

# **WELSH GOVERNMENT**

## **Position Statement**

**Examination Hearings: June/July 2012**

**Hearing Session 2: Housing**

**Blaenau Gwent Local Development Plan**

Hearing Session 2 (26/06/12): Housing

**SESSION 2 HOUSING (policy, numbers and phasing)**

*We note that the Council will provide a short paper on vacant housing to support this hearing session. This will be circulated to all parties in advance of this session.*

**Question 1.**

**1a. What evidence underpins the case for the Plan's proposed housing target and phasing in the light of recent construction rates, population movements, national guidance and policy?**

**1b. Does the Council's current target represent a realistic and soundly based target or is it an aspirational figure?**

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