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**Subject:** A30: Highways England – Submission 6 August

Dear Siân,

## Highways England – submission on 6 August 2019

Please see attached a Letter, which forms the Highways England submission on 6 August in relation to the A30 Chiverton to Carland Cross Scheme. This letter provides an update for the Examining Authority on the current status of the third party legal agreements that remain outstanding as of 6 August 2019, the close of the Examination period.

It is understood that this would be accepted at the discretion of the Examining Authority. I would be grateful if you could confirm receipt of this email and the acceptance of this document.

Kind regards,  
David.

**David Grattan** | Stakeholders, Land and Consents

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The A30 Chiverton to Carland Cross Improvement scheme is part of the Department for Transport Road Investment Programme, being delivered by Highways England, and is receiving a funding contribution of up to £8m from the European Regional Development Fund to support the development phase of the scheme.

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Dear Siân,

**A30 Chiverton to Carland Cross: Update on outstanding third party legal agreements**

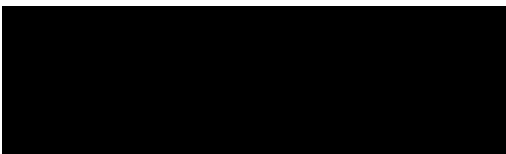
As stated in previous submissions, Highways England has continued to engage with third parties in order to complete legal agreements throughout the Examination of the A30 Chiverton to Carland Cross scheme.

This letter provides an update for the Examining Authority on the current status of the third party legal agreements that remain outstanding as of 6 August 2019, the close of the Examination period. The updated information is provided at **Annex A** of this letter.

Please note that the information provided in this letter is intended to supersede any relevant information contained in the **Statements of Common Ground** (Document Reference 7.4(G)) [REP7-010] submitted at Deadline 7 and the **Table of Position in Relation to Statutory Undertakers** (Document Reference 8.14(A)) [REP5-017] submitted at Deadline 5.

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

Yours faithfully,



Josh Hodder  
Project Manager  
A30 Chiverton to Carland Cross

## **Annex A – Update on outstanding agreements between Highways England and third parties**

Party	Summary of current position
Scottish Power Renewables (UK) Limited	<p>Progress has been made on the draft agreement during the closing stages of the examination. The agreement addresses the comments made by SPR in advance of and during the examination.</p> <p>Highways England's current expectation is that the agreement will be finalised, signed and completed before the end of August. Highways England will write to the Secretary of State as soon as the agreement is completed. That correspondence is expected to confirm that the Secretary of State does not need to consider the competing protective provisions submitted by the parties on the basis that agreement has been reached.</p>
South West Water	<p>An agreement has been signed by both parties that addresses the comments made by South West Water during the examination. The agreement was completed on 5 August 2019. There are no outstanding points or areas of disagreement.</p>
Western Power Distribution (South West) PLC	<p>Progress has been made on the draft agreement during the closing stages of the examination. The agreement addresses the comments made by WPD in advance of and during the examination. Highways England will write to the Secretary of State as soon as the agreement is completed.</p>
Nancarrow Farm	<p>Progress has been made on the draft agreement during the closing stages of the examination. The agreement addresses a number of the outstanding concerns raised by Nancarrow Farm in advance of and during the examination. It should be noted however that it does not address all of the areas of disagreement, such as the concerns raised by Nancarrow Farm about route selection in the Nancarrow area. Highways England considers that these other outstanding concerns have been fully explored during the examination via written and oral submissions.</p> <p>Highways England's current expectation is that the agreement will be finalised, signed and completed before the end of August. Highways England will write to the Secretary of State as soon as the agreement is completed and will request that Nancarrow Farm does the same to confirm that its concerns have been addressed insofar as they are covered by the agreement.</p>