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**Our refs:** AE/2021/126454/02-L01,  
20028349

**Your ref:** TR010038

**Date:** 13 December 2021

Dear Sir/Madam

**APPLICATION BY HIGHWAYS ENGLAND FOR AN ORDER GRANTING  
DEVELOPMENT CONSENT FOR THE A47 NORTH TUDDENHAM TO EASTON  
PROJECT**

**EXAMINING AUTHORITY'S FURTHER WRITTEN QUESTIONS (ExQ3)**

Please find below responses from the Environment Agency to the Examining Authority's third written questions.

**Section 7. Draft Development Consent Order (DCO)**

**Q7.3.1** to Environment Agency

*Requirement 6 of the dDCO [REP5-005] addresses contaminated land and groundwater. Is the EA satisfied that the wording of this Requirement provides adequate protection and would ensure the delivery of necessary mitigation, if required? If not, please explain why and what changes should be made to the Requirement.*

We can confirm that we are satisfied with the wording of Requirement 6.

**Q7.3.4** to Environment Agency

*Please can the EA confirm that they are satisfied that the wording of Article 21 of the dDCO [REP5-005], Discharge of water, provides the necessary level of protection. If not, please explain why and what changes should be made to this Article.*

We can confirm that we are satisfied with the wording of Article 21. The Applicant is not seeking to disapply the requirement for an Environmental Permit.

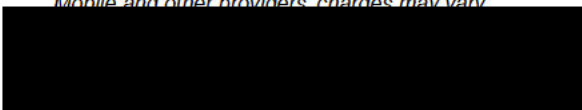
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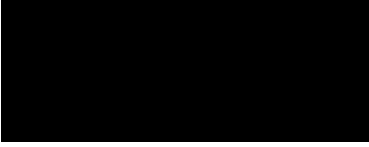
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