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To: Network Rail Infrastructure Limited Your ref: Our ref: EN020002 Date: Tuesday 27 February 2024

Dear Sir or Madam

The Infrastructure Planning (Examination Procedure) Rules 2010 – Rule 17

Application by National Grid Electricity Transmission plc for an Order granting Development Consent for the Bramford to Twinstead Reinforcement

The Applicant submitted its final 'Compulsory Acquisition and Temporary Possession Objections Schedule' (document 8.4.4 (F) [Examination Library reference to be confirmed]) and 'Applicant's Protective Provisions and Commercial Side Agreements Tracking List' (document 8.7.8 (E) [Examination Library reference to be confirmed]) at Deadline 9 in the Examination Timetable. This shows that voluntary agreement has not been reached with you on the matter of Protective Provisions.

Further to Addleshaw Goddard's submission on your behalf in respect of Protective Provisions [REP8-052], the Applicant has addressed the points made therein at section 9 of its 'Comments on submissions received at Deadline 8' (document 8.11.3) [Examination Library reference to be confirmed]. Where there is dispute and you have anything to add over and above your Deadline 8 submission, using the relevant Part of Schedule 14 of the Applicant's final draft Development Consent Order (submitted at Deadline 9) [Examination Library reference to be confirmed] as the baseline template, please provide precise details of the alternative wording that you are seeking, with reasons.

At Deadline 8 the Applicant also submitted 'Application under Section 127 Planning Act 2008 – Network Rail Infrastructure Limited' [REP8-037] and an 'Application under Section 138 Planning Act 2008 – Statutory Undertakers Telecommunications Operators' Rights and Apparatus' (Document 8.11.4) [Examination Library reference to be confirmed]. The Examining Authority similarly requests you to respond to these as necessary.

The Examining Authority asks that you submit the requested information by Deadline 10 in the Examination Timetable, Monday 11 March 2024.

Yours faithfully

Andrew Mahon

Lead Member of the Examining Authority