

Submission ID: 7085

Dear PINS A47 Blofield team

Anglian Water has been working with Highways England (now National Highways (NH)) to reach agreement on Protective Provisions and related matters. The final Statement of Common Ground (SoCG) has not been signed although the points of agreement and disagreement are jointly understood between the two parties. In view of the deadline today this submission seeks to set out the remaining points of disagreement on which the Examining Authority will need to reach a judgement in their Recommendation. These are in summary:

â€¢ clarity on the powers which will be used by NH

â€¢ the loss of funding from NH which Anglian Water would be forced to take because its assets are replaced as part of the scheme when they don't need to be replaced & the consequent reduction in Anglian Water's ability to fund and undertake environmental works elsewhere

â€¢ use of the Anglian Water's Inflow system by NH which is used by other developers and which when used then has the flexibility to then enable matters to be progressed offline and directly with Anglian Water

The above points will be set out in detail in the finalised SoCG to be submitted in the next week by NH.