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Dear Madam,

**Nationally Significant Infrastructure Project  
Triton Knoll Electrical System, Lincolnshire.  
Preliminary Meeting**

Thank you for your invitation to attend a Preliminary Meeting in Skegness on the 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2015, regarding the above development. We note that your letter dated 30<sup>th</sup> July 2015, Annex C, 'Initial assessment of principal issues', the section on 'Environmental Issues: On-shore' includes the following issue:

- Public health – including possible effects from electromagnetic fields

The need for an EMF assessment was initially raised at the scoping stage of the project and the proposer was referred back to this consultation at the section 42 (public) consultation phase. As supporting documentation was still unavailable at the time of the formal application for a Development Consent Order Public Health England (PHE) registered an interest with regard to onshore EMF assessment and associated human health risk assessment in July 2015.

As this matter should be relatively straightforward PHE would, if possible, prefer to clarify this issue prior to the preliminary meeting taking place. If the Proposer is able to provide an EMF assessment in the next seven to ten days PHE will endeavour to review and comment prior to the meeting. If the proposer is able to satisfactorily demonstrate either that their assessment justifies the 'scoping out' of EMF impacts, or that possible impacts on human health have been adequately assessed / mitigated we would hope that this matter can then be resolved.

We hope that the above is useful but should you have any questions or concerns please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely



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