Hearings Action Points

Application by Highways England for an Order Granting Development Consent for the A1 in Northumberland: Morpeth to Ellingham.

Actions arising from the Compulsory Acquisition Hearing 2 (CAH2) and Issue Specific Hearing 3 (ISH3) held virtually from the 20th to the 22nd April 2021.

	Action	Party	Deadline		
Tuesday, 20th April 2021 – Compulsory Acquisition Hearing 2					
1	Applicant to update Funding Statement to address ExA's decision under Regulation 5 of the Infrastructure Planning (CA) Regulations 2010 on 9 April 2021.	Applicant	Deadline 6 (4 May 2021)		
2	Updated CA Schedule including more detailed update in relation to Obj. Nos. 13 (Davidson/ James McDonald), 22 (Millhouse Developments/ Graeme Bruce) and 32 (Beal/ Louis Fell).	Applicant, agents and landowners	Deadline 6 (4 May 2021)		
3	Confirmation from the Applicant and landowners/ agents detailing agreed matters/ Heads of Terms in respect of CA/ TP.	Applicant, agents and landowners	Deadline 6 (4 May 2021) and subsequent Deadlines.		
4	Confirmation of position with Statutory Undertakers who have previously raised objections, namely Northern Gas Networks and Northern Powergrid and Royal Mail.	Applicant	Deadline 6 (4 May 2021)		
5	Confirmation of works completed by utility providers (Northern Gas Networks in relation to the pipeline and Northern Powergrid in relation to overhead electricity line) and update of the dDCO.	Applicant	Deadline 6 (4 May 2021)		
Wednesday, 21 st April 2021 – Issue Specific Hearing 3					
6	Environment Agency (EA) and the Applicant to provide Position Statement on compensation and mitigation for the loss of watercourses and culverts.	Applicant and Environment Agency	Deadline 6 (4 May 2021)		
7	EA, Northumberland County Council (NCC) and Applicant to provide Position Statement in relation to the presence of Otters.	Applicant, Environment Agency and Northumberland County Council	Deadline 6 (4 May 2021)		
Thu	Thursday, 22 nd April 2021 – Issue Specific Hearing 3				

8	NCC and Applicant to confirm position in relation to any further need to provide non-motorised user improvements.	Applicant and Northumberland County Council	Deadline 6 (4 May 2021)
9	NCC and EA to respond to the Applicant's approach to construction mitigation documents.	Environment Agency and Northumberland County Council	Deadline 6 (4 May 2021)
10	Applicant to provide further detail on how they have arrived at the conclusions included in Table 15-4 of Chapter 15 of the EA [APP-060] and Table 16-9 of Chapter 16 of the ES [APP-062].	Applicant	Deadline 6 (4 May 2021)
11	Applicant to provider further justification on why it believes that and assessment of the combined effects of GHG (Greenhouse Gas) emissions from the proposal does not require an assessment of combined effects, as per Para 15.4.5 of Chapter 15 Assessment of Combined Effects [APP-060].	Applicant	Deadline 6 (4 May 2021)

Further Questions for the Applicant Regarding the draft Development Consent Order [REP5-034]				
DCO3.1	Sch. 2 R3 – Detailed Design. Should the reference in R3(1) be to 'arrangement' rather than 'arrangements' in line with the definition in Article 2?			
DCO3.2	Sch. 12 Documents to be Certified. No revision number is provided for Landscape Mitigation Masterplan Part A. Please clarify. Landscape Mitigation Plan Part B is referenced as Revision 4. The Application Tracker [REP5-002] lists the latest version as Revision 2. Please clarify.			