

The amended wording of MC24B to read:

'The Council, having regard to Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA), ~~Habitats Regulations Assessment (HRA)~~ and **the Conservation (Natural Habitats Assessment) Regulations (NI) 1995 (as amended), the Wildlife (NI) Order 1985 (as amended)** and the Wildlife and Natural Environment Act (NI) 2011 (WANE), where necessary, will balance the case for a particular mineral working proposal against the need to protect and conserve the environment.'