

Dear Ms. Laureckaite-Larsen,

Please would you pass this new information to Mr. Brakeland for his attention in respect of our case.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs. C. Metcalfe.

Dear Mr. Brakeland,

As promised, I am attaching the latest reports which have been the result of the recent Freedom of Information request. The new report which confirms the nesting activity of the pair now underway with the young female eagle, further enhances the need for this pair to be protected from disturbance. As this is supremely quiet location, screening with trees, taking some time to grow, will do nothing to overcome the immediate problem of noise from road construction etc., Although the young are likely to be stronger from this pairing for obvious reasons, the likelihood of disturbance is proportionately higher with a bird unused as yet to parenting.

In addition a past quote from a senior staff member of the Forestry Commission(circa 2009). Clearly the suggestion from the SNH officer is valid and the response received demonstrates that in this case, the FCS have no intention to abide by their own guidelines in respect of Annex 1 species and the avoidance of disturbance.