

6/2017/0585/FULL: University of Hertfordshire De Havilland Campus Hatfield AL10 9UF

Dear Mark,

Thank you for consulting me on the above application.

The proposed development has a large footprint and would cause significant disturbance to any archaeological features present. However, a previous archaeological evaluation was carried out within the area of the former Hatfield Aerodrome (Cotswold Archaeology 1999) which included two trenches in this general location. Neither these trenches nor any other trenches nearby encountered any buried archaeological features, instead finding considerable modern disturbance, including asbestos, on top of natural geology.

In this instance I consider that the development is unlikely to have a significant impact on heritage assets of archaeological interest, and I have no comment to make upon the proposal.

Please do not hesitate to contact me should you require any further information or clarification.

Regards,

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