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Dear Sir,

Mr Richard Allen

## London Borough of Havering (20025659) – LB Havering response to updated draft DCO (REP6-010)

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on the updated draft DCO submitted by the Applicant at Deadline 6 (REP6-010). LB Havering wishes to make the following comments:

We acknowledge the progress that has been made by the Applicant with regards to the undertaking of the archaeology trial trenching. As a result of the Applicant completing this work, LB Havering no longer considers it necessary for an additional Requirement to be included in the dDCO that would secure the completion of the trial trenching. Therefore LB Havering wishes to withdraw its request of an additional Requirement that it made at Deadline 4 (REP4 - 029).

LB Havering confirmed at Deadline 6 (REP6-031) that it was satisfied with the outline Archaeological Management Plan submitted at Deadline 5 by the Applicant (REP5-038). LB Havering also wishes to confirm that no further amendments are required for Requirement 9.

Following on from the discussions at ISH3 concerning the application for S61 consent for noisy works, LB Havering wishes to put forward the following wording for an additional Requirement which it believes would address its concerns regarding the certainty of the Principal Contractor making the application for S61 consent outside of the noisy hours referenced in the current outline CEMP.

'The Principal Contractor shall, prior to commencement of construction works, apply to the relevant local authority for consent under Section 61 of Control of Pollution Act 1974 where construction works are:

- (a) noisy or
- (b) undertaken at weekend; or
- (c) undertaken out of hours; or

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(d) undertaken at night-time and outside the approved times set out in the CEMP [section 5.3 of outline Construction Environmental Management Plan)

Thereafter the construction works shall be undertaken by the Principal Contractor in accordance with any approved Section 61 consent'

As LB Havering set out at Issue Specific Hearing 3, Havering would define 'noisy' works as any construction activity that causes an adverse or significant adverse impact (post mitigation) during day or night

If the Applicant is unwilling to undertake a separate Requirement of this nature, LB Havering would support the removal of the word "substantially" contained in Requirement 4 to give the Council certainty that the content of the outline CEMP including S61 consents will be delivered through the final CEMP.

Yours faithfully,

**Daniel Douglas** 

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