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Dear Ms Williams

Planning Act 2008 (AS AMENDED), Infrastructure Planning (Examination Procedure) Rules 2010

EN010110 - Application by Medworth CHP Limited for an Order Granting Development Consent for the Medworth Energy from Waste Combined Heat and Power Facility (Medworth EfW CHP Facility)

Submission of Consultation Report Pursuant to the Change Application dated 05 June 2023

Further to the Examining Authority's Procedural Decision of 13 June 2023 [PD-016] and the Applicant's letter of response dated 15 June 2023 [AS-032], Medworth CHP Limited ('the Applicant') confirms that a non-statutory consultation has been carried out in respect of the Change Application dated 05 June 2023. The consultation was carried out in accordance with the arrangements set out in the Applicant's letter dated 15 June 2023 [AS-016].

A Change Application Consultation Report (**Volume 13.6**) is now submitted alongside this letter. The Report provides all of the relevant information about the consultation, copies of relevant notices and materials (Statement of Purposes) and provides a summary of the representations received and the Applicant's responses.

A total of 21 representations were received in response to the consultation (including one late representation). None of the six statutory bodies responding to the consultation have objected to the proposed changes. Cambridgeshire County Council has requested the outputs from the LinSig modelling for the signalised junction and the Applicant is continuing to engage with the Council in this regard, with a view to confirming agreed positions in the Statement of Common Ground (**Volume 9.4**).

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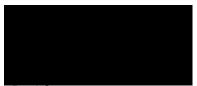
Of the 15 responses received from other parties, only two raised issues about the proposed changes specifically, with the remainder expressing objection to the Proposed Development generally and making no reference to the Change Application. The two responses which did comment on the proposed changes, both raised concerns about the effect of signalisation on traffic flows. The Applicant has carefully considered the points made, but notes that the signalised junction design has been requested by Cambridgeshire County Council, and it is considered that it will provide a safe arrangement for all road users without significant detriment to overall traffic flows and journey times. The signals will be sensor controlled and will only hold southbound traffic on Cromwell Road when HGVs and other vehicles need to turn right into New Bridge Lane from Cromwell Road (south arm). The Change Application is in response to a request from Cambridgeshire County Council to signalise the existing junction and the design scheme incorporates the central traffic islands, as required by Cambridgeshire County Council. A Road Safety Audit for the signalised junction and Designers' Response have been reviewed by Cambridgeshire County Council and it is understood that these are accepted. Accordingly, no further amendment to the junction design is considered necessary in the light of the two consultation responses received on this matter.

The Applicant also confirms that no objections were received as regards the use of temporary possession powers to deliver the signalisation of the Cromwell Road/New Bridge Lane junction or to extend the Order Limits slightly to enable dropped kerbs to be installed at the junction of New Bridge Lane and Salters Way. The Applicant has used all reasonable endeavours to engage with Tesco Stores Limited, but despite its diligent efforts no written response to the Change Application consultation has been received to date. The Applicant will continue to seek a response before the end of the Examination and to secure written evidence to confirm its understanding that Tesco Stores Limited has no 'in-principle' objection to the proposed changes, as it stated verbally by a representative of Tesco at a meeting held with the Applicant on 26 June 2023. Table 2-2 of the Change Application Non-Statutory Consultation Report details the efforts made by the Applicant to secure a response from Tesco Stores Limited to the non-statutory consultation.

In view of the limited scope of the proposed changes and the nature of the consultation responses received, we trust that the Examining Authority will now be satisfied that the Change Application can be accepted and considered within the remaining examination period.

If you have any questions concerning the Applicant's Change Application Consultation Report, please do not hesitate to contact Tim Marks at the phone number above.

Yours sincerely



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