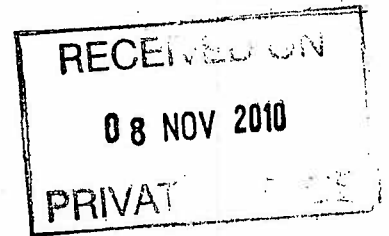


ANDREW GEORGE MP



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5th November 2010

Please Quote Ref: 10/16.7/ag/ew

RE: ISLES OF SCILLY FERRY

Further to our previous exchange of correspondence and discussions I write to enclose a copy of a letter I have received from the Mayor of Penzance Town Council, Cllr Jan-Ruhrmund, which I believe is self-explanatory.

The Council of the Isles of Scilly has also asked for a meeting with you. As you may know, the Council of the Isles of Scilly (with a population of just over 2,000) has taken a different view of the matter – particularly of the configuration of the development of Penzance Harbour – than that of Penzance (population circa 20,000) Town Council.

This may therefore mean that having both Councils meeting you together may not necessarily be a particularly productive event, though if time were short, then I would be happy to help facilitate such a meeting.

Either way, I would appreciate it if I could chaperone the two organisations when coming to see you – if that is agreeable.

I look forward to hearing from you in due course.

With every good wish.

Yours sincerely,

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PENZANCE TOWN COUNCIL
Town Mayor: Councillor Jan Ruhmund

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2 November 2010

Mr. Andrew George, MP,
"Trewella",
18 Mennaye Road,
PENZANCE,
Cornwall.
TR18 4NG

Dear Andrew,

REQUEST FOR MEETING WITH NORMAN BAKER, MP - PARLIAMENTARY
UNDER-SECRETARY OF STATE FOR TRANSPORT

At last evening's Town Council Meeting, the Town Council once again discussed the Isles of Scilly Ferry Link development and arising from that discussion was a request that the Town Council, through you, formally requests a meeting with Norman Baker, MP to explore the plans for the modernisation of the Isles of Scilly Ferry Link.

The Town Council also requests that discussion takes place on his recent statement which appears to give hope to both sides of the argument regarding "Option A".

The Town Council would be willing to take part either with the Council of the Isles of Scilly or separately, depending on the wishes of the Council of the Isles of Scilly.

I would, therefore, be very grateful if you would attempt to broker this meeting of behalf of the Town Council and I look forward to hearing from you in due course.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Jan Ruhmund".

Jan Ruhmund (Cllr.)
TOWN MAYOR