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Dear Sir/Madam

APPLICATION FOR DEVELOPMENT CONSENT BY ABLE HUMBER PORTS LTD FOR THE PROPOSED ABLE MARINE ENERGY PARK

VARIATION OF EXAMINATION TIMETABLE (RULE 8(3)) AND NOTIFICATION OF HEARINGS (RULE 13) INFRASTRUCTURE PLANNING (EXAMINATION PROCEDURE) RULES 2010

I am writing to you to give notice of a variation to the previously published examination timetable, to provide notice of a variation to a previously notified hearing and to advise you of further hearings.

Further Hearings

I wrote to you on 15 August 2012 confirming that a hearing to consider the draft Development Consent Order (DCO)/draft Deemed Marine Licence (DML) and Local Impact Reports would be held on **Monday 22 October**. This hearing will no longer consider matters relating to the draft DCO/DML. Instead, Local Impact Reports will be considered at a morning session and matters relating to road transport will be considered in an afternoon session. Any written summaries of the oral case made at these hearings should be submitted by **Friday 26 October 2012**.

The Panel also consider that, in light of recent hearings and the intended submission of supplementary information relating to the compensation site at Cherry Cobb Sands, it is necessary to make provision for a further Specific Issue hearing. Accordingly a hearing to consider Compensation Site Matters is now scheduled for **Monday 12 and Tuesday 13 November 2012**. In light of this, and the need to ensure that sufficient time is allowed to consider matters relating to the draft DCO/DML, the hearing previously scheduled for Monday 22 October will now be held on **Wednesday 21 and Thursday 22 November 2012**.

Further details on the times and locations of these hearings can be found in the attached Annex. The Panel considers that it will be appropriate to allow questioning by Interested Parties at these hearings.

Interested Parties will note that the DCO/DML hearing is very close to the end of the examination. It will be necessary for any written summaries of oral cases made at these hearings to be submitted by **5.00pm on Friday 23 November 2012**.

If you wish to ask questions of other parties and/or speak please ensure that you notify Mike Harris (Case Manager) at the postal or email address above **by Friday 12 October 2012**.

I should be grateful if you would inform us if you intend to attend the hearing even if you do not wish to speak. It would also assist us if you could notify us of any special needs you may have (e.g. disabled access, hearing loop etc). Please ensure that you include your Interested Party reference number in your correspondence.

Other Matters

The examination timetable previously issued indicates **Tuesday 9 October 2012** as the deadline for the submission of any proposed revised requirements to be included with the DCO/DML. The Panel are aware that it is possible that further proposed revisions may arise from some of the hearings scheduled in this letter. Any such proposals for requirements, or any legal agreements including section 106 agreements and the equivalent, should be submitted by **Friday 26 October 2012**

Yours faithfully

Robert Upton

Lead member of the Panel of Examining Inspectors

Advice may be given about applying for an order granting development consent or making representations about an application (or a proposed application). This communication does not however constitute legal advice upon which you can rely and you should obtain your own legal advice and professional advice as required.

A record of the advice which is provided will be recorded on the Planning Inspectorate website together with the name of the person or organisation who asked for the advice. The privacy of any other personal information will be protected in accordance with our Information Charter which you should view before sending information to the Planning Inspectorate.

Annex – Hearing subject, date, time and location

Hearing	Date	Time	Location
Specific Issue hearing to consider Local Impact Reports	Monday 22 October 2012	09.30 for 10.00 (AM only)	The Humber Royal Hotel Grimsby DN34 4LX
Specific Issue hearing to consider Road Transport matters	Monday 22 October 2012	13.00 for 13.30 (PM only)	The Humber Royal Hotel Grimsby DN34 4LX
Specific Issue hearing to consider Compensation Matters	Monday 12 November 2012	09.30 for 10.00	The Humber Royal Hotel Grimsby DN34 4LX
Specific Issue hearing to consider Compensation Matters	Tuesday 13 November 2012	09.30 for 10.00	The Humber Royal Hotel Grimsby DN34 4LX
Specific Issue hearing to consider the draft DCO/DML	Wednesday 21 November 2012	09.30 for 10.00	The Humber Royal Hotel Grimsby DN34 4LX
Specific Issue hearing to consider the draft DCO/DML	Thursday 22 November 2012	09.30 for 10.00	The Humber Royal Hotel Grimsby DN34 4LX