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Dear Sir/Madam

## **Planning Act 2008 (as amended) – Section 99**

### **Application by National Highways for an Order Granting Development Consent for the Lower Thames Crossing Project (TR010032)**

#### **Notification of completion of the Examining Authority's Examination**

As required by section 99 of the Planning Act 2008, I write as the Lead Member of the Panel of Examining Inspectors to inform you that we completed the Examination of the above application at 23:59 on 20 December 2023.

Thank you to everyone who has contributed to the Examination through written submissions and participation in oral hearings.

The findings and conclusions arising from the Examination, together with our Recommendation will be sent to the Secretary of State for Transport no later than 20 March 2024.

Yours faithfully

*Rynd Smith*

**Rynd Smith**  
**Lead Member of the Panel**

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