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Dear Sir/ Madam,

## **Application by Highways England for an Order Granting Development Consent for the A30 Chiverton to Carland Cross Scheme**

**PINS Reference: TR010026**

**HBMCE Reference: 30CC-SP005**

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.

Two of the Further Written Questions were identified as requiring responses from the Applicant and from HBMCE. These are both in Section Four, Cultural Heritage.

2.4.1 Paragraph 6.12.1, ES Chapter 6 [APP-059], states that monitoring would be required during the construction phase to ensure that mitigation measures were applied as agreed with consultees.

- a) Which mitigation measures would require monitoring?

*The mitigation measures that would require monitoring are those that secure and protect designated heritage assets from accidental damage during the construction phase of the Scheme.*

- b) How would this be monitored?

*The monitoring will be undertaken by the environmental clerk of works on a weekly basis subject to the requirements of Annex R of the CEMP: Scheduled Monument Protection Plan, section 4.*

2.4.2 The Trial Trenching Report [APP-323] states that 123 out of 161 trenches designed to investigate anomalies and test geophysically blank areas had been excavated.

- a) Please provide an update regarding excavation of the remaining 38 trenches.

*HBMCE understand that the Applicant will be responding to this query*

*following consultation with the LPA archaeologist who has been commenting on non-designated heritage assets.*

- b) Have the findings from the additional trenches changed the conclusions of the ES?

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Yours faithfully



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