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Hi,

Please find attached the Environment Agency's written representation in relation to deadline 9.

Many thanks

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Your ref: TR010031
Date: 8 July 2020

Dear Sir/Madam

**PLANNING ACT 2008 – SECTION 88 AND THE INFRASTRUCTURE
PLANNING (EXAMINATION PROCEDURE) RULES 2010 – RULE 6.
APPLICATION BY HIGHWAYS ENGLAND FOR AN ORDER GRANTING
DEVELOPMENT CONSENT FOR THE A1 BIRTLEY TO COAL HOUSE
IMPROVEMENT SCHEME (DEADLINE 9) NZ2590258148 A1 BIRTLEY TO
COAL HOUSE**

A summary of the Environment Agency's position regarding the A1 Birtley Coalhouse Improvement Scheme is outlined below:

Flood Risk

All matters regarding flood risk and the Development Consent Order (DCO) have been agreed with the Applicant.

Water Environment and Drainage Matters

All matters regarding the water and drainage matters have been agreed with the Applicant.

Protective Provisions

The Environment Agency will not be disapplying any Environment Agency consents/permits. Therefore protective provisions will not be required in the DCO, and the Applicant will need to apply for Environment Agency consents/permits following the granting of the DCO. This includes a flood risk activity environmental permit(s).

Compulsory Acquisition

The Environment Agency have no outstanding matters regarding the proposed compulsory acquisition.



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Statement of Common Ground

The Statement of Common Ground has been updated to reflect that all matters have been agreed between the Environment Agency and the Applicant.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions regarding this letter.

Yours faithfully

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