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To: A57 Link Roads

Subject: Re: A57 Link Roads scheme: DCO application ref. TR010034

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The response from Tameside Metropolitan Borough Council (TMBC) to the Secretary of State request for comments from Interested Parties on the Applicant's response to the Secretary of State and updates from the Applicant in respect of the A57 Link Roads application, dated 3 October 2022, is set out below.

REQUEST FOR COMMENTS FROM THE APPLICANT AND ALL INTERESTED PARTIES

1. Request for comments from Interested Parties on the Applicant's response to the Secretary of State and updates from the Applicant

The Secretary of State invites Interested Parties to provide any comments on questions 3 (Request for an update from the Applicant and Greater Manchester Combined Authority regarding the status of the Greater Manchester Clean Air Plan), 4 (Request for an update from the Applicant and Natural England regarding protected species licences) and 5 (the Applicant's comments on the progress of the emerging 'Places for Everyone' Joint Development Plan) of the Applicant's response of 14 September 2022 to the Secretary of State's consultation letter of 2 September 2022.

TMBC have no comments to make on the Applicants and Greater Manchester Combined Authority's responses of the 14 September 2022 to the Secretary of State's consultation letter of 2 September 2022 regarding the status of the Greater Manchester Clean Air Plan. There is currently no change in the situation set out within these responses, we are still awaiting comments from the Government on the new Clean Air Plan proposal.

TMBC have no comments to make on the Applicants response of the 14 September 2022 to the Secretary of State's consultation letter of 2 September 2022 regarding protected species licences.

TMBC have no comments to make on the Applicants response of the 14 September 2022, setting out their observations around the progression of and material planning weight to be given to Places for Everyone.

Kind Regards,

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