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Dear Sir/ Madam,

## **Application by Highways England for an Order Granting Development Consent for the A303 Amesbury to Berwick Down**

**References: TR010025 - 20019871**

### **Deadline 4 Submission**

Please find attached the following submissions on behalf of Historic England (HBMCE) in relation to the above application:

- HBMCE's Written Summaries of Oral Submissions put at Hearings held between 4 and 14 June 2019
- HBMCE's Comments on any further information requested by the ExA and received to Deadline 3 – specifically
  - a) the submission of the updated OEMP and
  - b) the d2DCO.

At the Issue Specific Hearing on 04 June on the DCO the Examining Authority set out in the agenda a number of matters that they were keen to hear on from the parties, and we engaged in this discussion. Since then, we have had an opportunity to undertake a fuller review of the draft document. We have therefore sought to provide in this submission a comprehensive overview of the d2DCO which we trust will be of assistance, and that this takes account of what we said at the Issue Specific Hearing, but also our overview of the document.

Other comments on additional information received at Deadline 3 are also referred to in the context of the attached written summaries.

As referred to in our Written Representations, the Historic Buildings and Monuments Commission for England is generally known as Historic England. However, due to the potential for confusion in relation to "HE" (Highways England and Historic England), we have used "HBMCE" in our formal submissions to the examination to avoid confusion.

As set out in our Written Representations we are the Government's statutory adviser on all matters relating to the historic environment, including world heritage. We have therefore sought to focus on advising the Examining Authority on those pertinent matters that will assist and inform the Examining Authority's understanding of the implications to the historic environment arising from the scheme. To that end, we do not intend to engage in providing commentary on the documentation submitted by other parties at this stage. This should not however be taken that an absence of comment is implicit agreement with comments made.

Should you have any queries regarding our submissions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

I should be grateful if you would confirm receipt of our documents.

Yours faithfully,

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