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Sent: 18 November 2020 22:04
To: M54 to M6 Link Road
Subject: RE: TR010054 Issue specific hearing Biodiversity and Cultural Heritage (ISH1) commencing 8th December

Hi Louise,

We will attend then. It will be me and some colleagues, but I cannot confirm who exactly and numbers until I see the detailed agenda.

Kind regards

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Good morning Ms Driver

Thank you for your email. There are a small number of matters where the Examining Authority would particularly benefit from Natural England's expertise which would be best explored by oral representations at the Hearing. The ExA would therefore very much appreciate Natural England's attendance at the Hearing.

A more detailed agenda will be published approximately a week before the Hearings which will set out the areas that the ExA will particularly want to explore, and it is anticipated that Biodiversity will be dealt with early in the Hearing on 8 December. While it is very much a matter for those involved, the ExA would be content for any party to leave after the items in which their input is required have been completed.

Kind regards

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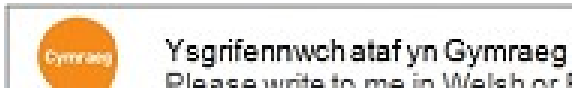
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Dear Sir/Madam

Re: TR010054- Issue specific hearing -Biodiversity and Cultural Heritage (ISH1)

Could you please confirm that the Inspectors would be content for Natural England to address questions for the issue specific hearings through written responses?

Kind regards

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