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Examination Representor Reference: KEM3-OP0

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Dear Mr Kean,

**Application by WTI/EFW Holdings Ltd for an Order Granting Development Consent for the Wheelabrator Kemsley (K3) Generating Station and the Wheelabrator Kemsley North (WKN) waste to energy facility
Response from the South East Waste Planning Advisory Group to the Examining Authority's further written questions and requests for information (ExQ2) and comments on Applicant's Response**

This response is submitted on behalf of the South East Waste Planning Advisory Group (SEWPAG). Responses to the general questions posed by the ExA to all Interested Parties concerning the practical arrangements associated with the examination going forward are appended below.

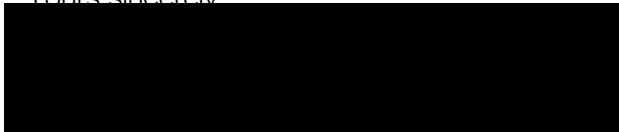
In addition, SEWPAG wishes to comment on the Applicant's response to the ExA's following question Q1A.1.2:

SEWPAG recognises that there will be a degree of cross-boundary movement of waste and in the Applicant's response to ExQ1.1.4 [REP2-009, Appendix 1] you state the approach in Paragraphs 7.1 and 7.2 of the Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) [REP2-043] in SEWPAG's D2 submission, is not injured in any way by K3/WKN. How can the Applicant conclude this without assessing the local policy on waste management in each (or save for KCC, any) of the local policies on waste management as outlined in SEWPAG written representation [REP1-016, pp3-4]?

It is not clear that the Applicant has provided a response to the ExA's question regarding its ability to conclude that *'the approach in Paragraphs 7.1 and 7.2 of the Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) [REP2-043] in SEWPAG's D2 submission, is not injured in any way by K3/WKN'... 'without assessing the local policy on waste management in each (or save for KCC, any) of the local policies on waste management as outlined in SEWPAG written representation'*. In the final sentence of paragraph 1.25 the Applicant states: *"An assessment appropriate to understand the impact on waste management strategies across the Study Area has been undertaken."* However no reference is provided to this assessment and SEWPAG is not aware of the submission of such a assessment.

Please contact me if you have any queries regarding these responses or about attendance at any hearings.

Yours sincerely

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Ian Blake, Chair, South East Waste Planning Advisory Group

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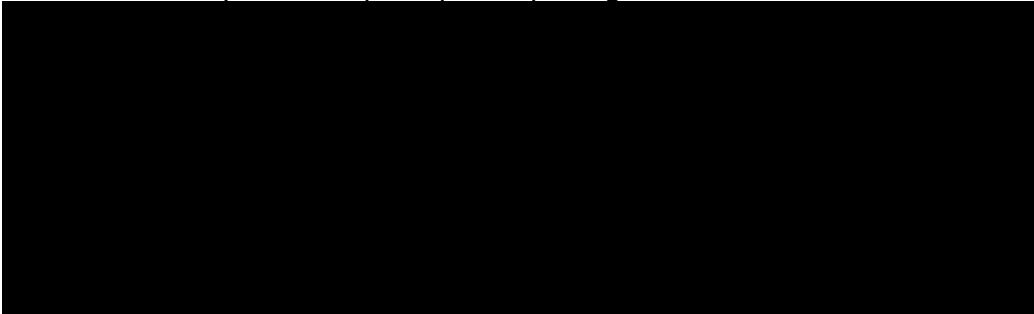
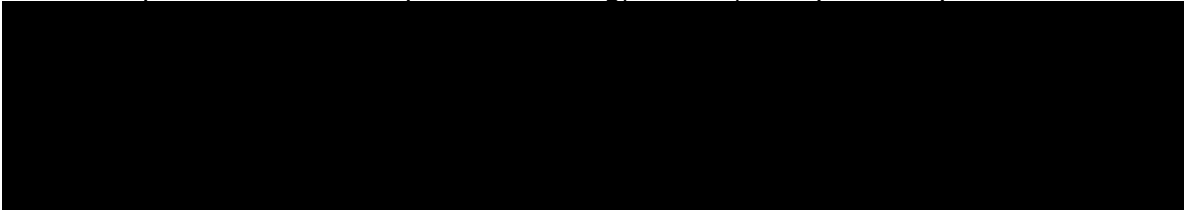
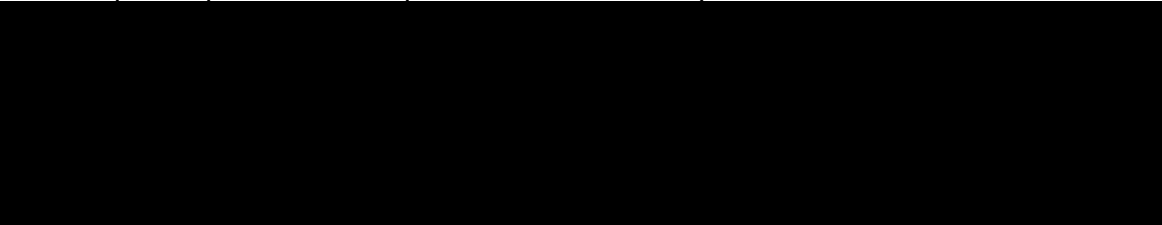
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Response from the South East Waste Planning Advisory Group to the Examining Authority's further written questions under section Q2A.1

Responses are provided in bold text following each question

ExQ2A	Question to:	Question:
Q2A.1.	Participation in the Examination	
<i>Please provide the ExA with an indication of your anticipated level of participation during the rest of the Examination. This information will help the ExA to plan appropriately. Formal notifications of a request to speak or observe any Hearings (if necessary) will be requested later.</i>		
Q2A.1.1.	All Interested Parties	How would you want the remainder of the Examination to be undertaken? i. By means of written submissions ii. By means of oral submissions at Hearings iii. By means of written submissions and limited oral submissions at Hearings 

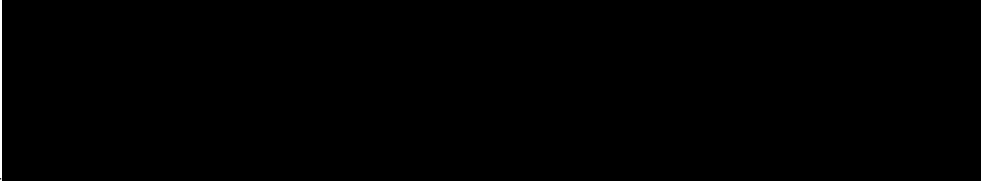
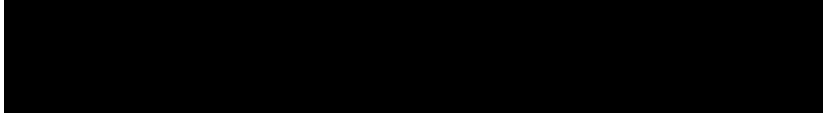
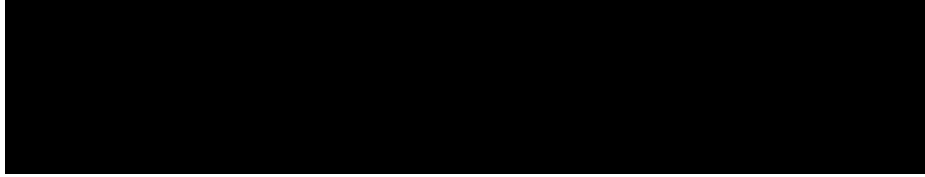
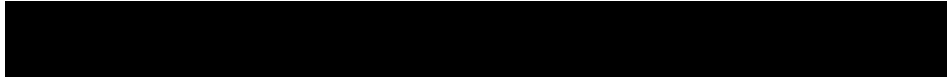
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ExQ2A	Question to:	Question:
Q2A.1.2.	All Interested Parties	How much do you anticipate participating in the rest of the Examination? 
Q2A.1.3.	All Interested Parties	Which topics at an Issue Specific Hearing, if held, are you likely to want to observe? 
Q2A.1.4.	All Interested Parties	Which topics at an Issue Specific Hearing, if held, would you or your nominated speaker(s) like to participate in as a speaker and if so why? 

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ExQ2A	Question to:	Question:
Q2A.1.5.	All Interested Parties	If you selected a topic above, please provide reasons as to why you would like to speak at such an Issue Specific Hearing(s)? <div style="background-color: black; width: 100%; height: 20px; margin-top: 5px;"></div>
Q2A.2.	Your Facilities	
<p><i>Please give an indication of the facilities that you have available to you. This information will help the ExA to decide what arrangements should be made for any Hearings (if necessary) the ExA decides to hold. When answering, please assume that the Planning Inspectorate will provide you with reasonable advice and support.</i></p>		
Q2A.2.1.	All Interested Parties	Do you have access to a computer or tablet connected to the internet, or to a smart phone? <div style="background-color: black; width: 100%; height: 150px; margin-top: 5px;"></div>
Q2A.2.2.	All Interested Parties	If you have a computer running an operating system that is not Microsoft Windows 10 or Macintosh OSX Catalina (version 10.15), please tell us the manufacturer, type and version of the operating system, for example, 'Microsoft Windows 8', or 'Linux Debian 10:10.3'. <div style="background-color: black; width: 100%; height: 20px; margin-top: 5px;"></div>
Q2A.2.3.	All Interested	How confident are you that you could use your computer, tablet or smart phone to participate

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ExQ2A	Question to:	Question:
	Parties	in a Hearing where you could see and be seen, speak and be spoken to, by participants in real time? 
Q2A.2.4.	All Interested Parties	Do you have access to a telephone that you could use? 
Q2A.2.5.	All Interested Parties	How confident are you that you could use your telephone or mobile phone to participate in a Hearing where you could speak and be spoken to by participants in real time? 
Q2A.3.	How the Planning Inspectorate can help you	
<i>Considering your current circumstances, please help us to identify how we can help you to engage with the rest of the Examination.</i>		
Q2A.3.1.	All Interested Parties	If your confidence in being able to participate in a Hearing by use of an electronic device is low, why is that? 

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ExQ2A	Question to:	Question:
		[REDACTED]
Q2A.3.2.	All Interested Parties	As applicable, please could you provide further details of why your confidence level is low or why you do not consider that a video conference or teleconference is suitable for Hearings? [REDACTED]
Q2A.3.3.	All Interested Parties	How could the Planning Inspectorate help to increase your confidence level? [REDACTED]
Q2A.3.4.	All Interested Parties	Is there anything else that we should do help you to increase your confidence level or otherwise help you to engage with the rest of the Examination? [REDACTED]