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Our Ref: 232/SL/11194/10

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The Kent County Council (A25 Seal Road, Sevenoaks and High Street, Seal)
(40 mph Speed Limit) Order 2010

Dear Ms Scott-Beaulieu

Thank you for the additional information regarding the above proposal and details of the manual speed survey.

Following our meeting on 10th November 2010 the following items were discussed regarding a change in the speed limit.

- Any terminal signs placed at the start of the new 30 mph limit would be enhanced to provide a greater impact than standard signing.
- An interactive sign will be placed for westbound traffic, this is to be located in the area of the current speed limit sign. Kent Police would recommend that the threshold for this sign be set at ACPO guidelines for enforcement, which in this case would be 35 mph. The expected reduction in mean and 85th percentile speeds that can be expected will result in speeds below the enforcement threshold.
- The white lining in the area is improved, subject to an assessment of the current lining, to highlight the new gateway. Consideration to be given to improved centre line, speed limit roundel, dragon's teeth markings etc. The decision on design details to be made by Kent Highway Services.

Subject to all the above conditions being met, and implemented simultaneously, Kent Police would not object to the extension of the 30 mph speed limit as proposed.

Yours Sincerely

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