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Continued Commercial Imperative to source Aggregates from Bryn Quarry

Dear Jonathan

It is essential that Wainwright continue to source their high PSV aggregates from Bryn Quarry for several reasons. Firstly, the Gritstone aggregates produced at Brynn comply fully with Highways Agency and the BS EN requirements for aggregates suitable for the manufacture of bituminous materials. Due to the ongoing routine testing of the aggregate by both Crush Limited and Wainwright, we are able to assure our clients that all bituminous surface course materials produced using Bryn Quarry aggregates will meet and exceed all the requirements for PSV, Durability, LA, AIV and Scrim. To know that these aggregates enable Wainwright to produce consistent high quality, fully conforming, high specification material is essential to our client base and future commercial viability.

Wainwright, like Bryn Quarry, is a fiercely proud, independent, family owned business, and as such, it is vitally important that we support each other. Whilst similar aggregates are available from other sources across the UK, all of these sources are operated by the major multinational conglomerates and these are in turn, the direct competitors of both Wainwright and Bryn Quarry. To remain commercially competitive, Wainwright must have choice in the supply of aggregates to allow us to compete within the market place. Such choice must in our view come from independently operated quarries such as Bryn Quarry.

On the separate matter of environmental awareness, Bryn Quarry is the nearest suitable Gritstone source to Wainwright by quite some distance. As Wainwright are currently BS EN 14001 accredited, we have an obligation to take our Carbon footprint and subsequent environmental impact into account for all our business activities. To continue to trade with Bryn Quarry is consistent with these objectives.

Yours sincerely,



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