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To Interested Parties and Other  
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Your Ref:

Our Ref: EN070005

Date: 28 October 2019

Dear Sir/Madam

## **Planning Act 2008 (as amended) and The Infrastructure Planning (Examination Procedure) Rules 2010 (as amended) – Rule 13 and Rule 16**

### **Application by Esso Petroleum Company, Limited for an Order Granting Development Consent for the Southampton to London Pipeline Project**

#### **Notification of Hearings and Accompanied Site Inspection**

We write to advise you that the following hearings will be held in the weeks commencing 25 November 2019 and 2 December 2019.

#### **Notification of hearings under Sections 91, 92 and 93**

<b>Date</b>	<b>Hearing</b>	<b>Starting time</b>	<b>Venue</b>
Monday 25 November 2019	Open Floor Hearing	6:00pm	Hampshire Suite, Holiday Inn, Lynchford Road, Farnborough, GU14 6AZ
Wednesday 27 November 2019	Issue Specific Hearing on the draft DCO	10:00am	
Wednesday 27 November 2019	Compulsory Acquisition Hearing	2:00pm	
Tuesday 3 December 2019	Issue Specific Hearing on Environmental Matters	10:00am	Hampshire Suite, Holiday Inn, Lynchford Road, Farnborough, GU14 6AZ
Wednesday 4 December 2019	Issue Specific Hearing on Environmental Matters	10:00am	

Seating will be available 30 minutes before the start of the hearings. We will aim to publish a draft agenda for the Issue Specific and Compulsory Acquisition hearings on the project page of the National Infrastructure Planning website at least five working

days in advance of the hearing date. The actual agenda on the day of each hearing may be subject to change at the discretion of the ExA.

Those Interested Parties who wish to speak at the hearings should notify the Case Team at the postal or email address above **by Friday 15 November 2019**. We should be grateful if you would inform us if you plan to attend the hearings even if you do not wish to speak. It would also assist us if you could notify us of any special needs you may have (eg disabled access, hearing loop etc). Please ensure that you include your Interested Party reference number in your correspondence.

Please note that the Issue Specific Hearing on Environmental Matters is scheduled to last 2 days (3 & 4 December 2019). Anyone wishing to attend this hearing should ensure they are available from the start of the event on Tuesday 3 December 2019. In the unlikely event that it is completed within one day, no hearing will be held on 4 December.

### **Date, time and meeting place for the Accompanied Site Inspection**

Please be advised that the Examining Authority will hold an Accompanied Site Inspection (ASI) under Rule 16 of the Infrastructure Planning (Examination Procedure) Rules 2010 on **Tuesday 26 November 2019**.

The ASI will start at 09.00am (meeting at 08.30am) at Foxhills Country Club & Resort, Stonehill Road, Ottershaw, Lyne, Chertsey, KT16 0EL.

Please note that the final itinerary for the ASI will be published on the National Infrastructure Planning website no later than one week before.

If you have any further queries, please do not hesitate to contact the Case Team.

Yours faithfully

*Richard Allen*

**Lead Member of the Panel of Examining Inspectors**

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