



# Marine Management Organisation

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Our reference: C837

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Dear David,

## **Marine Aggregate Dredging: The Alternative**

Thank you for your letter that we received on 9 November 2015.

I did feel that it was important to clarify the Marine Management Organisations (MMO) remit to ensure there remained an understanding of our direct responsibilities. However, it was not my intent for my correspondence to you to be perceived as impersonal.

I do acknowledge the importance of applying a balanced approach to the decisions we make and this is reflected in our commitment to encouraging sustainable development in the marine area while safeguarding the natural environment.

Your report was appreciated and I can confirm that it has been shared with colleagues with senior responsibility for marine licensing within the MMO. I would like to confirm that I remain committed to reviewing the way we deliver our work and the implementation of change where this is necessary. To help achieve this we encourage and welcome feedback from our customers and stakeholders and, as such, I hope you are able to meet with me in the New Year as mentioned in my earlier correspondence.

If you have any further queries, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely

John Tuckett  
Chief Executive

cc. Stephen Eades



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