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Dear Sir/Madam,

In response to the letter dated 31 January 2024 from the Head of Energy Infrastructure Planning Delivery with reference "EN070007", we confirm on behalf of National Gas Transmission plc (**NGT**) that the relevant Protective Provisions contained at Schedule 10, Part 4 of the Applicant's draft DCO are not agreed and our client's objection therefore remains in place.

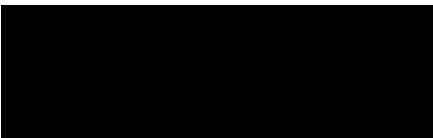
We can confirm that good progress has been made on negotiations to resolve our client's objection. However, there is one outstanding issue in relation to which we haven't yet reached agreement in principle, although the parties are working expeditiously to resolve it. We are still awaiting formal legal assurances in relation to all of these issues and therefore many of the issues referred to in our written representation remain.

NGT respectfully suggests that it provides a further update to the Secretary of State by 23:59 on 21 February 2024.

Yours faithfully,

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