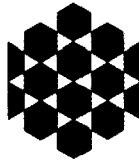


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Dear Assembly Member

The purpose of this letter is to advise you that I intend to announce in the near future my decision on the following planning application:

Ref No : U/2009/0303/F

Description : Demolition and redevelopment of a shopping centre to comprise a foodstore, 12 Class A1 retail units and café with adjacent petrol filling station and associated car parking, servicing and landscaping.

Location : Northcott Shopping Centre, Ballyclare Road, Glengormley

The Planning Service has recommended that the application be approved and I concur with this advice.

It is my intention to announce that a Notice of Opinion to approve will be prepared and issued in the near future.

Yours sincerely

**EDWIN POOTS MLA**  
**Minister of the Environment**