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Dear Mr Allen,

**A66 Northern Trans-Pennine Project: Application for Development Consent (“DCO application”)**

**Submission made by the Applicant at Deadline 6**

Further to the Rule 8 letter dated 8 December 2022, please find below a list of documents which forms part of the Applicant’s submission at Deadline 6 of the Examination of the DCO application:

1. Applicant’s Responses to the Examining Authority’s Further Written Questions (Document Reference 7.34).
2. Applicant’s Response to Deadline 5 Submissions (Document Reference 7.35).

**Additional Submissions**

As discussed at the second round of hearings and/or confirmed by the Applicant at a previous Deadline, and/or submitted in response to comments made by Interested Parties, the following other documents are also submitted and comprise the remainder of the Applicant’s submission at Deadline 6. We have outlined in the table below a brief summary of the reason for the submission in each case:

<b>Document Reference</b>	<b>Document Title</b>	<b>Reason for Submission</b>
1.7 (Rev 6)	Application Document Tracker	An updated version of the Application Document Tracker submitted at Deadline 5 to reflect

		the status of documents at Deadline 6.
2.7 (Rev 3)	Environmental Management Plan (Clean)	Updated in response to Historic England's Deadline 4 submission (REP4-031), National Highways' Issue Specific Hearing 3 Post Hearing Submissions, correspondence received by National Highways from Royal Mail, ongoing Statement of Common Ground discussions with Natural England, and submissions made by, Cumbria County Council and Eden District Council at Deadline 5 (REP5-036).
2.7 (Rev 3)	Environmental Management Plan (Tracked)	
2.7 (Rev 3)	Environmental Management Plan Annex B1: Outline Landscape and Ecology Management Plan (Clean)	Updated in response to ongoing Statement of Common Ground discussions with, and submissions made by, Cumbria County Council and Eden District Council at Deadline 5 (REP5-036).
2.7 (Rev 3)	Environmental Management Plan Annex B1: Outline Landscape and Ecology Management Plan (Tracked)	
2.7 (Rev 3)	Environmental Management Plan Annex B3: Outline Heritage Mitigation Strategy (Clean)	Updated in response to Historic England's Deadline 4 submission (REP4-031), ongoing Statement of Common Ground discussions with, and submissions made by, Cumbria County Council and Eden District Council at Deadline 5 (REP5-036).
2.7 (Rev 3)	Environmental Management Plan Annex B3: Outline Heritage Mitigation Strategy (Tracked)	
2.7 (Rev 2)	Environmental Management Plan Annex B4 Air Quality and Dust Management (Clean)	Updated in response to submissions made by Cumbria County Council and Eden District Council at Deadline 5 (REP5-036).
2.7 (Rev 2)	Environmental Management Plan Annex B4 Air Quality and Dust Management (Tracked)	
2.7 (Rev 2)	Environmental Management Plan Annex B5 Noise and Vibration Management Plan (Clean)	Updated in response to submissions made by Cumbria County Council and Eden District

2.7 (Rev 2)	Environmental Management Plan Annex B5 Noise and Vibration Management Plan (Tracked)	Council at Deadline 5 (REP5-036).
2.7 (Rev 3)	Environmental Management Plan Annex C3 Scheduled Monuments Method Statement (Clean)	Updated in response to Historic England's Deadline 4 submission (REP4-031), and ongoing Statement of Common Ground discussions.
2.7 (Rev 3)	Environmental Management Plan Annex C3 Scheduled Monuments Method Statement (Tracked)	
5.11 (Rev 3)	Project Design Principles (Clean)	Updated in response to comments made by Interested Parties at Deadline 5, including the Environment Agency (REP5-065), Cumbria County Council and Eden District Council (REP5-035), and a request made by Historic England through the Statement of Common Ground process.
5.11 (Rev 3)	Project Design Principles (Tracked)	
7.18 (Rev 2)	Environmental Management Plan (1 <sup>st</sup> Iteration) Change Log	Submitted to set out and explain the changes to the Environmental Management Plan that have been made in Revision 3 when compared to the version of the EMP submitted as part of the DCO application (Revision 1) and the version revised and submitted at Deadline 3 (Revision 2).
7.19 (Rev 2)	Project Design Principles Change Log	Submitted to set out and explain the changes to the Project Design Principles that have been made in Revision 3 when compared to the version of the Project Design Principles submitted as part of the DCO application (Revision 1), and the version revised and submitted at Deadline 3 (Revision 2).
7.22 (Rev 3)	Statement of Common Ground with the Defence Infrastructure Organisation	National Highways have continued to engage with the Defence Infrastructure Organisation since Deadline 5

		and have reached agreement on the contents of the Statement of Common Ground. A signed copy of this Statement of Common Ground is therefore submitted at Deadline 6.
7.36	Summary Statement on Land Acquisition Requirements and Process	Submitted in response to the submissions of affected persons and their representatives at Deadline 5 in relation to the process by which the Applicant has sought to negotiate the acquisition of the interests in, and rights over, the land that it requires to deliver the Project.
7.37	Summary Statement on Brough Hill Fair Relocation	Submitted in response to submissions made at Deadline 5 by the Brough Hill Fair Community Association (REP5-031) and George F White LLP on behalf of J Heron, Mrs D and I Heron, Mr J and Mrs M Heron, Mr S and Mrs C Heron and Mr D and Mrs M Heron (REP5-044) regarding issues related to the proposed replacement site for Brough Hill Fair.

### **Council Changes**

Following changes which came into force on 1 April 2023, the Applicant is aware that a new unitary authority, Westmorland and Furness Council is now in operation and has replaced Cumbria County Council, Eden District Council, Barrow Borough Council and South Lakeland District Council. In addition, a further new unitary authority, North Yorkshire Council is now in operation and has replaced North Yorkshire County Council and Richmondshire District Council as well as six other district councils. Westmorland and Furness Council and North Yorkshire Council are local authorities defined by Section 43 of the Planning Act 2008 for the purpose of the A66 Project. Due to the time of writing, our Deadline 6 submissions continue to refer to the original Council names, however we will use the new Council names of Westmorland and Furness Council and North Yorkshire Council for future Deadline submissions when referring to relevant authorities replaced by these councils.

If you have any queries, please do contact me at your earliest convenience.

Yours sincerely,



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