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Dear Ms Smyth

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## DRAFT ORDERS FOR STANSTED GENERATION 2 (G2) AIRPORT ACCESS FROM M11 AND A120

Uttlesford District Council has considered these orders, including the plans and supporting documents. As part of this consideration, the Council has liaised closely with Essex and Hertfordshire County Councils, who are making separate representations.

The District Council is opposed to the Stansted G2 development, and its comments should be read in this light.

The District Council wishes to endorse the representations being made by the two County Councils. The Council remains unsatisfied that the proposed road developments which are the subject of the draft orders are sufficient to meet the likely capacity problems at Junction 8 on the M11. Given the importance of this junction and the problems it already faces (in which both the airport and the motorway service area feature) the District Council objects to the draft orders.

Yours sincerely

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