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Dear Ailsa,

SMD/2021/0625 Bird Grove Farm

Environmental Health recommend that planning permission is not given at this time for the above application.

There is insufficient information contained within the application to ensure that the proposal does not adversely impact on air quality.

The application seeks permission for eight biomass boilers. A biomass boiler information request form has been completed, but only for one of the biomass boilers. The provision of the information requested by this form for each individual boiler aids in identifying the need for further detailed assessment.

Given the information provided to date, it is likely that a site specific detailed assessment will be required to determine air quality impacts and to ensure that stack heights are adequate to ensure the efficient dispersion and dilution of pollutants, especially given the number of individual stacks proposed, proximity of the stacks to each other and proximity to the buildings on the site.

Kind regards,

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