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To: Havant Borough Council
RE: Biodiversity Net Gain Exemption
Date: 25/09/2025

Dear Havant Borough Council,

According to Gov.uk guidance, this development falls below the de minimis threshold. As the works form part of a development to an existing dwelling and do not impact a priority habitat, they are exempt from Bio-diversity Net Gain requirements[1].

Yours Faithfully,

Elisabeth Frobisher
Architect

[1] Gov.uk, 2024. *Biodiversity Net Gain - what are the excemptions?.* [Online]
Available at: https://defraenvironment.blog.gov.uk/2024/01/22/biodiversity-net-gain-what-are-the-exemptions/#:~:text=Development%20below%20a%20de%20minimis%20threshold&text=This%20exemption%20is%20designed%20to,within%20the%20red%20line%20boundary.
[Accessed 25 September 2025].