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Dear Shaun,

We are responding on behalf of the London 2012 Sustainability Group to Raising the Bar, the Commission for a Sustainable London 2012's 2009 Annual Review of London 2012 sustainability - governance arrangements and achievements.

First, we'd like to express our gratitude to you and the rest of the team for your work throughout the year, playing no small part in helping to drive the Group to develop a number of key policies for the Games, including on PVC wraps and HFC refrigerants.

We are grateful, also, for your work on this review and for the spirit of collaboration and openness with which you have worked with us on it. We are pleased that the Commission fully expects that the Games and venues will deliver against the sustainability promises made in the London 2012 Sustainability Plan and we know we can count on your continued vigilance in assurance of this.

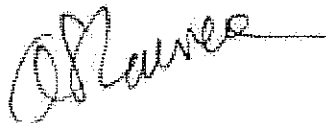
We accept that we still have much to do to realise our legacy ambitions but we are working to develop our respective legacy plans and we hope that by the time the Commission is due to report on this again that we will be better placed to secure your conviction that we are determined to do all we can to maximise the benefits in sustainability from hosting the Games.

We look forward to continuing to work together constructively to resolve any outstanding issues and to consider the new recommendations which have emerged over the course of the latest review.

Yours sincerely,



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