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Dear Mr Willows

**Proposed A63 Castle Street Improvement Development Consent Order  
Applicant's Submissions – Deadline 1**

In accordance with the Examination Timetable please find enclosed the Applicant's submissions to the Examination in respect of Deadline 1. Full details of the submissions are provided within the remainder of this letter.

**1. Statements of Common Ground requested by the Examining Authority**

- 1.1 In response to the Examining Authority's (**ExAs**) request in its letter 1 April 2019, the Applicant has sought to agree Statements of Common Ground (**SoCG**) with the following Interested Parties (**IPs**); Environment Agency, Historic England, Natural England and Hull City Council. A copy of each SoCG is enclosed.
- 1.2 The Applicant has met with and sent its draft SoCG to the Environment Agency and discussions are ongoing. This draft has not yet been signed by the Environment Agency or the Applicant.
- 1.3 The Applicant has met with and sent its draft SoCG to Historic England and further discussions are required. This draft has not yet been signed by Historic England or the Applicant.
- 1.4 The Applicant has sent its draft SoCG to Natural England but has not yet received a response. The content of this SoCG therefore reflects the Applicant's understanding

of the position between parties. This draft has not yet been signed by Natural England or the Applicant.

1.5 The Applicant has regularly met with and has sent its draft SoCG to Hull City Council. This draft has not been signed by Hull City Council or the Applicant.

## **2. Applicant's comments on Relevant Representations**

2.1 The Applicant's comments on the Relevant Representations are enclosed.

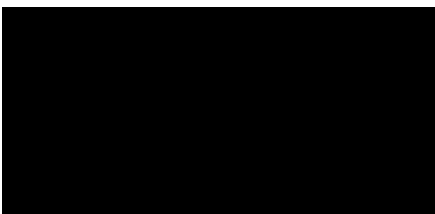
The documents have been submitted in PDF format.

Please accept this letter as confirmation that the Applicant intends to attend and speak at the following hearings:

- Issue Specific Hearings
- Compulsory Acquisition Hearings
- Open Floor Hearing
- Accompanied Site Inspection

If you have any queries, please do contact me at your earliest convenience.

Your sincerely



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