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My ref: HW20949/A614/A6097
Your ref: CF.93586.16548
Date: 22 December 2022

Dear Mr Phillips,

The Nottinghamshire County Council (A614/A6097 Junctions Improvement Scheme) (Side Roads) Order 2022 ("SRO")

The Nottinghamshire County Council (A614/A6097) Compulsory Purchase Order 2022 ("CPO")

Your Client: National Grid Electricity Distribution

I write with regards to your letter dated 17 November 2022 outlining the objection raised by your client, National Grid Electricity Distribution ("**NGED**"), in relation to the above-named CPO. Your client's objection has been forwarded to me as the Acquiring Authority's representative by the Department for Transport's National Transport Casework Team.

Nottinghamshire County Council ("**NCC**") is committed to minimising the impact that the delivery of the A614/A6097 Major Road Network Junction Improvements Scheme ("**Scheme**") will have upon affected landowners and wants to work together with NGED to ensure that its statutory rights and duties under the Electricity Act 1989 are protected.

The Council welcomes your willingness to negotiate on this matter. However, I note that you have raised concerns in relation to the following plots listed in Table 2 of the Schedule to the Order:

- 1, 4, 5a, 5c, 7a, 8a, 8b, 9, 10, 12a, 12b, 12c, 12d, 12e, 13a, 13b, 14a, 14c, 15, 16, 17, 21, 22, 25, 28, 29, 37, 38, 39a, 39b, 40a, 42, 47, and 49.

I acknowledge that your client's interests in plots 8a, 8b and 9 relate to a right of way and right of entry for the purpose of erecting and maintaining a substation granted by a Transfer dated 3 December 2001. Your client's interests in all other plots listed above relate to your client's apparatus situated on, in or under the land for the purpose of its undertaking.

The Acquiring Authority has been liaising with Western Power Distribution (WPD) representatives for a significant length of time through New Roads and Street Works Act (NRSWA) 1991 enquiries prior to making the above-named Orders. Our named contact at WPD is Mike Stratton, mstratton@westernpower.co.uk.

Via East Midlands Limited issued C3 enquiries for the junctions on the following dates listed below. Detailed C4 estimates will be requested from 2023.

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- A614/A616/A6075 Roundabout, Ollerton – 8 September 2020;
- A614/Mickledale Lane Junction – 8 September 2020;
- A614/Mansfield Road/ White Post Roundabout – 8 June 2021;
- A614/A6097 Warren Hill Junction – 1 May 2019;
- A6097/A612 Nottingham Road/Southwell Road Roundabout, Lowdham – 25 August 2020;
- A6097/Kirk Hill Junction – 24 August 2020.

The Council proposes entering into an Asset Protection Agreement (“**APA**”) with NGED in order to allay any concerns in relation to our Scheme. We would be grateful if you would provide a draft agreement that we can discuss with the Council. We hope that by entering into an APA we can resolve your client’s concerns in order that their objection can be withdrawn.

If your client would like to formally withdraw their objection to the CPO, please write to the Secretary of State at the following address:

Secretary of State for Transport
National Transport Casework Team
Tyneside House
Skinnerburn Road
Newcastle Business Park
Newcastle Upon Tyne
NE4 7AR

Alternatively, you can email them at nationalcasework@dft.gov.uk and I would ask you to please copy me in at [REDACTED].

If you have any questions with regards to this letter, or would like to discuss any aspect in greater detail, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely

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