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Dear Mr Wagstaff,

APPLICATION REF: EN010103 - THE NET ZERO TEESSIDE PROJECT (THE 'PROJECT')

LAND AT AND IN THE VICINITY OF THE FORMER REDCAR STEEL WORKS SITE ('TEESWORKS SITE'), REDCAR AND IN STOCKTON-ON-TEES

I write on behalf of the Applicants, Net Zero Teesside Power Limited and Net Zero North Sea Storage Limited.

The Applicants note the two letters from Natural England dated 20th October 2023 and uploaded to the PINS portal for the Project on 30th October, addressed to you and to the Environment Agency respectively (the Natural England Letters).

The Applicants write to confirm to the Secretary of State that the Applicants continue to engage with the Environment Agency in respect of the air quality and environmental permitting matters raised in the Natural England Letters.

If it would assist the Secretary of State, the Applicants can provide a timetable setting out the stages and dates the Applicants propose for updating the Secretary of State on these matters. The Applicants will seek input from the Environment Agency and Natural England so that if possible it is agreed with those parties.

I would be grateful if you could confirm receipt of this submission.

Yours sincerely,



Geoff Bullock Partner – Head of Planning DWD – on behalf of NZT Power Limited & NZNS Storage Limited

