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Subject: Discharge Hydrant condition - DM/25/2498 West Hoathly Brickworks Hamsey Road Sharpthorne East Grinstead West Sussex RH19 4PB

FAO: Stuart Malcolm

Dear Stuart,

Providing the fire hydrants indicated on the site layout plan are installed in these locations, ready for use prior to the occupation of any new dwelling houses on the site, and our office is informed they are ready for use as a fire hydrant the condition will have been met.

Unfortunately, this has not happened on too many occasions regarding new developments recently, leaving properties with no protection in the event of a fire. That is why we are reluctant to discharge a fire hydrant condition before the fire hydrants are in place and ready for use, they get forgotten about and we are not informed they are ready for use.

Regards
Ian



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