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**Alternative Use Boston Projects Limited (the Applicant) Procedural Deadline A submission –
Response to Rule 4 and Rule 6 Letter dated 17 August 2021**

Dear Sir/Madam,

The Applicant wishes to register to be heard orally at the Preliminary Meeting Part 1 on 28 September 2021. I am writing in advance of the Preliminary Meeting Part 1 to briefly set out the points that the Applicant wishes to make in relation to the following agenda items in Annex A of the Rule 4 and Rule 6 letter dated 17 August 2021. References to annexes in this letter are to annexes in the Rule 4 and Rule 6 letter.

Agenda Item 3 (*Initial Assessment of Principal Issues*)

The Applicant has reviewed the Examining Authority's (ExA's) initial assessment of principal issues set out at Annex C and has no comments to make. It is appreciated that the list is not comprehensive or exhaustive as regards matters that may or will be covered during the examination.

Agenda Item 4 (*Draft Examination Timetable*)

The Applicant has reviewed the draft examination timetable set out at Annex D, in relation to the proposed Issue Specific Hearing on navigation and fishing matters provisionally set for Thursday 25 November 2021, the Applicant requests that consideration of this topic is delayed until the period reserved for hearings in March 2022. This is to allow sufficient time for the ExA and Interested Parties to consider the Navigational Risk Assessment, which the Applicant anticipates will be submitted at Deadline 2. Deadline 2 is two weeks before the proposed Issue Specific Hearing on navigation and fishing matters.

The Applicant is amenable to an Open Floor Hearing being held in person or virtually.

Agenda Item 5 (*Any other matters*)

Statements of Common Ground

The Applicant has reviewed the list of parties with which the ExA considers a statement of common ground (SoCG) would be beneficial set out at Annex E and can confirm it is progressing SoCGs with all of the parties listed. In addition, the Applicant is also seeking to agree to a SoCG with the Port of Boston, Royal Society for the Protection of Birds (RSPB) and Lincolnshire Wildlife Trust.

Additional Documents to be submitted at Deadline 1

The Applicant wishes to give notice to the ExA of its intention to submit the following documents:

- Revised Draft Development Consent Order
- Outline Surface Water Management Plan
- Addendum to Fuel Availability and Waste Hierarchy Assessment (including Waste Policy Review)
- Schedule of Errata
- Boston Alternative Energy Facility Examination Technical Note: Climate Change – Further Greenhouse Gas Analysis from Waste Composition Scenarios
- Boston Alternative Energy Facility Examination Technical Note: Climate Change – Comparative Analysis of Greenhouse Gas Emissions from Road and Marine Vessel Transport Options to the Site
- Detailed schedule of nitrogen dioxide concentrations predicted to arise from the Boston Alternative Energy Facility development at sensitive human receptor locations
- Assessment of the magnitude and significance of visible plumes emitted from the Boston Alternative Energy Facility
- Human health risk assessment of emissions of dioxins, furans, dioxin-like PCB and certain heavy metals
- Assessment of the air quality effects arising from abnormal emissions scenarios
- Potential for generation of electromagnetic fields from the Boston Alternative Energy Facility development
- Environmental Statement Chapter 17 (Marine and Coastal Ecology) Addendum
- Habitats Regulations Assessment Addendum
- Marine Mammal Mitigation Plan

Additional Documents to be submitted at Deadline 2

The Applicant wishes to give notice to the ExA of its intention to submit the following documents:

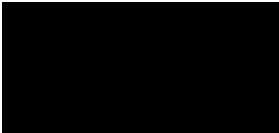
- Navigational Risk Assessment
- Without Prejudice Habitats Regulations Derogation Case
- Outline Public Right of Way Design Guide

Applicant's draft Accompanied Site Inspection itinerary

A draft itinerary has been prepared in response to Annex E of the Rule 4 and Rule 6 letter. This includes timings and a description of what can be observed at each location and has been submitted at Procedural Deadline A under separate cover (ExA.PDA-2.V0).

Yours sincerely,

For and on Behalf of HaskoningDHV UK Ltd



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