

**Examination of the Mole Valley Local Plan 2020-2037 (the
Plan/Local Plan)
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In the Inspector's closing comments to the Examination on Friday 28 October 2022, she requested that the Council review its Compendium of Minor Green Belt Updates and Alterations [EDA9], to ensure there are Exceptional Circumstances for all proposed changes to the Green Belt, in accordance with NPPF paragraph 140. The Council has therefore undertaken an assessment of each of the proposed Minor Alterations, along with a summary of its findings. Those findings are published as Council's Note 28: ED50.

The Inspector now invites comments from representors who commented on this matter at Regulation 19 stage. Any comments should be no more than 1,000 words, and should be submitted by email to the Programme Officer (louise@poservices.co.uk) by **5pm 15 December 2022**.

The Inspector will take those comments into consideration in her final deliberations on the soundness of the Plan.

R Barrett
INSPECTOR
29 November 2022