

**NORTH NORFOLK CORE STRATEGY EXAMINATION
PUBLIC EXAMINATION SESSIONS DEC 07 – JAN 08**

Inspector's Request for Background Information

RAF Coltishall

The session on Redundant Defence Establishments (Policy EC4) on the morning of Day 12 (Wednesday 16 January 2008) includes consideration of RAF Coltishall. At the same time as submitting its 3,000 word statement giving its overall answers to my Matters and Issues schedule, could the Council's team provide a briefing note to cover the following matters specific to the RAF Coltishall part of the Examination Session to be made publicly available and distributed in advance to the session participants:

- A) a brief history of events leading to the present situation at Coltishall (say 1 or 2 pages maximum) and any publicly available position statements;
- B) the Council's formal view on how the recently mooted Eco town proposal for up to 10,000 homes and 2,000 jobs would relate to the Core Strategy having regard to the emerging RSS and the Government's recently published Housing Green Paper which floated the idea of 5 Eco Towns. The recent report to Cabinet and the formal minute of meeting could form the basis of this, along with any extra clarification Officers may wish to draw to my attention.

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19 October 2007