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Dear Paul,

Application to make byelaws on behalf of Gosport Borough Council

Thank you for your applications on behalf of Gosport Borough Council to make byelaws under section 82 of the Public Health Acts Amendment Act 1907, for the prevention of danger, obstruction or annoyance to persons using the sea-shore.

I am pleased to inform you that the Secretary of State gives leave for Gosport Borough Council to make the proposed byelaws set out in your application of 28 April. This now ends the Secretary of State's, and the Department for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities', involvement with process of making said byelaws.

The Byelaws (Alternative Procedures) Regulations 2016 sets out updated arrangements on the next steps for making the byelaws; this can be found on the Department's website at <https://www.gov.uk/guidance/local-government-legislation-byelaws>.

With regards to your application of 20 January; the Secretary of State agrees that this application should be treated as redundant in light of your second application of 28 April, and therefore declines to give leave to make the proposed byelaws set out in your initial application.

Please feel free to contact me should you wish to discuss this matter further.

Yours sincerely,

James Potter
Local Government Improvement Division