Dear Ms Moody and Mr Mansbridge,

Examination of the International Advanced Manufacturing Park Area Action Plan

Thank you for the documentation you have submitted to me following the hearings in April 2017 in respect of:

- exchanges of correspondence with TEFP on transport matters;
- the Report on Safeguarded Land; and
- the schedule of proposed main modifications to the plan (and Sustainability Appraisal thereof) prepared in response to the discussion at the hearings.

In the light of this evidence and based on everything else that I have read, heard and seen in the Examination so far, I conclude that, subject to the proposed main modifications, there is a realistic prospect of the plan being found sound. However, I must point out that this interim conclusion is subject to any comments which may be made in response to consultation on the main modifications. I will set out the reasoning for my conclusions in my final report on the Examination.

I should therefore be grateful if the Councils would now undertake formal consultation on the schedule of main modifications, ensuring that the evidence documents which support it are also made available.

Yours sincerely

Malcolm Rivett

INSPECTOR