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Alternative Use Boston Projects Limited (the Applicant) Deadline 7 submission – 01 March 2022

Dear Sir,

Further to the Examining Authority's (ExA's) Rule 8(3) letter dated 11 February 2022, please find enclosed with this letter the following documents which have been requested from the Applicant at Deadline 7 (1 March 2022):

1. An **updated Application Guide** (document reference 1.2(6))
2. The Applicant's **Response to the Examining Authority's Third Written Questions** (document reference 9.75)
3. The Applicant also submits outstanding **Statements of Common Ground (SoCGs)** with interested parties, which were not submitted at Deadline 6. The SoCGs have taken into consideration the matters which the ExA requested in its Rule 4 and 6 letter at Annex E and its Rule 8 letter. The SoCGs are all in draft form.

- Draft (not agreed) Statement of Common Ground between Alternative Use Boston Projects Limited and Natural England (document reference 8.11) (clean). Natural England provided initial comments on the draft SoCG but have not reviewed or accepted the final draft copy prior to this submission, this document reflects the Applicant's understanding of the parties' respective positions.
- Draft Statement of Common Ground between Alternative Use Boston Projects Limited and Lincolnshire Wildlife Trust (document reference 8.12) (clean)
- Draft Statement of Common Ground between Alternative Use Boston Projects Limited and the Royal Society for the Protection of Birds (document reference 8.13) (clean)
- Draft (fully agreed, unsigned) Statement of Common Ground between Alternative Use Boston Projects Limited and Western Power (document reference 8.6(1)) (tracked and clean)

4. The Applicant's **Third Report on Outstanding Submissions** (document reference 9.78) to respond to additional submissions at Deadline 6, as requested by the ExA.

5. **The Applicant's Response to UKWIN's Deadline 6 Submission** (REP6-042) is submitted with document reference 9.79, as requested by the ExA.

In addition, the following documents have been provided in response to additional comments by interested parties and questions from the ExA:

6. An **updated Outline Marine Mammal Mitigation Protocol** (document reference 9.12(2)) (clean version) and (document reference 9.12(2)) (tracked version) in order to address comments raised by the Port of Boston on vessel speed.

7. An **updated Outline Landscape and Ecological Management Strategy** (document reference 7.4(2)) (clean version) and (document reference 7.4(2)) (tracked version) in order to address comments raised by the Environment Agency on erosion monitoring within the Statement of Common Ground between Alternative Use Boston Projects Limited and the Environment Agency submitted at Deadline 6 (document reference 8.2(2), REP6-008/ REP6-009) and in order to address Natural England's comments on monitoring during construction (REP5-017).

8. **The Applicant's response to Natural England's Risk Log (REP6-039)** (document reference 9.76) is submitted as indicated by the Applicant in the "Comments on Interested Parties Responses to the Examining Authority's Second Written Questions (ExQ2)" (document reference 9.66, REP6-030), and as requested within the ExA's written question Q3.3.1.22.

9. A **Worst-Case Assessment for Land Raising** (document reference 9.77) in order to address comments raised by the Environment Agency within the Statement of Common Ground between Alternative Use Boston Projects Limited and the Environment Agency submitted at Deadline 6 (document reference 8.2(2), REP6-008/ REP6-009).

10. A **Navigation Management Plan Template** (document reference 9.80) in response to the ExA's written question Q3.10.0.18.

11. An **updated Land Negotiations Tracker and Statutory Undertaker Schedules** (document reference 9.38(1)) (clean version) and (document reference 9.38(1)) (tracked version) in response to the ExA's written question Q3.4.0.3.

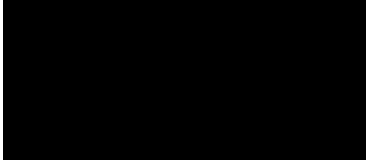
12. An **Outline Ornithology Compensation Implementation and Monitoring Plan** (document reference 9.81) in response to the ExA's written question Q3.3.1.33.

13. A **Summary of Breeding Bird Survey Results (April to June 2020-2021)** (document reference 9.82) which was originally intended to be included in Environmental Statement Chapter 17 Marine & Coastal Ecology and Appendix 17.1 Habitats Regulations Assessment – Ornithology Addendum (document reference 9.13, REP1-026) Appendix A2 - Application Site Survey Data.

14. A **Breeding Bird Survey Monitoring Report (April – June 2021)** (document reference 9.83) in response to ongoing comments from RSPB and Natural England.

I should be grateful if you would acknowledge safe receipt of this letter and arrange for a copy of it and its enclosures to be placed before the Examining Authority.

Yours sincerely,
For and on Behalf of HaskoningDHV UK Ltd, on behalf of Alternative Use Boston Projects Ltd.



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