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To the Applicant, Interested Parties,
Statutory Parties and Other Persons
invited to the Preliminary Meeting

Your Ref:

Our Ref: TR010035

Date: 16 August 2019

Dear Sir/ Madam

The Planning Act 2008 – Section 89 and The Infrastructure Planning (Examination Procedure) Rules 2010 –Rule 8(3)

Application by Highways England for an Order Granting Development Consent for the A585 Windy Harbour to Skipool Improvement Scheme

Notification of change to the Examination Timetable

The Examination Timetable provided at Annex A to the Rule 8 letter dated 16 April 2019, amended by the notification letter of 4 June 2019, and updated by the notification letter issued on 26 June 2019 is hereby superseded by the updated Examination Timetable provided at **Annex A to this letter**.

Following a review of the submissions received at Deadline 5 the Examination Timetable has been varied to provide for the publication of the Examining Authority's (ExA) Additional Written Questions and the subsequent responses. As a consequence of these amendments the date for the publication of the ExA's proposed schedule of changes to the draft DCO has also been amended.

Also, as published on the project page of the National Infrastructure Planning website, please note that having reviewed the submissions received at Deadline 4 and Deadline 5, I confirm that I do not intend to hold a further Issue Specific Hearing, Issue Specific Hearing on the draft DCO, Compulsory Acquisition Hearing or Open Floor Hearing between Tuesday 10 September and Thursday 12 September 2019.

Yours faithfully

Max Wiltshire

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Examining Inspector
Annex A Examination Timetable

Examination Timetable

The Examining Authority (ExA) is under a duty to **complete** the examination of the application by the end of the period of six months beginning with the day after the close of the Preliminary Meeting.

17	<p>Time reserved for issue by the ExA of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Any notification of Hearings – NOT REQUIRED 	Tuesday 13 August 2019
18	<p>Publication of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The ExA's Additional Written Questions 	Monday 19 August 2019
19	<p>Deadline 6 (D6)</p> <p>Deadline for receipt by the ExA of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Comments on responses to the ExA's further Written Questions (issued on Tuesday 23 July 2019) • Comments on Applicant's revised draft DCO • Comments on any additional information/submissions received by D5 • Responses to any further information requested by the ExA for this deadline 	Wednesday 21 August 2019
20	<p>Publication of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Report on the Implications for European Sites (RIES) 	Tuesday 27 August 2019
21	<p>Deadline 6a (D6a)</p> <p>Deadline for receipt by the ExA of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Responses to the ExA's Additional Written Questions (issued on Monday 19 August 2019) • Responses to any further information requested by the ExA for this deadline 	Monday 2 September 2019
22	Hearings – NOT REQUIRED	Tuesday 10 September 2019
23	<p>Publication of:</p> <p>The ExA's proposed schedule of changes to the draft DCO (if required)</p>	Tuesday 10 September 2019
24	<p>Deadline 7 (D7)</p> <p>Deadline for receipt by the ExA of:</p>	Friday 20 September 2019

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Comments on the ExA's proposed schedule of changes to the draft DCO • Comments on the RIES • Comments on any responses to the ExA's Additional Written Questions (issued on Monday 19 August 2019) • Comments on any additional information/submissions received by D6 • Responses to any further information requested by the ExA for this deadline 	
25	<p>Deadline 8 (D8)</p> <p>Deadline for receipt by the ExA of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Response to comments on the RIES • Responses to comments on the ExA's proposed schedule of changes to the draft DCO • Final DCO to be submitted by the Applicant in the SI template with the SI template validation report • Final updated Book of Reference • Final SoCG • Final Compulsory Acquisition Schedule • Final updated Guide to the Application • Comments on any additional information/submissions received by D7 • Responses to any further information requested by the ExA for this deadline 	Tuesday 1 October 2019
	<p>Responses to any further information requested by the ExA for this deadline.</p> <p>The ExA is under a duty to complete the examination of the application by the end of the period of 6 months beginning with the day after the close of the Preliminary Meeting.</p>	Wednesday 9 October 2019

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