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Your ref: 13/00268/EIAM/JS/IAL  
Our ref: NA-ANG-009  
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Dear Mr Scott

**TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING (SCOTLAND) ACT 1997  
THE TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING (NOTIFICATION OF APPLICATIONS)  
(SCOTLAND) DIRECTION 2009  
REDEVELOPMENT OF FORMER HOSPITAL SITE TO INCLUDE NEW BUILD AND  
CONVERSION TO RESIDENTIAL AND COMMUNITY USE AND CRECHE, ASSOCIATED  
ACCESS, LANDSCAPE AND INFRASTRUCTURE WORKS AT FORMER  
STRATHMARTINE HOSPITAL, STRATHMARTIN**

I refer to the Division's letter of 27 February 2015.

Since it has not been possible to reach a decision on this case, the Scottish Ministers have decided to extend the period for their consideration. Under the terms of Regulation 32 of the Town and Country Planning (Development Management Procedure) (Scotland) Regulations 2013, the Scottish Ministers hereby direct that your authority may not grant planning permission for the above mentioned development before 23 April 2015 and the Scottish Ministers may during that time, require your authority to refer the application to them for decision.

Yours sincerely

**RHONA REID**