Proposed Modifications to the Cambridge Local Plan 2014: Proposed Submission in respect of Matter 6: Green Belt

The Matter 6 Statement submitted by Grosvenor/Wrenbridge (M6/21321) includes the following paragraph (34, page 10 of M6/21321) in response to the Inspector's question 6A (v) Do the Plans adequately reflect paragraph 81 of the Framework which requires local planning authorities to plan positively to enhance the beneficial use of the Green Belt?:

"Policy 4 of the Cambridge Local Plan is not consistent with the NPPF. It states new development will not be permitted except in very special circumstances. It does not appear to accept that there are *any* uses within the Green Belt which are appropriate and therefore even those uses which the NPPF identifies as appropriate are ruled out. It does not therefore plan positively to enhance the beneficial use of the Green Belt."

Cambridge City Council notes this statement and proposes the following modification to address the point made by Grosvenor/Wrenbridge.

The changes are expressed either in the conventional form of strikethrough for deletions and underlining for additions of text.

The page numbers and paragraph numbering below refer to the Cambridge Local Plan 2014: Proposed Submission, and do not take account of the deletion or addition of text.

Table: Main Modifications to the Cambridge Local Plan 2014: Proposed Submission in respect of Matter 6: Green Belt

Page	Policy/Paragraph	Main Modification
28	Policy 4: The	The extent of the Cambridge Green Belt within the
	Cambridge Green	administrative area of Cambridge City Council is set out on
	Belt	the policies map. New development in the Green Belt will
		not only be approved except in very special circumstances,
		in accordance line with Green Belt policy in the National
		Planning Policy Framework.