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Dear Mr Bartkowiak

A122 Lower Thames Crossing (Reference Number TR010032) Applicant Update

1 Applicant Update on Crown Land Consent from the Department for Transport

- 1.1.1 The Secretary of State wrote to the Applicant on 21 May 2024, seeking information on Crown land consent from the Department for Transport with specific regard to operational land for HS1. The Applicant responded on 29 May 2024, requesting an extension to the 7 June 2024 for the provision of further information.
- 1.1.2 The Applicant is now able to provide the Case Team, for the attention of the Secretary of State, confirmation from the Department for Transport of consent under section 135 of the Planning Act 2008 for all Crown land for which the Secretary of State for Transport is the Crown authority. This includes land involving interaction with HS1.
- 1.1.3 The letter from the Department for Transport confirming this consent accompanies this letter.

Yours sincerely

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