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Dear Sarah

**Application:** External alterations to existing toilet block **Address:** Stanborough Park Stanborough Road AL8 6DF **Application No:** 6/2019/0119/FULL

Thank you for consulting Hertfordshire Ecology on the above application. Hertfordshire Environmental Records Centre (HERC) has no species records relevant to the application. The building is within the Stanborough Lakes ecosite but this will not be impacted by the application. The changes to the building are minor in extent and the style of the building is suboptimum for roosting bats. Consequently I am not aware of any ecological constraints and the application can be determined accordingly.

I trust these comments are of assistance,

Yours sincerely

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