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18 January 2022

Dear Mr Shrigley

**APPLICATION BY HIGHWAYS ENGLAND FOR AN ORDER GRANTING DEVELOPMENT CONSENT FOR A47/A11 THICKTHORN JUNCTION (TR010037)**

**EXAMINATION DEADLINE 6**

In response to Deadline 6 in the Rule 8 letter, dated 23 September 2021, please find enclosed the following documents requested by the Examining Authority:

- Updated 9.1 Guide to the Application (**REP5-015**) – tracked and clean pdf versions;
- 9.21 Applicants Comments on Response to the Examining Authority's further Written Questions (ExAQ2) (**TR010037/EXAM/9.21**)
- 9.19 Applicant's responses to submissions at Deadline 5 (**TR010037/EXAM/9.19**);
- Updated 3.1 Draft Development Consent Order Revision 4 – tracked and clean pdf versions (**REP5-002**)
- DCO validation report
- 9.7 Schedule of Changes to the Draft Development Consent Order (**REP5-017**)
- 3.2 Updated Explanatory Memorandum (**REP5-004**)
- 9.9 Updated Compulsory Acquisition Schedule (**REP3-016**) tracked and clean pdf versions
- 9.20 Management and Monitoring Plan Outline Water (**TR010037/EXAM/9.20**)
- 2.11 Updated Classification of Roads Plans (**TR010037/APP/2.11**)
- 7.4 Updated Environmental Management Plan (**REP4-020**)
- 7.5 Updated Outline Traffic Management Plan (**REP4-022**) tracked and clean pdf versions
- 8.1 Update Statement of Commonality (**TR010037/EXAM/8.1**)
- 8.2 Updated Statement of Common Ground with Environment Agency (**REP5-010**) tracked and clean pdf versions

As committed to in 'Applicants Response to submissions at Deadline 4 (**REP5-021**) a letter has been sent to those landowners who have been identified as affected by a potential change in flood risk pattern due to the works to Cantley Stream. This letter informs them of the change in flood risk pattern and asks them to get in touch if they have any further questions, this letter was sent on 18<sup>th</sup> January 2022.

As set out in your Rule 17 letter dated 17<sup>th</sup> December 2021 you highlighted that certain parties had not been issued with notice of the accepted application in accordance with S56 of the Planning Act 2008. You requested the following information:

**1) A full explanation of why the parties identified were not issued with notice of the accepted application in accordance with Section 56 of the Planning Act 2008**

The following parties were not served with a Section 56 notice:

1	Beneficiary of Mr Grint	Category 1 interest in plot 5/1a (interest and rights of approx. 11204 square metres of public adopted highway) in respect of the subsoil up to the centreline of the highway; category 1 interest in plot 5/5a (temporary possession and use of approx. 150 square metres of woodland); and category 3 interest in respect of East Lodge
2	Robert Wilcox	Category 1 interest in plot 5/1a (interest and rights of approx. 11204 square metres of public adopted highway) in respect of the subsoil up to the centreline of the highway; and category 3 interest in respect of Thickthorn Lodge
3	Desmond Hislop	Category 3 interest in respect of 3 Thickthorn Hall
4	Henry Landis	Category 3 interest in respect of Woodlands, Norwich Road
5	Conal Murphy	Category 3 interest in respect of 6 Thickthorn Hall

Mr Grint sadly passed away just before the section 56 notices were issued and the project team decided it would be insensitive to serve a notice addressed to the beneficiaries of Mr Grint so close to his passing. Instead just Mrs Grint the joint owner of the land was served with the Section 56 notice.

In relation to the other parties, having investigated the position, the identified parties were not issued with a Section 56 notice due to a discrepancy between the Book of Reference and the Section 56 database.

The Planning Inspectorate also identified David George Culling and Elizabeth Culling as not having been issued with notice of the accepted application in accordance with section 56 of the Planning Act 2008. David George Culling and Elizabeth Culling were originally included in the Book of Reference as having a category 1 interest in plot 1/2a, however we can confirm that this was an error and the Cullings do not in fact hold an interest in this plot. Accordingly, the Cullings were removed from the Book of Reference at the last deadline (Deadline 5), and so no further action is required in respect of notifying David George Culling and Elizabeth Culling in relation to the Application.

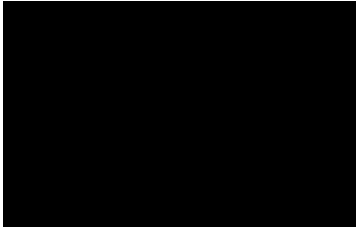
**2) Details of the measures necessary to ensure the relevant parties who were missed are included in all aspects of correspondence that would have been submitted to those persons had they been originally included**

We have reviewed the interests of the parties listed above and in addition to the letter you issued to the parties in December 2021, we have sent each party a notice pursuant to Section 102A of the Planning Act 2008 today informing them of the accepted application, how they can register and participate in the process and of the upcoming compulsory acquisition hearing, which they are entitled to attend. We have also explained what has happened in the

examination process to date and what stage the scheme is at. The letter invites them to contact the Applicant (providing my contact details) and discuss any issues or queries directly to ensure any concerns they may have can be addressed during the examination.

If you have any queries on any of these matters please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely



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