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**FAO Mark Wilson (Principal Case Manager)**

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Dear Sirs

**PLANNING ACT 2008 THAMES WATER UTILITIES LIMITED APPLICATION FOR DEVELOPMENT  
CONSENT FOR THE THAMES TIDEWAY TUNNEL**

**1 Purpose of this letter**

1.1.1 The purpose of this letter is to provide written confirmation of details of the expert witnesses who will represent Thames Water Utilities Limited at Noise and Vibration Issue-Specific Hearing on 4 February 2014, as requested in the Examining Authority's agenda dated 27 January 2014.

**2 Expert witnesses**

2.1.1 The agenda for the hearing requests that the applicant provide details of which witnesses will attend and which specific matters each is to address. Richard Greer will be the lead expert witness for agenda items five to ten. If necessary, the following individuals will be available to supplement Richard's evidence:

- a. Doug Sharps - agenda items 5 to 10
- b. Greg Harris - agenda items 5 to 10
- c. John Rhodes - agenda items 7.4 and 10
- d. Stephen Thompson - agenda items 8 and 10
- e. Anne Richards - agenda item 9.

2.1.2 I will also be in attendance and be available to assist the Panel if necessary.

2.1.3 Richard Greer, Stephen Thompson and John Rhodes have already appeared before the examination. Doug Sharps, Greg Harris and Anne Richards have not.

2.1.4 Doug Sharps and Greg Harris are both experts in noise and acoustics. Doug Sharps has a Post Graduate Diploma in Mechanical Engineering and is a Fellow of the Institute of Acoustics. Greg Harris has an MSc in Acoustics and Noise Control and is a Member of the Institute of Acoustics.

- 2.1.5 Anne Richards is an expert in property related matters. She has BSc (Hons) in Estate Management and is a Member of the Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors.
- 2.1.6 We have made the witnesses aware of the duties of an expert witness.
- 2.1.7 I hope you find this information of assistance in the examination of our application. If any queries arise from the above, please do not hesitate to contact me or Ian Fletcher on 020 8792 5568 or [ian.fletcher@thameswater.co.uk](mailto:ian.fletcher@thameswater.co.uk).

Yours faithfully



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**Head of Thames Tideway Tunnel**