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00:00:00.965 --> 00:00:03.735
Well, it, it is 10 past four.
00:00:07.515 --> 00:00:12.495
Mr. Minich. Is, is Mr. Alvin joining us or, um,
00:00:13.155 --> 00:00:14.155
Sir. Good afternoon. Alex
00:00:14.155 --> 00:00:15.735
man Hannick for IOT.
00:00:15.915 --> 00:00:18.255
Um, yes, he is, I think he's been detained
00:00:18.255 --> 00:00:19.775
for a few minutes, but we can start
00:00:19.775 --> 00:00:20.775
Without, are. Sure, yeah.
00:00:20.775 --> 00:00:20.975
00:00:26.475 --> 00:00:28.255
We are taking things slightly outta sequence.
00:00:28.255 --> 00:00:30.975
We'll, we'll carry on with protective provisions, albeit,
10
00:00:31.055 --> 00:00:32.855
I think we're not gonna be saying an awful lot.
11
00:00:33.315 --> 00:00:35.295
And then we'll come back to the marine license.
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00:00:35.435 --> 00:00:39.095
But what that will mean is, uh, the ips
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13
00:00:39.095 --> 00:00:43.215
who may not have particular interest in the MMO, uh, sorry,
14
00:00:43.275 --> 00:00:45.735
the draft marine license, if you wish to
00:00:46.345 --> 00:00:50.615
leave once your slot has been gone, by all means do so.
16
00:00:50.995 --> 00:00:53.095
We will not take any offense, and I'm sure nobody else will
17
00:01:00.475 --> 00:01:01.855
if that's going to pan out.
18
00:01:01.945 --> 00:01:04.935
We'll, again, on the, um, actions arising,
19
00:01:05.215 --> 00:01:06.215
albeit I don't think we've got an
20
00:01:06.215 --> 00:01:07.335
awful lot from this session.
21
00:01:08.435 --> 00:01:09.975
Um, we're gonna suggest again
22
00:01:09.975 --> 00:01:12.295
that the applicant circulates the list goes round
23
00:01:12.315 --> 00:01:13.695
and everybody can comment
24
00:01:13.755 --> 00:01:17.255
and then we'll issue once we've got the comments back.
25
00:01:30.795 --> 00:01:34.775
Um, so turning to the protective provisions sought
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00:01:34.775 --> 00:01:38.855
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by DFDS, um, we've received a bit of an update,
27
00:01:39.395 --> 00:01:41.095
um, before the break.
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00:01:42.155 --> 00:01:45.895
Um, really the way that my questioning was going to go here,
29
00:01:46.355 --> 00:01:51.095
um, for this session anyway, was along the lines of what was
30
00:01:51.795 --> 00:01:55.575
agreed, what might be agreed was everything
31
00:01:55.575 --> 00:01:59.015
that DFDS was seeking not accepted.
32
00:01:59.635 --> 00:02:03.935
Um, and then really I was gonna be asking in the instances
33
00:02:03.935 --> 00:02:06.935
where things were not accepted for the applicant
34
00:02:06.935 --> 00:02:10.655
to provide an explanation, then D-D-F-D-S could, um,
00:02:10.885 --> 00:02:12.055
perhaps respond.
00:02:12.955 --> 00:02:14.175
Um, it,
37
00:02:14.275 --> 00:02:18.015
it does sound like there is dialogue ongoing.
38
00:02:18.145 --> 00:02:21.015
There are some protective provisions at least
39
00:02:21.595 --> 00:02:22.895
to be offered by the applicant.
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00:02:24.595 --> 00:02:25.855
Thanks, sir. Brian Greenwood
41
00:02:25.855 --> 00:02:27.135
for Associated British reports?
42
00:02:27.515 --> 00:02:30.335
Yes, sir. It, to start on a positive note, the,
43
00:02:30.395 --> 00:02:33.015
the initial response to DFDS was
44
00:02:33.015 --> 00:02:35.655
that we didn't think a protective provision was necessary,
45
00:02:36.395 --> 00:02:38.575
so we have moved a great deal closer.
46
00:02:39.115 --> 00:02:41.895
Uh, Mr. Walker, very kindly, uh,
47
00:02:42.335 --> 00:02:44.215
provided, uh, some draft protective provisions.
48
00:02:44.405 --> 00:02:46.215
They, they have been amended.
49
00:02:46.515 --> 00:02:50.575
Uh, Mr. Walker probably hasn't really had time to consider
50
00:02:51.165 --> 00:02:53.535
what I have proposed in detail, rather
51
00:02:53.535 --> 00:02:55.535
what the client has proposed in detail.
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00:02:56.275 --> 00:03:00.405
Um, but I would hope actually that we are not too far apart.
53
00:03:02.095 --> 00:03:06.055
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I dunno if Mr. Walker, even on a quick scan, given
54
00:03:06.405 --> 00:03:09.135
What quick scan, I think Fully understand that you're,
00:03:09.135 --> 00:03:11.495
you're on the back foot, um,
56
00:03:13.435 --> 00:03:15.295
but do things generally looking
57
00:03:15.795 --> 00:03:19.695
as if they might be moving in the right direction and,
58
00:03:19.995 --> 00:03:21.975
and you need not commit too much further than that
59
00:03:21.975 --> 00:03:23.295
because you may not feel able to
60
00:03:24.585 --> 00:03:26.015
Angus Walker for DFTS.
61
00:03:26.475 --> 00:03:29.895
Um, the applicant has agreed to some parts
62
00:03:29.895 --> 00:03:31.095
of our protective provisions,
63
00:03:31.095 --> 00:03:32.775
but there are some important ones they haven't
64
00:03:32.775 --> 00:03:33.935
agreed, agreed to.
65
00:03:34.115 --> 00:03:37.535
So we may end up with
66
00:03:38.835 --> 00:03:40.335
an element of agreed ones,
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67
00:03:40.335 --> 00:03:43.695
and then you have to decide between the Reed bits,
68
00:04:16.225 --> 00:04:18.555
That leaves us as the examiner put in a
00:04:19.115 --> 00:04:20.875
slightly tricky position in terms of
70
00:04:20.875 --> 00:04:22.995
what we might be needing to do next week.
71
00:04:24.335 --> 00:04:29.075
Um, Mr. Walker, do you have any sort
72
00:04:29.075 --> 00:04:31.315
of idea how quickly you'll be able
73
00:04:31.315 --> 00:04:32.115
to get at least some
74
00:04:32.115 --> 00:04:34.235
preliminary comments back to the applicant
00:04:37.405 --> 00:04:39.435
While Angus Walker for the FTS?
76
00:04:39.435 --> 00:04:42.915
Well, I, I'm pretty sure I won't get anything tomorrow,
77
00:04:43.175 --> 00:04:45.435
but early next week we will try
78
00:04:45.435 --> 00:04:48.675
and get something back to the applicant, sir,
00:04:49.585 --> 00:04:52.795
Presuming everything's traveling in terms
80
00:04:52.795 --> 00:04:55.315
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of the actual protect in the Word form document.
81
00:04:55.495 --> 00:05:00.315
So at least, uh, at some stage, perhaps by the middle
00:05:00.315 --> 00:05:02.435
of the week, something at least could come
83
00:05:03.015 --> 00:05:06.035
as an additional submission to the inspector so that
84
00:05:06.765 --> 00:05:10.315
we've got an idea of what might be in them, um,
85
00:05:10.865 --> 00:05:13.675
with potential markers as to what is agreed,
00:05:13.675 --> 00:05:14.715
what's not agreed.
87
00:05:15.735 --> 00:05:19.875
And we can then potentially, perhaps not do too much
88
00:05:20.065 --> 00:05:23.115
with them in, um, what we'll be doing
00:05:23.785 --> 00:05:25.235
with the DCO next week,
90
00:05:25.295 --> 00:05:28.755
but at least there might be some questions that we can then
91
00:05:29.275 --> 00:05:33.675
pose of the parties if necessary, um, to,
92
00:05:33.855 --> 00:05:38.235
to at least get some direction when you respond to
93
00:05:39.055 --> 00:05:40.955
our commentary on the DCO. Um,
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94
00:05:41.575 --> 00:05:44.155
Sir, does that suggest Angus Walker DFDS
95
00:05:44.155 --> 00:05:46.235
that you would like to receive?
00:05:48.185 --> 00:05:51.715
What? Um, well, either what the applicant has just sent us
97
00:05:52.095 --> 00:05:55.675
or what we then send back as before Deadline seven,
98
00:05:56.155 --> 00:05:58.165
I I, I think we've probably gotta sit,
99
00:05:58.195 --> 00:06:00.845
have both sets in word form,
100
00:06:00.865 --> 00:06:05.845
so at least we've got both sets, um, which puts us
101
00:06:06.505 --> 00:06:07.525
in a, well, we have
102
00:06:07.625 --> 00:06:10.565
of course got yours in a hard copy form anyway,
103
00:06:10.565 --> 00:06:11.725
but it would be useful to have it in an
104
00:06:11.725 --> 00:06:13.045
electronic form. Yes.
105
00:06:13.045 --> 00:06:14.045
So we'll do that.
106
00:06:15.125 --> 00:06:17.045
I no doubt the applicant can sort that out,
107
00:06:17.945 --> 00:06:19.485
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um, early next week.
108
00:06:20.705 --> 00:06:23.445
Um, so at least we've got both sets,
109
00:06:23.505 --> 00:06:27.045
but if there is any commentary that that goes between the,
110
00:06:27.145 --> 00:06:30.405
the parties, if, if, if it is at all possible to get it in
111
00:06:30.665 --> 00:06:32.525
during the sort of first half
112
00:06:32.525 --> 00:06:34.405
of next week, all well and good.
113
00:06:34.405 --> 00:06:38.005
Otherwise, we will just have to deal with what's in front
114
00:06:38.005 --> 00:06:39.165
of us at that stage.
115
00:06:39.305 --> 00:06:42.485
But we might reserve the position in terms of, um,
116
00:06:42.615 --> 00:06:45.205
being able to do too much, but we might pose some questions.
117
00:06:47.195 --> 00:06:49.205
Does, does that seem reasonable as a way
118
00:06:49.305 --> 00:06:51.325
to at least try and get things moving? Yes.
119
00:06:51.465 --> 00:06:52.125
Uh, thank you.
120
00:06:59.595 --> 00:07:02.085
Then if we move on to CLDN,
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121
00:07:03.305 --> 00:07:07.725
um, Mr. Greenwood.
122
00:07:07.895 --> 00:07:09.645
Thank you, sir. Uh, Brian Greenwood
00:07:09.705 --> 00:07:10.925
for, uh, the applicant.
124
00:07:11.385 --> 00:07:15.845
Uh, Sir, I, I'm more than happy to explain,
125
00:07:16.505 --> 00:07:20.525
uh, to you, uh, what we are proposing to send to Mr. Owen.
126
00:07:20.825 --> 00:07:23.205
Mr. Owen will find it rather difficult to reply him
127
00:07:23.425 --> 00:07:24.885
as he hasn't seen it yet.
128
00:07:25.385 --> 00:07:29.205
But, uh, in summary, sir, again, uh, we did initially,
129
00:07:29.505 --> 00:07:30.885
uh, respond to Mr.
130
00:07:31.305 --> 00:07:33.405
Oin to CLDN on the basis
131
00:07:33.515 --> 00:07:35.565
that we did not think the protective
132
00:07:35.565 --> 00:07:36.725
provisions were necessary.
133
00:07:37.305 --> 00:07:40.045
Um, there has been a certain amount of toing
134
00:07:40.045 --> 00:07:41.645
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and froing of correspondence
135
00:07:41.665 --> 00:07:43.965
and my client has agreed to, uh,
00:07:45.175 --> 00:07:49.245
offer some protective provisions to C-L-D-N-C-L-D-N.
137
00:07:49.245 --> 00:07:50.765
Mr. Oing very kindly
138
00:07:51.045 --> 00:07:54.685
provided a draft set, uh, and Mr.
139
00:07:54.885 --> 00:07:57.765
O will be happy to hear that we have accepted some of his,
140
00:07:57.985 --> 00:08:02.805
uh, proposals, which go to, uh, ensuring
141
00:08:03.035 --> 00:08:06.005
that, uh, their business is not interrupted
142
00:08:06.005 --> 00:08:10.485
during the construction, uh, of the, uh, development.
143
00:08:11.025 --> 00:08:15.085
Uh, they're also worried about, uh, uh, difficulties
144
00:08:15.085 --> 00:08:17.565
with regard to their deposit grounds.
145
00:08:17.665 --> 00:08:20.405
Uh, and we've, we've agreed that there,
146
00:08:20.405 --> 00:08:22.965
there are three provisions, uh, for Mr.
147
00:08:23.025 --> 00:08:25.845
Owen's information in advance that we have not accepted.
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148
00:08:26.025 --> 00:08:29.245
Two, relate to, uh, a requirement
149
00:08:29.345 --> 00:08:33.445
or request that AVP the applicant, um,
00:08:33.655 --> 00:08:37.765
gives an undertaking as to non interference with
151
00:08:37.955 --> 00:08:41.685
through vessels CLDN vessels going to the Port of Kin home.
152
00:08:42.025 --> 00:08:45.085
Uh, we of course cannot do that as the applicant that falls
153
00:08:45.185 --> 00:08:47.965
to the Humber Harbor master who's now left us.
154
00:08:48.505 --> 00:08:51.085
Uh, so, so we have no control over that.
155
00:08:51.305 --> 00:08:52.565
So we've deleted that.
156
00:08:53.225 --> 00:08:57.805
Uh, Mr. Owen also asked for a provision regarding, um,
00:08:58.385 --> 00:09:03.325
an undertaking as to, uh, use of railway lines, uh,
158
00:09:03.325 --> 00:09:07.645
that their use of the, uh, railway line, uh, would not, uh,
159
00:09:07.865 --> 00:09:10.125
be obstructed by our operation.
160
00:09:10.695 --> 00:09:13.925
We've not accepted that's, uh, for reasons
161
00:09:13.955 --> 00:09:17.765
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that were discussed in an earlier, uh, hearing session in
162
00:09:17.765 --> 00:09:20.965
that we are not putting anything onto the railway line
00:09:21.065 --> 00:09:24.805
and indeed the railway line that, uh, uh,
164
00:09:25.045 --> 00:09:27.645
CLDN use is in fact on the other side
165
00:09:27.645 --> 00:09:29.405
of the port away from our development site.
166
00:09:29.405 --> 00:09:31.685
So we don't think it would be either
167
00:09:31.795 --> 00:09:33.245
appropriate or relevant.
168
00:09:33.505 --> 00:09:36.045
And as I say, sir, there's just a little tidying up
169
00:09:36.475 --> 00:09:38.685
that we need to do on our, our part
170
00:09:39.095 --> 00:09:42.005
where upon I will hopefully be sending the
171
00:09:42.005 --> 00:09:43.165
amended draft to Mr.
172
00:09:43.525 --> 00:09:45.725
Owing either this evening or first thing tomorrow morning.
173
00:09:53.295 --> 00:09:55.965
Thank you, Mr. Greenman. Mr. Owen,
174
00:09:55.965 --> 00:09:57.445
as you indicated earlier, you,
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175
00:09:57.705 --> 00:09:59.965
you probably can't add very much.
176
00:10:00.625 --> 00:10:02.965
Um, and we, we are not expecting you to,
177
00:10:03.905 --> 00:10:06.445
unless you, you feel there are some points you wanna raise.
178
00:10:08.345 --> 00:10:10.605
Robbie Owen, CRDN? Um, just a few, sir.
179
00:10:10.605 --> 00:10:15.365
If I may, I mean, I, I, um, grateful to Mr.
180
00:10:15.365 --> 00:10:16.445
Greenman for what he said
181
00:10:16.465 --> 00:10:19.005
and obviously wait to see what, uh, is then sent through.
182
00:10:19.225 --> 00:10:21.885
Um, I mean, I, I remind you that we,
183
00:10:22.635 --> 00:10:25.045
last time we were sitting in this room
00:10:26.115 --> 00:10:30.405
that issue specific hearing for, um, the applicant said
185
00:10:30.405 --> 00:10:34.365
that they had rejected the entirety of the proposals that,
186
00:10:34.465 --> 00:10:37.885
uh, CRDN had by then put forward for protected provisions.
187
00:10:37.945 --> 00:10:41.405
And therefore we set out, uh, in my letter to Mr.
188
00:10:41.405 --> 00:10:44.085
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Greenwood or the 9th of October, which was appended to our
189
00:10:45.005 --> 00:10:49.405
deadline for response, a very full reasoning as to, um,
00:10:49.665 --> 00:10:51.565
why we felt PPSs were necessary.
191
00:10:51.565 --> 00:10:55.125
And, and it's important just to, uh, mention that, uh,
192
00:10:55.155 --> 00:10:57.525
it's not just to protect the CLDN business.
193
00:10:57.845 --> 00:11:00.565
CLDN is a statutory undertaker, uh,
194
00:11:00.585 --> 00:11:01.925
as we explained in the letter.
195
00:11:02.145 --> 00:11:04.045
And, uh, appendix one
196
00:11:04.505 --> 00:11:09.445
and that, uh, is, um, one of the main justifications
197
00:11:09.585 --> 00:11:11.245
for the protective provisions we seek.
198
00:11:11.945 --> 00:11:15.285
Um, because we have an interest in making sure that the
199
00:11:16.345 --> 00:11:19.605
SAT Harbor facilities at killing home, uh, remain open
200
00:11:19.745 --> 00:11:22.765
and available for use, um, not just by CLDN,
201
00:11:22.765 --> 00:11:25.565
but by others, including of course, currently stainer.
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202
00:11:25.905 --> 00:11:29.365
And therefore, approaches to the, to our,
203
00:11:29.365 --> 00:11:33.485
to our port are very much of legitimate concern
204
00:11:33.665 --> 00:11:36.765
to CRDN as part of its statutory undertaking.
205
00:11:36.865 --> 00:11:41.285
And, and therefore, um, I I,
206
00:11:41.445 --> 00:11:43.885
I don't immediately understand what Mr. Green was,
207
00:11:43.945 --> 00:11:46.525
was saying about why it's not in the gift of the applicant,
208
00:11:46.585 --> 00:11:50.765
but it's in the gift of, uh, in effect another part
209
00:11:50.765 --> 00:11:53.925
of the applicant, uh, not to agree to, uh,
210
00:11:53.985 --> 00:11:55.085
no inter interference
211
00:11:55.085 --> 00:11:56.925
because I, I believe that's exactly
212
00:11:56.925 --> 00:12:00.285
what was agreed in the able, uh, protective provision.
213
00:12:00.285 --> 00:12:04.565
So it was agreed then, um, by the, um, uh, app,
214
00:12:05.025 --> 00:12:06.445
uh, in that respect.
215
00:12:06.445 --> 00:12:09.045
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And therefore, uh,
216
00:12:09.105 --> 00:12:13.525
and I also explained at appendix, uh, in,
217
00:12:13.665 --> 00:12:16.245
in the letter of Appendix two to our rep for submissions,
218
00:12:16.425 --> 00:12:18.685
why actually we were concerned about railway matters.
219
00:12:19.025 --> 00:12:22.045
And even though we of course, fully appreciate that
220
00:12:22.795 --> 00:12:25.325
this application does not propose railway works,
221
00:12:25.945 --> 00:12:29.485
we explained our concern about the, uh, application
222
00:12:29.485 --> 00:12:31.205
of permitted development rights in the future
223
00:12:31.305 --> 00:12:32.485
and the effect they could have.
224
00:12:32.585 --> 00:12:36.645
So, um, a again, we will wait to see, uh, what,
00:12:36.785 --> 00:12:37.885
um, Mr.
226
00:12:37.885 --> 00:12:41.485
Greenwood, um, says in his letter, um, and,
227
00:12:41.485 --> 00:12:44.285
and a final matter which, um, I,
228
00:12:44.365 --> 00:12:46.125
I appreciate we can't have a response on today
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229
00:12:46.125 --> 00:12:49.605
because the, uh, Harbor Master Humber is no longer here,
230
00:12:49.665 --> 00:12:52.365
but, uh, it, it, going back to schedule four
00:12:52.365 --> 00:12:57.085
and the protective provisions for the, um, SCNA, um,
232
00:12:57.665 --> 00:12:58.965
it, it's interesting, isn't it,
233
00:12:58.965 --> 00:13:01.885
that we have in paragraph three, that's the approval
234
00:13:01.885 --> 00:13:02.925
of Title Works provision.
235
00:13:02.925 --> 00:13:05.405
We were looking at before the adjournment, the provision
236
00:13:05.405 --> 00:13:08.845
before making a decision on an application for approval
237
00:13:08.865 --> 00:13:12.045
of plans to consult the Environment Agency.
238
00:13:12.045 --> 00:13:15.365
And that might now be augmented to refer to the MO two.
239
00:13:15.505 --> 00:13:17.965
So those are both bodies with statutory functions
240
00:13:17.965 --> 00:13:19.005
that are gonna be consulted,
241
00:13:19.065 --> 00:13:22.645
but there's no suggestion that CLDN, which is a body
242
00:13:22.645 --> 00:13:25.645
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with statutory functions, should, should be consulted by,
243
00:13:26.025 --> 00:13:27.085
um, SCNA
244
00:13:27.085 --> 00:13:30.645
before, uh, an application is submitted by the applicant
245
00:13:30.645 --> 00:13:34.005
for approval under SCNA protective provision.
246
00:13:34.005 --> 00:13:35.045
So I just make that point
247
00:13:35.045 --> 00:13:37.325
because this is something that, um,
248
00:13:38.025 --> 00:13:41.605
we feel the applicant is mischaracterizing our motivation
249
00:13:41.605 --> 00:13:42.885
and our, our position here,
250
00:13:43.505 --> 00:13:44.925
and that's why we believe
00:13:44.925 --> 00:13:46.285
protective provisions are, are needed.
252
00:13:46.425 --> 00:13:49.045
So that's all I can usefully say,
253
00:13:49.465 --> 00:13:52.485
and we will obviously respond to Mr.
254
00:13:52.485 --> 00:13:55.245
Greenwood's letter as soon as we are able to.
255
00:13:55.425 --> 00:13:58.125
Um, I, I'm not able, I don't believe today
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256
00:13:58.185 --> 00:14:00.405
to give an indication of timescale for that, given
257
00:14:00.405 --> 00:14:01.885
that we don't know when the letter's gonna arrive,
00:14:04.865 --> 00:14:08.205
and these things obviously need to be properly considered.
259
00:14:08.225 --> 00:14:12.005
And it's been quite some weeks since we did su submit our
260
00:14:12.165 --> 00:14:13.205
proposals at deadline for.
261
00:14:13.375 --> 00:14:14.375
Thank you.
262
00:14:15.215 --> 00:14:18.405
Thank you, Mr. O. Um, as with DFS,
263
00:14:18.425 --> 00:14:22.565
it would be helpful if you can arrange for the word version
264
00:14:22.905 --> 00:14:26.485
of your client's suggested original protective
265
00:14:26.485 --> 00:14:27.725
provisions to be sent through.
266
00:14:28.065 --> 00:14:30.565
And similarly, we'd ask for the applicant, uh,
267
00:14:31.035 --> 00:14:32.205
send inspector
268
00:14:32.975 --> 00:14:37.805
after you've sent to Mr. Owen, um, the word version of what,
269
00:14:37.805 --> 00:14:40.405
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what you are now proposing to put to cl d,
270
00:14:41.635 --> 00:14:42.635
Robo and cd. Certainly,
271
00:14:42.635 --> 00:14:45.045
sir, we've, we've, um, arranged for that
272
00:14:45.065 --> 00:14:47.245
to be checked in terms of formatting,
273
00:14:47.245 --> 00:14:49.445
and that was done today so that when we send that through
274
00:14:49.445 --> 00:14:50.725
to you, it'll be, um,
275
00:14:51.265 --> 00:14:53.805
it won't have any hidden gremlins in hopefully
276
00:14:53.805 --> 00:14:56.125
that would mess up whatever it is
277
00:14:56.125 --> 00:14:57.245
that you'll be producing next week.
278
00:14:58.215 --> 00:14:58.645
Thank you.
279
00:15:07.155 --> 00:15:11.885
Turning to IOT, is there anything useful
280
00:15:11.885 --> 00:15:14.005
that could be said in this forum this afternoon?
281
00:15:15.545 --> 00:15:19.165
Not much. Um, we sent through
282
00:15:20.025 --> 00:15:23.045
our response to the original protective provisions in REP
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283
00:15:23.185 --> 00:15:26.005
1 0 3 9, we have still yet
284
00:15:26.145 --> 00:15:28.605
to get a response to that draft.
285
00:15:29.435 --> 00:15:31.565
That draft was referred to in the letter
286
00:15:31.565 --> 00:15:35.165
of the 28th of September, where the parties agreed
287
00:15:35.235 --> 00:15:37.845
that there would be modifications
288
00:15:37.945 --> 00:15:40.965
to the protective provisions, admittedly in the light of,
289
00:15:41.585 --> 00:15:44.685
uh, agreement that was reached in due course as to
290
00:15:44.685 --> 00:15:45.725
what those provisions should be,
291
00:15:45.785 --> 00:15:48.405
but there would be modifications, uh,
292
00:15:48.405 --> 00:15:51.725
substantially in accordance with rep 1 0 3 9,
293
00:15:52.345 --> 00:15:55.885
the latest version of the DCO, which is all we've had
294
00:15:56.835 --> 00:15:58.885
adds one word, which is,
295
00:15:59.065 --> 00:16:02.285
and, um, we've had no feedback,
296
00:16:03.035 --> 00:16:05.845
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nothing since we submitted our original
297
00:16:07.045 --> 00:16:08.485
representations four months ago.
00:16:08.905 --> 00:16:11.525
And so we await with bated breath
299
00:16:12.845 --> 00:16:14.325
a response from ABP
300
00:16:27.285 --> 00:16:28.285
Mr. Greenwood. Um,
301
00:16:28.285 --> 00:16:31.305
I think it's fair
302
00:16:31.305 --> 00:16:34.265
to say there's an air of frustration
303
00:16:34.885 --> 00:16:35.985
at that end of the table.
304
00:16:36.765 --> 00:16:40.025
Um, it does seem that there, there does need
305
00:16:40.025 --> 00:16:44.385
to be some progress made in trying to resolve, um,
306
00:16:46.195 --> 00:16:48.745
those protective provisions, at least getting some feedback
307
00:16:49.345 --> 00:16:51.145
formally, uh, to OT.
308
00:16:52.125 --> 00:16:55.945
Um, what can you say to assist that process
309
00:16:56.205 --> 00:16:57.225
as we sit here today?
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310
00:17:12.225 --> 00:17:14.255
Sorry. So, James Ron from the applicant,
311
00:17:14.255 --> 00:17:16.575
we're just checking on timescales.
00:17:17.035 --> 00:17:18.975
Uh, I, Mr I won't repeat what Mr.
313
00:17:18.975 --> 00:17:22.815
Greenman said earlier about in terms
314
00:17:22.835 --> 00:17:26.095
of what's described as frustration, the interim steps
315
00:17:26.195 --> 00:17:29.255
and where we had thought we were making progress,
316
00:17:29.315 --> 00:17:31.295
and I don't want to go over that again,
317
00:17:31.315 --> 00:17:35.735
but in, in relation to your question about response back,
318
00:17:36.035 --> 00:17:37.935
um, I'm just finding out when, when
319
00:17:38.655 --> 00:17:41.575
I mean it, it comes to my mind anyway.
320
00:17:41.575 --> 00:17:43.055
And I think my colleagues' mind
321
00:17:43.805 --> 00:17:46.895
that one way we could at least jog things along
322
00:17:47.115 --> 00:17:50.805
as I think iot have suggested, is
323
00:17:50.915 --> 00:17:54.805
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that their draft, um, provisions be put into
324
00:17:55.435 --> 00:17:56.885
what we will be preparing.
325
00:17:57.625 --> 00:17:59.965
Um, and you will then have a question
326
00:18:00.185 --> 00:18:02.645
or two put to you to respond.
327
00:18:03.385 --> 00:18:06.365
And that will have to be formally done in, in, when,
328
00:18:06.365 --> 00:18:11.285
when you respond, um, to our, our suggested tweaks
329
00:18:11.285 --> 00:18:15.805
to the DCO that might at least push things along,
330
00:18:16.385 --> 00:18:18.205
I'd, I'd be content with that solution.
331
00:18:18.945 --> 00:18:21.085
So can I just, James Strong of the applicant.
00:18:21.085 --> 00:18:23.565
So we, we did of course provide protection
333
00:18:23.565 --> 00:18:24.725
provisions in the DCO.
334
00:18:25.665 --> 00:18:26.965
So the, and I know
335
00:18:27.705 --> 00:18:31.245
you've had counter protective provisions proposed by iot,
336
00:18:32.065 --> 00:18:35.845
but they we're not starting from a, a situation
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337
00:18:35.845 --> 00:18:38.085
where there weren't protective provisions being suggested
338
00:18:38.145 --> 00:18:39.365
by the applicant.
339
00:18:39.365 --> 00:18:43.485
There were. And so we've had the counter ones,
340
00:18:44.185 --> 00:18:46.285
we had the interim period of course, where
341
00:18:48.555 --> 00:18:49.885
without going over it again,
342
00:18:50.425 --> 00:18:53.445
but the, the differences of view, if I can put it
343
00:18:53.445 --> 00:18:55.445
as neutrally as possible, as to what happened there.
344
00:18:56.145 --> 00:18:59.365
And in light of that, we'll have to go back in relation
345
00:18:59.365 --> 00:19:01.725
to their counter proposals,
346
00:19:02.105 --> 00:19:05.645
but it's not right that we have, you haven't got before you
347
00:19:05.905 --> 00:19:08.965
No, no Provisions that we actually no consider
348
00:19:09.875 --> 00:19:11.645
Have been appropriate, doesn't seem, seem to have been
349
00:19:11.645 --> 00:19:16.285
much progress in responding formally, um,
350
00:19:16.865 --> 00:19:20.885
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to the IOT operator's counter proposal as far
351
00:19:20.885 --> 00:19:22.005
as they were concerned,
00:19:22.555 --> 00:19:24.965
Submitted for deadline one on the 15th of August
353
00:19:28.035 --> 00:19:29.035
Application. So,
354
00:19:29.035 --> 00:19:33.805
um, if IO OT can arrange, oh, I think actually have,
355
00:19:34.045 --> 00:19:36.205
I think we have received earlier this afternoon,
356
00:19:36.365 --> 00:19:37.925
I think I saw an email that Ms.
357
00:19:37.985 --> 00:19:39.365
Robins circulated to us
358
00:19:39.745 --> 00:19:40.745
Yes. With some word.
359
00:19:40.745 --> 00:19:42.365
With a word version. Yeah. Yes.
360
00:19:42.865 --> 00:19:47.205
Um, we've asked for the draft DCO, um,
361
00:19:47.625 --> 00:19:51.925
in word form to be submitted that will have your version.
362
00:19:52.865 --> 00:19:55.605
Uh, we will at least have something to be comparing and,
363
00:19:55.605 --> 00:19:58.805
or perhaps making some tweaks to
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364
00:19:58.885 --> 00:20:00.285
that we think might be appropriate.
365
00:20:01.105 --> 00:20:04.645
Um, but, um, that isn't necessarily the end
00:20:04.645 --> 00:20:06.205
of whatever discussions should
367
00:20:06.205 --> 00:20:07.325
be going on in the background.
368
00:20:08.265 --> 00:20:10.325
Um, Mr. Greenwood,
369
00:20:10.625 --> 00:20:13.045
Sir, thank you Brian Greenwood for, uh, the applicant.
370
00:20:13.305 --> 00:20:16.685
So to move things forward, uh, as constructively
371
00:20:16.745 --> 00:20:21.725
as possible, um, what we could do, uh, subject to, uh,
372
00:20:21.785 --> 00:20:26.085
my client's approval is we obviously do have the, uh,
373
00:20:26.655 --> 00:20:29.605
draft protective provisions amended protective provisions
374
00:20:29.835 --> 00:20:31.085
sent to us by purchase salmon.
375
00:20:31.585 --> 00:20:34.045
Uh, we do have amendments to those,
376
00:20:34.305 --> 00:20:38.325
and we could in fact put our amended, uh, draft
377
00:20:39.595 --> 00:20:42.805
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amended for the one that was sent across to us in,
378
00:20:42.945 --> 00:20:44.085
uh, our DCO.
379
00:20:44.105 --> 00:20:48.445
So at least you'll see that we are prepared to meet, uh,
380
00:20:48.925 --> 00:20:52.965
IOT, uh, moving away from the original, uh, draft,
381
00:20:52.975 --> 00:20:54.245
which we still stand by,
382
00:20:54.575 --> 00:20:56.765
which was included in the submitted DCO.
383
00:20:56.785 --> 00:20:57.805
If that would assist
384
00:20:59.625 --> 00:21:01.325
It, it may provide some assistance.
385
00:21:01.345 --> 00:21:06.205
Can we then ask that we have a clean version of the DCA,
00:21:06.205 --> 00:21:09.005
but also a tracked version in words so
387
00:21:09.005 --> 00:21:10.565
that we can see the difference
388
00:21:10.565 --> 00:21:13.925
and if we need to take something out of, um,
389
00:21:15.745 --> 00:21:18.845
the DC, it just, it's easier to work out, albeit
390
00:21:18.845 --> 00:21:20.605
that we'll only be able to take it outta the clean version.
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391
00:21:20.605 --> 00:21:23.805
Otherwise, that might start to mess up formatting.
392
00:21:24.385 --> 00:21:26.845
Um, especially when we, we are using a shared document
393
00:21:26.845 --> 00:21:29.925
that starts to make life even more interesting, at least
394
00:21:29.925 --> 00:21:31.285
for the system that we work with.
395
00:21:31.825 --> 00:21:36.285
Um, so yeah, if you could do that, um,
396
00:21:36.695 --> 00:21:39.645
again, it just makes it easy to see clean versus tracked.
397
00:21:39.945 --> 00:21:41.845
You can quickly spot where the changes are
398
00:21:41.865 --> 00:21:44.805
and if you are lifting things out and mixing and matching.
399
00:21:47.345 --> 00:21:49.445
So if, if, uh, David Alvin iot,
400
00:21:49.645 --> 00:21:52.565
I might ask when we can see those from Mr.
401
00:21:52.565 --> 00:21:55.515
Greenwood, Brian
402
00:21:55.515 --> 00:21:57.715
Greenwood for our ABP the beginning of next week, sir,
403
00:21:59.385 --> 00:22:00.385
That Monday?
404
00:22:01.675 --> 00:22:03.075
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I would think it's Monday, yes.
405
00:22:03.175 --> 00:22:04.475
To me, that's the beginning of the week.
406
00:22:04.545 --> 00:22:08.275
Yeah. Thank you. And knowing
407
00:22:08.275 --> 00:22:10.715
that we've got a fair amount of work between the,
408
00:22:10.775 --> 00:22:14.835
the members of this panel, um, we don't want to be left, uh,
409
00:22:14.835 --> 00:22:17.675
too late in the week before we can actually start, um,
410
00:22:17.675 --> 00:22:19.595
potentially working on the DCO.
411
00:22:19.815 --> 00:22:22.315
Um, so case we
412
00:22:22.315 --> 00:22:25.305
Can re Thank you.
413
00:22:34.935 --> 00:22:38.755
We, we, we have kind of parked the MMO side
414
00:22:38.755 --> 00:22:39.875
of things as an update.
415
00:22:40.395 --> 00:22:44.715
I am conscious though that perhaps, uh, Mr. Walker and
416
00:22:44.715 --> 00:22:47.795
or Mr. Owen may have some comments to make about other bits
417
00:22:47.795 --> 00:22:50.835
of the award that, that we skipped through this afternoon.
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418
00:22:51.735 --> 00:22:54.635
I'm also conscious that they, they may wish to depart
419
00:22:55.575 --> 00:22:58.835
rather than sitting through a sec, a sec, hopefully
420
00:22:58.835 --> 00:23:00.915
what will not be a too long a session on the
421
00:23:00.915 --> 00:23:02.435
draft Marine license.
422
00:23:03.415 --> 00:23:06.075
Um, but if, if you'd like, uh,
423
00:23:06.165 --> 00:23:09.715
we'll take things again slightly outta turn, um,
424
00:23:09.935 --> 00:23:12.955
to pick up any points, um, that we haven't already dealt
425
00:23:12.955 --> 00:23:14.275
with in the draft order.
426
00:23:14.975 --> 00:23:16.115
Uh, Mr. Elvin,
427
00:23:16.255 --> 00:23:18.715
is there anything from your client's perspective
428
00:23:19.505 --> 00:23:21.915
that you might want to pick up in the rest of the order
429
00:23:22.095 --> 00:23:24.755
or do you, do you wish
430
00:23:24.815 --> 00:23:28.155
to depart at this state stage,
431
00:23:28.165 --> 00:23:30.075
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which we're perfectly content with,
432
00:23:30.175 --> 00:23:31.195
if that's what you'd like to do?
433
00:23:31.735 --> 00:23:33.715
No offense will be taken by anybody if you No,
434
00:23:34.195 --> 00:23:38.275
I, I we, we've raised the points
435
00:23:38.495 --> 00:23:42.875
of concern in the, both the context of the issue rose just
436
00:23:42.875 --> 00:23:44.475
before and just after lunch in respect
437
00:23:44.475 --> 00:23:45.525
to the protective provisions.
438
00:23:45.545 --> 00:23:47.205
So that, those are our key concerns.
439
00:23:48.825 --> 00:23:51.885
If, if you and your, the rest of your team wish to depart,
440
00:23:51.905 --> 00:23:53.045
by all means do so.
441
00:23:53.745 --> 00:23:55.725
You've said that twice now. You tried to get rid of us.
442
00:23:55.825 --> 00:23:59.285
No, no, no. But I, we, I i,
443
00:23:59.345 --> 00:24:01.645
we may well take you off on your account, our phone case.
444
00:24:01.795 --> 00:24:04.525
Most people have got several plates to spin at once. Yeah.
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445
00:24:04.525 --> 00:24:07.045
So, um, if you don't have to be in here,
446
00:24:07.045 --> 00:24:10.045
you can do something else then by all means do so well
447
00:24:10.045 --> 00:24:11.485
In, in which case, thank you very much
448
00:24:11.585 --> 00:24:12.605
and thank you for your attention.
449
00:24:12.835 --> 00:24:15.525
Okay, thank you, Mr.
450
00:24:17.105 --> 00:24:21.325
Rob. CLDN. So I think in relation to DCO points, we've
451
00:24:22.185 --> 00:24:23.645
uh, uh, aired today.
452
00:24:23.805 --> 00:24:25.685
I think the points at the foremost
453
00:24:25.685 --> 00:24:27.565
of our mind at the moment.
454
00:24:27.785 --> 00:24:31.205
We of course, have submitted in our written representations
455
00:24:31.205 --> 00:24:34.165
of deadline to a full list of points.
456
00:24:34.185 --> 00:24:36.845
We then, obviously after ISH four at Deadline four
457
00:24:37.715 --> 00:24:40.125
confirmed the then points in play.
458
00:24:40.345 --> 00:24:44.925
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And finally, at deadline six, we also put in
459
00:24:45.605 --> 00:24:48.885
a, a shorter submission, uh, uh, as part
00:24:48.885 --> 00:24:51.245
of a broader submission on DCO points.
461
00:24:51.345 --> 00:24:52.765
So I, I believe
462
00:24:52.765 --> 00:24:55.285
that Rob take up any more time today on, on anything else.
463
00:24:55.585 --> 00:24:57.085
You obviously got those submissions
464
00:24:57.385 --> 00:25:01.365
and, um, I would commend 'em to you insofar
465
00:25:01.365 --> 00:25:03.405
as we haven't covered them today, as you consider
466
00:25:03.835 --> 00:25:05.845
what changes the DCO you might want to
00:25:06.705 --> 00:25:07.805
put into the examination.
468
00:25:07.805 --> 00:25:09.965
And then I, I think I would suggest it might be helpful
469
00:25:09.985 --> 00:25:12.165
for us to respond to, um,
470
00:25:12.435 --> 00:25:14.245
what you do put into the examination next week,
471
00:25:14.245 --> 00:25:16.405
which I'm assuming for all of us would be deadline seven
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472
00:25:16.905 --> 00:25:20.805
to respond with our observations on the,
473
00:25:20.805 --> 00:25:25.325
the DCO in the form that you, um, publish, um,
474
00:25:25.385 --> 00:25:27.645
or schedule the changes to the applicant's draft.
475
00:25:28.225 --> 00:25:31.165
And therefore, in, in doing that response to deadline seven,
476
00:25:31.225 --> 00:25:33.925
we can just review our previous submissions
477
00:25:33.985 --> 00:25:35.005
and pick them all up
478
00:25:35.005 --> 00:25:37.925
and, um, bring them together, which I hope would assist you.
479
00:25:38.185 --> 00:25:40.845
Um, and obviously those issues that have been dealt with,
480
00:25:40.865 --> 00:25:44.045
we would obviously not, not, not, uh, need
00:25:44.045 --> 00:25:45.165
to bring 'em up again,
482
00:25:45.185 --> 00:25:47.805
but I, I think that's probably a better use of time than
483
00:25:48.835 --> 00:25:51.005
hearing further submissions from me today, which, uh,
484
00:25:51.005 --> 00:25:53.445
given the time of day would not be probably welcomed.
485
00:25:55.105 --> 00:25:56.325
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Um, and therefore, uh,
486
00:25:56.405 --> 00:25:57.965
I would suggest we do that, if that's okay.
00:25:58.395 --> 00:26:00.725
That that's fine. It was just if there was anything
488
00:26:00.725 --> 00:26:03.605
that had arisen that you hadn't already committed to paper,
489
00:26:04.585 --> 00:26:07.245
um, which you have done helpfully, uh,
490
00:26:07.305 --> 00:26:08.525
in a, in a cogent way.
491
00:26:08.525 --> 00:26:10.805
So it's easy for us to work our way through.
492
00:26:10.835 --> 00:26:11.885
Sure. Your various points.
493
00:26:12.385 --> 00:26:13.605
And can I, can I just check
494
00:26:13.605 --> 00:26:16.205
that it is deadline seven when you would be expecting,
495
00:26:16.325 --> 00:26:17.925
'cause I don't think this is in the Rule eight letter
496
00:26:18.555 --> 00:26:21.045
when you'd be expecting all interested parties
497
00:26:21.105 --> 00:26:23.885
and the applicant to respond to your, your, your,
498
00:26:23.885 --> 00:26:25.605
your schedule of changes to the DCO
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499
00:26:26.555 --> 00:26:29.965
That at this stage is our expectation,
500
00:26:30.185 --> 00:26:32.085
but depending on how long
501
00:26:32.545 --> 00:26:36.605
or how large that schedule turns out to be, we may have
502
00:26:36.605 --> 00:26:39.445
to review, uh, the, the date
503
00:26:39.465 --> 00:26:41.485
by which we expect and responses back.
504
00:26:41.645 --> 00:26:42.885
I, we're not gonna shorten it,
505
00:26:43.505 --> 00:26:46.645
but we, we may feel it necessary to extend it.
506
00:26:46.865 --> 00:26:50.845
And that might also depend upon what we are dealing
507
00:26:50.875 --> 00:26:52.285
with the change request,
508
00:26:52.915 --> 00:26:56.845
because as we highlighted earlier, um, we may have
509
00:26:56.845 --> 00:26:59.565
to insert some additional deadlines
510
00:26:59.565 --> 00:27:02.005
to accommodate the ability for parties
511
00:27:02.105 --> 00:27:03.245
to make comment formally
512
00:27:03.705 --> 00:27:05.685
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to the examining authority about the change request.
513
00:27:06.145 --> 00:27:07.565
That's, that's very helpful then.
00:27:07.565 --> 00:27:10.845
Well, I think on that basis, if, if we could also
515
00:27:11.465 --> 00:27:12.845
be given leave absence for the rest
516
00:27:12.845 --> 00:27:14.045
of this hearing, that'd be appreciated.
517
00:27:15.855 --> 00:27:19.325
Thank you. Thank you, Mr. Walker.
518
00:27:20.255 --> 00:27:23.605
Thank you, sir. And I and Angus Walker for DFDS.
519
00:27:23.605 --> 00:27:28.445
And I appreciate you rejigging the, um, agenda so that those
520
00:27:28.545 --> 00:27:31.485
who are not concerned as later items can leave.
00:27:31.955 --> 00:27:34.405
I'll make one or two brief points, if I may. I'm sorry.
522
00:27:34.825 --> 00:27:39.365
Um, in the light of the issue, specific hearing five, um,
523
00:27:42.055 --> 00:27:46.685
first Article 21, which has the annual cap in it, um,
524
00:27:47.025 --> 00:27:48.765
the applicant,
525
00:27:49.205 --> 00:27:50.605
although we probably have to wait to see
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526
00:27:50.605 --> 00:27:52.605
what they say in writing, appeared to concede
527
00:27:52.605 --> 00:27:56.285
that they would accept a daily cap of 1800 RO units.
528
00:27:56.825 --> 00:27:59.365
Um, so that would be where that would go.
529
00:28:01.345 --> 00:28:05.285
Um, then as I mentioned to
530
00:28:05.305 --> 00:28:09.085
before, Northeast Lincolnshire Council, um, Mr.
531
00:28:09.225 --> 00:28:11.525
Limmer left this, this morning, afternoon.
532
00:28:11.825 --> 00:28:16.345
Um, we may, if,
533
00:28:16.445 --> 00:28:19.625
if we consider that junction improvements are necessary,
534
00:28:20.565 --> 00:28:23.585
may request that these are either works in schedule one
00:28:23.605 --> 00:28:26.505
or the subject of a section 2 7 8 agreement
536
00:28:26.525 --> 00:28:27.825
as the local highway authority,
537
00:28:28.445 --> 00:28:29.945
if the ladder is to carry them out.
538
00:28:30.245 --> 00:28:32.265
But there may be more than one authority depending
539
00:28:32.395 --> 00:28:33.665
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540
00:28:35.125 --> 00:28:35.345
Um.
541
00:28:40.555 --> 00:28:45.365
Requirement 10 on, um, insulation, the, uh,
542
00:28:45.365 --> 00:28:49.365
applicant has amended it to allow the
543
00:28:50.485 --> 00:28:52.045
resident to make a counter offer.
544
00:28:52.515 --> 00:28:56.765
However, we still think it doesn't commit
545
00:28:56.765 --> 00:28:59.005
to any particular level of noise protection.
546
00:28:59.005 --> 00:29:01.765
And so would, um, suggest that
547
00:29:01.765 --> 00:29:04.845
that should be amended further to make that the case.
00:29:06.705 --> 00:29:11.645
And finally, as, as Mr for mentioned yesterday or the day
549
00:29:11.645 --> 00:29:15.965
before, um, given the discussion about,
550
00:29:17.425 --> 00:29:20.125
excuse me, simulations of vessels and so on.
551
00:29:21.305 --> 00:29:25.325
And, uh, we would wish to see an additional requirement
552
00:29:26.365 --> 00:29:29.285
limiting the size, the maximum size of vessels to the ones
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where the junctions are.

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553
00:29:29.285 --> 00:29:32.965
that are currently have been, um,
554
00:29:33.105 --> 00:29:37.285
environmentally assessed as their effects of arriving
00:29:37.345 --> 00:29:39.285
and departing from the new facility,
556
00:29:40.675 --> 00:29:43.525
including me in particular, the navigational safety
557
00:29:43.705 --> 00:29:44.765
of them doing so.
558
00:29:46.885 --> 00:29:48.845
I think that is it. Thank you very much.
559
00:29:51.525 --> 00:29:54.035
Thank you. Mr. Walker, anything from the applicant in,
560
00:29:54.135 --> 00:29:56.435
in terms of what Mr. Walker has just said?
561
00:30:02.825 --> 00:30:06.115
Yeah, Uh, James Schwar for the applicant, sir, we,
00:30:06.195 --> 00:30:09.035
I think we can deal with some of these in
563
00:30:09.635 --> 00:30:11.435
response in writing while they take time with them.
564
00:30:11.865 --> 00:30:14.875
Just to be clear, um, in relation to the, the last,
565
00:30:14.875 --> 00:30:17.635
certainly we don't accept that there's a requirement for
566
00:30:17.635 --> 00:30:22.075
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that, both in line with the simulations
567
00:30:22.105 --> 00:30:25.835
that have been done, um, in principle, as you heard from Mr.
00:30:25.885 --> 00:30:29.595
Depar and indeed the principle of
569
00:30:30.565 --> 00:30:32.435
regulation of future vessels
570
00:30:32.435 --> 00:30:35.195
that we've heard about already from the Harbor Master.
571
00:30:35.335 --> 00:30:39.435
But rather than take time and either elaborating
572
00:30:39.535 --> 00:30:41.515
or probably more, more, um,
573
00:30:42.075 --> 00:30:44.835
annoyingly repeating the points at this stage,
574
00:30:45.615 --> 00:30:49.035
I'm sure we can cover those off in, in written responses.
575
00:30:58.195 --> 00:31:00.275
I, I, sorry, just one point on that.
576
00:31:00.335 --> 00:31:04.195
Um, you, you, in relation
577
00:31:04.195 --> 00:31:05.435
to those drawings in relation
578
00:31:05.435 --> 00:31:07.755
to highway junction improvements, I think those are ones
579
00:31:07.755 --> 00:31:10.955
to be provided that, uh, we haven't seen.
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580
00:31:11.015 --> 00:31:14.475
But in any event, I think there was a reference, we, we,
581
00:31:14.475 --> 00:31:17.355
there's a difference of on principle of course, about that,
00:31:17.855 --> 00:31:20.475
but the, in fact, what Mr.
583
00:31:20.665 --> 00:31:23.235
Furr referred to was the potential
584
00:31:23.235 --> 00:31:26.595
for contributions rather than requirements of those works.
585
00:33:05.745 --> 00:33:07.925
We, we, we hear what both of you say.
586
00:33:08.085 --> 00:33:10.045
I think we as, as Mr.
587
00:33:10.095 --> 00:33:12.285
Straw has suggested it's gonna be better to rely on
588
00:33:13.275 --> 00:33:15.085
applicant responding in, in writing.
589
00:33:15.465 --> 00:33:17.245
Um, you'll then subsequently be able to,
590
00:33:18.225 --> 00:33:21.205
um, respond.
591
00:33:21.625 --> 00:33:24.045
Um, I think there is just one point
592
00:33:24.045 --> 00:33:25.045
of clarity in there though.
593
00:33:25.785 --> 00:33:29.605
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The, um, there was discussion yesterday about Article 21
594
00:33:29.665 --> 00:33:33.765
and the 1800 unit cap per day.
00:33:34.315 --> 00:33:37.365
That seemed certainly from what Mr. Tucker was saying
596
00:33:37.665 --> 00:33:38.885
to have been accepted.
597
00:33:41.845 --> 00:33:43.835
James drawn for the applicant. Yes, sir.
598
00:33:51.105 --> 00:33:52.255
Thank you, sir. In that case,
599
00:33:52.525 --> 00:33:54.935
this is like the Farewell Symphony or something that
600
00:33:54.935 --> 00:33:56.415
We will, the Mary Celeste take.
601
00:33:56.445 --> 00:33:59.615
I'll leave us By all means.
00:34:28.405 --> 00:34:31.295
That then takes us hopefully quite quickly back
603
00:34:31.315 --> 00:34:33.055
to the draft Marine license.
604
00:34:33.395 --> 00:34:37.375
And really it's just an update we are looking for in terms
605
00:34:37.375 --> 00:34:40.015
of where the discussions are currently with
606
00:34:41.955 --> 00:34:43.735
marine management organization
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607
00:34:49.785 --> 00:34:51.055
James drawn for the applicant.
608
00:34:51.315 --> 00:34:54.655
So the, I think there is only
00:34:55.355 --> 00:34:59.255
one point still under discussion with the
610
00:35:00.175 --> 00:35:04.495
MMO, apologies 'cause I'm telling you this secondhand
611
00:35:04.515 --> 00:35:06.135
and, um, but that's my understanding
612
00:35:06.795 --> 00:35:10.575
and that is in relation to the
613
00:35:11.655 --> 00:35:14.215
piling, um, potential restrictions,
614
00:35:14.905 --> 00:35:18.695
mitigation the duration of the piling allowed in the months
615
00:35:18.835 --> 00:35:22.055
of June and August to October
616
00:35:23.715 --> 00:35:26.615
in relation to effects on migratory fish.
617
00:35:28.815 --> 00:35:33.315
And so I'm pleased to report that there was a
618
00:35:34.145 --> 00:35:36.915
further meeting on the 7th of November
619
00:35:38.545 --> 00:35:42.565
at which the applicant explained its position,
620
00:35:43.585 --> 00:35:46.285
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uh, in relation to that
621
00:35:49.305 --> 00:35:53.605
and the proposal to address
00:35:54.555 --> 00:35:59.205
MMOs residual, uh, concern about that
623
00:36:01.065 --> 00:36:05.885
and the absence of need for any further
624
00:36:06.525 --> 00:36:09.245
restrictions, the type that were being posited.
625
00:36:10.305 --> 00:36:14.925
And we don't have any formal response
626
00:36:15.065 --> 00:36:16.485
yet from the MMO,
627
00:36:17.505 --> 00:36:20.805
but at least in principle, there seemed to be a
628
00:36:22.595 --> 00:36:26.925
receptive attitude to what was identified
629
00:36:28.785 --> 00:36:33.445
and discussions are ongoing such that we
630
00:36:34.115 --> 00:36:37.325
hope we may be able to resolve that issue.
631
00:36:38.555 --> 00:36:42.965
That one's outstanding issue. Um, soon.
632
00:36:44.425 --> 00:36:47.605
Oh, there's one other one. Yes. What's the other, sorry.
633
00:36:48.635 --> 00:36:51.885
Okay, I've got one, one, there may be, well, I'll let Mr.
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634
00:36:51.885 --> 00:36:53.685
Greenwood say there might be one other issue.
635
00:36:54.785 --> 00:36:56.325
Uh, sorry. So Brian Greenwood
00:36:56.325 --> 00:36:57.445
for Associated British Reports,
637
00:36:57.495 --> 00:36:59.645
there is one other final issue, sir.
638
00:36:59.705 --> 00:37:01.005
Uh, and I should add
639
00:37:01.005 --> 00:37:03.685
that we've had very positive construction discussions
640
00:37:03.685 --> 00:37:07.605
with the MMO and that is the, uh, notice to determination,
641
00:37:07.605 --> 00:37:09.085
which is paragraph 27.
642
00:37:09.625 --> 00:37:13.765
Uh, we have asked the MMO to give, uh, uh,
00:37:14.115 --> 00:37:16.845
give ours, uh, their decision is
644
00:37:16.845 --> 00:37:18.805
to determine if the application as soon
645
00:37:18.805 --> 00:37:22.765
as reasonably practicable and no later than six weeks.
646
00:37:23.385 --> 00:37:26.045
Um, you'll be happy to hear there isn't a provision that
647
00:37:26.045 --> 00:37:30.685
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after six weeks, uh, there's a deemed, uh, uh, acceptance.
648
00:37:31.235 --> 00:37:32.565
They have asked for a longer period.
649
00:37:32.945 --> 00:37:36.125
Uh, that is a subject of discussion ongoing at the moment,
650
00:37:36.465 --> 00:37:39.085
and hopefully we will be able to resolve it.
651
00:37:39.265 --> 00:37:43.085
But at the moment, uh, sir, the MMO, um,
652
00:37:43.155 --> 00:37:44.805
have not accepted the six week period.
653
00:37:46.145 --> 00:37:49.405
Um, I believe they've not accepted the six week period
654
00:37:50.035 --> 00:37:54.405
willingly on many recent, uh, uh, made dcos
655
00:37:54.635 --> 00:37:57.405
That that may, so that Brian Green
00:37:57.405 --> 00:37:59.005
for ABP, that may well be the case.
657
00:37:59.105 --> 00:38:03.565
Uh, but our most recent, uh, experience with the MMO, uh,
658
00:38:03.565 --> 00:38:05.325
we did even agree a shorter period.
659
00:38:05.505 --> 00:38:07.845
So it's inconsistency, it deals with the offices,
660
00:38:08.065 --> 00:38:10.805
but as I say, uh, these are positive negotiations
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661
00:38:10.805 --> 00:38:11.965
and we will come to an answer.
662
00:38:19.855 --> 00:38:21.765
Thank you both, Mr. Straw and Mr. Greenman.
00:38:21.805 --> 00:38:26.405
I think, uh, the update is, is useful for our purposes.
664
00:38:26.405 --> 00:38:30.845
It, it sounds like things are going in the right direction,
665
00:38:30.845 --> 00:38:34.125
at least in terms of drafting of the draft marine license.
666
00:38:42.065 --> 00:38:42.485
You go.
667
00:39:04.165 --> 00:39:07.405
I think that therefore brings us to the end
668
00:39:07.465 --> 00:39:10.405
of the business for this hearing.
669
00:39:16.905 --> 00:39:18.365
Mr. Greenman or Mr. Straw,
670
00:39:21.785 --> 00:39:23.685
Uh, James Straw for the applicant, sir,
671
00:39:23.785 --> 00:39:27.645
you recall yesterday I left over the question of
672
00:39:28.305 --> 00:39:31.205
an update in relation to Natural England,
673
00:39:31.945 --> 00:39:35.165
and I asked you if it would be out of order just
674
00:39:35.165 --> 00:39:36.845
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675
00:39:37.065 --> 00:39:39.445
Is that, is it a convenient moment to do that
676
00:39:39.585 --> 00:39:43.325
or do you want to do it under AOB?
677
00:39:44.055 --> 00:39:45.725
Sorry, I think it is convenient
678
00:39:46.385 --> 00:39:48.485
before we formally close this hearing.
679
00:39:50.145 --> 00:39:54.125
So, so the, I think the,
680
00:39:54.125 --> 00:39:57.805
since the last update we gave to you at, um, ISH three,
681
00:39:58.575 --> 00:40:00.445
we've continued to have constructive
682
00:40:00.445 --> 00:40:01.845
discussions with Natural England.
00:40:04.065 --> 00:40:07.795
Natural England have, have of course reviewed the updated,
684
00:40:08.895 --> 00:40:10.835
um, HRA that we
685
00:40:11.075 --> 00:40:13.955
provided at deadline five, uh,
686
00:40:13.955 --> 00:40:16.435
which incorporated various clarifications
687
00:40:16.705 --> 00:40:19.475
that have been sought both by naturally and yourselves,
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to provide you with that update today.

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688
00:40:20.695 --> 00:40:23.315
and then naturally England provide some further views in
689
00:40:24.635 --> 00:40:26.475
response, uh, at deadline six.
00:40:28.175 --> 00:40:29.915
And we understand almost all
691
00:40:29.915 --> 00:40:32.635
of the issues have been resolved with Natural England
692
00:40:33.375 --> 00:40:35.635
as reflected in the statement common ground
693
00:40:35.695 --> 00:40:39.115
and the latest risk and issues log.
694
00:40:39.735 --> 00:40:43.235
Um, I think one, there are a few residual points, one
695
00:40:43.235 --> 00:40:46.195
of which relates to noise
696
00:40:46.215 --> 00:40:50.115
and visual disturbance during construction on qualifying
697
00:40:50.955 --> 00:40:53.315
SBA straight rams are bird species.
698
00:40:55.215 --> 00:40:59.675
And, uh, in respect of that, the
699
00:41:00.385 --> 00:41:03.795
applicant is experiencing some difficulty
700
00:41:04.375 --> 00:41:07.955
in understanding natural England's position
701
00:41:09.505 --> 00:41:13.715
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because, uh, they have identified 200 meters,
702
00:41:14.625 --> 00:41:18.115
this is the 200 meters versus 300 meters distance.
703
00:41:18.185 --> 00:41:22.675
They have identified 200 meters as an acceptable disturbance
704
00:41:23.795 --> 00:41:26.555
distance for mace construction activities within a
705
00:41:27.185 --> 00:41:30.155
port environment where birds show some habituation
706
00:41:30.295 --> 00:41:31.915
to human activity.
707
00:41:33.425 --> 00:41:36.525
Uh, and of course, the applicants
708
00:41:36.725 --> 00:41:41.565
provided specific evidence about that specific to this port
709
00:41:41.785 --> 00:41:44.485
and based on empirical data,
710
00:41:45.105 --> 00:41:48.685
but notwithstanding that there appears to have been a resort
711
00:41:48.745 --> 00:41:51.125
to a, uh, a 300 meter
712
00:41:52.145 --> 00:41:55.605
or a more precautionary approach than that, um,
713
00:41:56.215 --> 00:41:59.845
where it said there may be effects on birds between the 55
714
00:41:59.865 --> 00:42:04.485
and 70 decibel level, even though we've had previous advice
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715
00:42:04.485 --> 00:42:07.365
that it's the exceedance of a 70 decibel
716
00:42:08.255 --> 00:42:09.525
level L max,
717
00:42:11.395 --> 00:42:14.295
and, uh, a suggestion that, uh,
718
00:42:14.315 --> 00:42:17.815
the noise disturbance zone should be 300 meters.
719
00:42:17.915 --> 00:42:19.655
We, we don't agree with that.
720
00:42:21.315 --> 00:42:22.815
And what's more we
721
00:42:23.015 --> 00:42:26.775
provided the evidence base for, for this specific location
722
00:42:26.955 --> 00:42:29.655
to reflect that previous 200 meters
723
00:42:29.655 --> 00:42:30.935
of distance is acceptable.
724
00:42:31.915 --> 00:42:35.415
And we haven't been given any counter evidence
725
00:42:36.845 --> 00:42:38.735
from Natural England to justify
726
00:42:39.375 --> 00:42:40.695
a more precautionary approach.
727
00:42:42.635 --> 00:42:45.095
So that's where things currently stand,
728
00:42:45.375 --> 00:42:47.215
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although we are continuing to try
729
00:42:47.215 --> 00:42:51.615
and clarify that last main point with natural England
00:42:51.615 --> 00:42:53.895
because of the evidence we provided,
731
00:42:54.995 --> 00:42:56.215
and we'll provide a response
732
00:42:56.215 --> 00:42:57.695
to their deadline six submission
733
00:42:57.995 --> 00:43:01.415
and see if, um, we can progress that sort of residual issue.
734
00:43:02.185 --> 00:43:03.855
There were some other points raised about
735
00:43:04.475 --> 00:43:08.215
air quality impacts on the hatford chase ditches, triples I,
736
00:43:08.955 --> 00:43:10.735
and piling restrictions for lampre.
00:43:11.835 --> 00:43:14.215
Um, and those points are being addressed, uh,
738
00:43:14.235 --> 00:43:16.655
by the applicant and we hope can be resolved with,
739
00:43:16.685 --> 00:43:18.255
with Natural England in any event.
740
00:43:19.875 --> 00:43:23.975
And so finally, there, there is the issue of, um, cumulative
741
00:43:23.975 --> 00:43:25.215
and in combination effects
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742
00:43:26.875 --> 00:43:30.095
and we, uh, you've already
743
00:43:30.805 --> 00:43:35.735
made some observations about that generally in your comments
00:43:35.795 --> 00:43:37.375
and where we're going to address those
745
00:43:37.795 --> 00:43:39.575
as requested, uh, for deadline seven.
746
00:43:50.845 --> 00:43:54.585
So, so that, that's an update generally very positive,
00:43:54.695 --> 00:43:57.505
that one issue where there's a, a difference of view
748
00:43:57.525 --> 00:44:01.265
and we're trying to fathom, um, whether there's a,
749
00:44:01.265 --> 00:44:04.025
whether it's a real difference of view and if so, why?
750
00:44:05.445 --> 00:44:09.185
I'm trying to remember whether in the Reese
00:44:09.295 --> 00:44:11.385
that was issued that matter
752
00:44:11.385 --> 00:44:13.825
of the bird zone was ra. I think he probably
753
00:44:14.165 --> 00:44:14.665
Was. Think it
754
00:44:14.665 --> 00:44:15.665
Is. Yep. Because it
755
00:44:15.665 --> 00:44:16.385
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was picked up
756
00:44:16.385 --> 00:44:17.705
because of the concern
757
00:44:17.705 --> 00:44:20.425
that was still being voiced by Natural England,
758
00:44:21.515 --> 00:44:22.705
James Sha of the applicant.
759
00:44:22.725 --> 00:44:25.665
Yes. That's my recollection of your, uh, question.
760
00:44:26.005 --> 00:44:29.065
And that may serve to, um,
761
00:44:30.265 --> 00:44:32.805
identify whether there is a fundamental issue
762
00:44:32.805 --> 00:44:34.725
or a more, um, more of a,
763
00:44:36.245 --> 00:44:38.565
a less substantive issue, if I can put it in that way.
00:44:38.865 --> 00:44:40.565
Um, in, in what's been said,
765
00:44:42.005 --> 00:44:44.925
I, I can't recall offhand whether that question was
766
00:44:44.945 --> 00:44:48.885
to both yourselves and the app, uh, natural England
767
00:44:49.825 --> 00:44:51.245
or with it was Natural England,
768
00:44:51.305 --> 00:44:55.525
but I think we took a, a general approach for some
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00:44:55.525 --> 00:44:57.485
of the queries raised by both Natural England
770
00:44:57.585 --> 00:44:59.765
and for that matter, MMO, that
771
00:44:59.765 --> 00:45:02.245
where there were outstanding matters at the time
772
00:45:02.245 --> 00:45:04.565
that the Reese was written, um,
773
00:45:04.715 --> 00:45:07.085
that if those outstanding matters, um,
774
00:45:07.795 --> 00:45:10.005
they in effect didn't accept
775
00:45:10.035 --> 00:45:13.845
what was being said in particularly the HRA report update,
776
00:45:14.435 --> 00:45:15.805
then we asked them to try
777
00:45:15.805 --> 00:45:18.885
and provide an explanation as to why they didn't concur.
778
00:45:20.305 --> 00:45:23.445
So that may assist in that process In terms
779
00:45:23.445 --> 00:45:24.805
of letting more clarity,
780
00:45:25.565 --> 00:45:27.605
I I, I'm sure James Strong the applicant.
00:45:27.665 --> 00:45:29.405
I'm sure it will, and I'm grateful for,
782
00:45:29.425 --> 00:45:31.565
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for focusing on that point.
783
00:45:37.695 --> 00:45:38.165
Thank you
784
00:45:49.475 --> 00:45:50.375
Mr. Mr. Strong.
785
00:45:51.035 --> 00:45:53.015
I'm so sorry. It is late end of the day,
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00:45:53.015 --> 00:45:54.055
James Strom for the applicant.
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00:45:54.685 --> 00:45:58.615
Just one matter of procedure, um, concerning the
788
00:45:59.155 --> 00:46:02.935
change request that's coming your way next Wednesday.
789
00:46:03.035 --> 00:46:07.375
The pins guidance, uh,
790
00:46:07.735 --> 00:46:10.975
suggests that the change request should be accompanied
791
00:46:11.515 --> 00:46:15.535
by a track change version of the original
792
00:46:15.595 --> 00:46:17.855
of the DCO and our que
793
00:46:17.915 --> 00:46:21.295
and subject to clarification from the examining authority.
794
00:46:21.795 --> 00:46:24.695
The question we have for you is whether you want
795
00:46:25.535 --> 00:46:30.055
a track change version of the original DCO as submitted
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796
00:46:30.995 --> 00:46:34.455
or a track change version of the DCO, um,
797
00:46:34.795 --> 00:46:37.615
as it currently stands with the amendments.
798
00:46:37.875 --> 00:46:41.775
And that's really to make sure we give you the right, uh,
799
00:46:41.775 --> 00:46:44.055
what's most gonna be most useful to you? I,
800
00:46:44.895 --> 00:46:46.615
I think for everybody,
801
00:46:46.615 --> 00:46:49.855
and that's not just the examining authority, it, it's ips,
802
00:46:50.195 --> 00:46:53.215
it will be the, the most up to date version
803
00:46:53.725 --> 00:46:56.415
because there's been quite a lot of movement, not least some
804
00:46:56.415 --> 00:46:58.935
of the original articles have gone and,
805
00:46:58.935 --> 00:47:00.255
or some of the requirements have gone,
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00:47:01.375 --> 00:47:05.295
albeit the helpfully held, held the vacant numbers so
807
00:47:05.295 --> 00:47:07.735
that the numbering doesn't get too muddled.
808
00:47:08.075 --> 00:47:12.215
So yes, we, we would, um, see
809
00:47:12.285 --> 00:47:14.895
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that it should be the most up-to-date version.
810
00:47:15.195 --> 00:47:16.695
So that's the deadline six version.
00:47:16.835 --> 00:47:18.255
That's very clear. Thank you very much.
812
00:47:21.915 --> 00:47:24.815
Was there anything else from the applicant's side? No.
813
00:47:25.525 --> 00:47:30.205
Okay. Um, as we mentioned earlier, albeit that Ev, ev,
814
00:47:30.265 --> 00:47:31.325
all the other ips
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00:47:31.325 --> 00:47:35.405
and the Harbor Master have now left in terms of the, um,
816
00:47:36.665 --> 00:47:38.525
action points arising from this hearing.
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00:47:38.785 --> 00:47:42.485
If, if you can circulate what you've got to the parties
00:47:42.665 --> 00:47:47.005
as soon as possible, um, hopefully they will respond
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00:47:47.005 --> 00:47:49.045
and we'll have something up by early next week
820
00:47:49.785 --> 00:47:52.525
and be able to get it out, um, as quickly as possible.
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00:47:54.225 --> 00:47:57.965
Um, I presume there's nothing else finally
822
00:47:58.035 --> 00:47:59.685
that the applicant wants to raise with us
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00:47:59.705 --> 00:48:02.805
before I formally close. Uh,
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00:48:03.385 --> 00:48:04.385
No sir. Just
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00:48:04.385 --> 00:48:05.165
to thank you very much.
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00:48:06.155 --> 00:48:10.525
Okay. Um, issue specific hearing six is
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00:48:10.525 --> 00:48:11.845
therefore, um, closed.
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00:48:11.845 --> 00:48:12.485
Thank you very much.
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