



Chris Heaton-Harris MP
House of Commons
London
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Dear Chris,

Thank you for your letter of 4 July 2017.

I understand your wish to seek assurance from your local partners on behalf of your constituents.

In response to your specific questions relating to your constituency:

1. Hyde does not own or manage any buildings over six storeys
2. We have not identified any cladding as Aluminium Composite Material
3. We have not sent any ACM cladding for testing
4. Please see below for comments relating to communication with residents

Hyde has in place a comprehensive Fire Strategy and a proactive plan in response to the issues raised by the Grenfell Tower fire. Our priority is our tall buildings of six storeys and over, none of which fall within Daventry or Northamptonshire.

We understand fire safety arrangements are equally important in all our buildings and I can confirm:

- Hyde has a Primary Authority Partnership with London Fire Brigade
- All of our Fire Risk Assessments are in date in line with our Fire Strategy
- Our Fire Risk Assessments are carried out by The Institution of Fire Engineers accredited assessors

We have updated our [website information](#) in response to enquiries from residents and have provided regular updates in buildings where any remedial actions are required.

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Please be assured we will communicate promptly with all stakeholders regarding any significant remedial action required to any of our stock in the local area and share any critical messages given to our residents, should this be necessary.

Thank you again for contacting me.

Yours sincerely,

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