

**TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING (SCOTLAND) ACT 1997
PLANNING ETC. (SCOTLAND) ACT 2006**

**CAIRNGORMS NATIONAL PARK LOCAL PLAN INQUIRY
PRE-INQUIRY PROCEDURE MEETING
to be held at
CAIRNGORM SUITE, HILTON, COYLUMBRIDGE, AVIEMORE
16 MARCH 2009 at 14:00hrs**

AGENDA

1. Introductions and preliminary matters
2. Purpose of the pre-inquiry procedure meeting
3. Procedural basis, scope and purpose for the inquiry and objections received
 - role of appointed Reporters and Programme Officer
 - Inquiry Procedure Rules
 - Code of Practice for Local Plan Inquiries
4. Status of objections not withdrawn and methods of consideration
 - objections formally withdrawn (and those conditionally withdrawn)
 - written submissions (preferred)
 - informal hearings (occasional)
 - formal public inquiries (only in very exceptional circumstances)
5. The Inquiry format
 - policy and topic sessions
 - settlement specific sessions
6. Provisional timetable/venues
 - sitting times
 - venues - locations and facilities
7. Scope for agreement between participants before the Inquiry
8. Scope for objectors with a common interest to group together
9. Procedures in advance of the Inquiry
 - Website information
10. Procedures at the inquiry
 - hearings and formal inquiry sessions
 - site inspections

11. After the inquiry, including consideration of report by the Authority
12. Any other competent business