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[By Email only]

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Dear Mr Symons,

**THE PLANNING ACT 2008 - SECTION 89 AND THE INFRASTRUCTURE PLANNING
(EXAMINATION PROCEDURE) RULES 2010: APPLICATION BY HIGHWAYS
ENGLAND FOR AN ORDER GRANTING DEVELOPMENT CONSENT FOR THE
A585 WINDY HARBOUR TO SKIPPOOL IMPROVEMENT SCHEME –
DEADLINE 5 –**

Deadline 5 consists of:

- Responses to the ExA's further Written Questions (if required)
- Applicant's revised draft DCO
- Comments on any revised/ updated SoCG
- Comments on any additional information/ submissions received by D4
- Responses to any further information requested by the ExA for this deadline

Of these items, the MMO considers the following relevant for inclusion in this response:

- Responses to the ExA's further Written Questions (if required)
- Applicant's revised draft DCO
- Comments on any revised/ updated SoCG

1.0 Notification by the MMO to remain an Interested Party by the ExA

1.1 The MMO has an interest in this project because the works, as detailed within the Environmental Statement (ES), appear to include construction activities which are proposed to take place within the UK Marine Area as defined by Section 42 of the Marine and Coastal Access Act 2009 (MCAA 2009) – The Development Consent Order (DCO) application includes a draft Deemed



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Marine Licence (DML) under Section 65, MCAA. Should consent be granted for the project, the MMO will be responsible for monitoring, compliance and enforcement of DML conditions.

2.0 Responses to the ExA's further Written Questions

- 2.1. The MMO notes that question 2.2.23. is directed to both the applicant and MMO. As detailed in section 3.0 of this response, MMO is awaiting an updated DML containing co-ordinates prior to signing off the SoCG & DML. It is the understanding of the MMO that this will be submitted as part of the Applicants Deadline 5 submissions.

3.0 Revised/updated Statement of Common Ground

- 3.1. The MMO noted as part of the Deadline 3 & 4 response a number of requirements prior to sign-off of the SoCG. This included an updated DML containing co-ordinates. An updated DML has not yet been received.
- 3.2 The MMO also noted as part of the Deadline 3 & 4 response that a number of issues remained with Natural England and the Environment Agency. MMO are yet to have sight of agreement with these bodies.
- 3.3 Given the above, the MMO is unable to fully agree an updated SoCG at this stage.

Yours sincerely,



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