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Hi Peter,

Please find below the Economic Development comments for the above application:

These three neighbouring industrial units are located within the heart of the Dolphin Road estate in Shoreham- by-Sea, which provides good access to main arterial roads and public transport links. The recent downscaling of a local major employer has led to these units becoming available and to the loss of 50 local jobs. This application seeks to provide a business growth opportunity for Infinity Foods Co-operative Ltd, a major employer currently based in Portslade. Infinity Foods are currently one of the largest wholesalers of organic, fair-trade and natural products in the UK, which would complement the diversity of companies already based on the Dolphin Road estate.

Economic Development strongly supports this application and has been actively encouraging this company to relocate the wholesale/distribution element, of their business operation to Shoreham-by-Sea. Economic Development would welcome this new major employer and the 50 staff that would be based in Shoreham-By-Sea, along with the potential creation of 50 new local jobs over the next 5 years.

Kind regards

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