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BY EMAIL TO <u>nationalcasework@dft.gov.uk</u> and in copy by post

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

Dear Sir / Madam

THE LINCOLNSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL (A1461 North Hykeham Relief Road) (SIDE ROADS) ORDER 2024 ("SRO")

THE LINCOLNSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL (A1461 North Hykeham Relief Road) COMPULSORY PURCHASE ORDER 2024 ("CPO")

OUR CLIENT: NETWORK RAIL INFRASTRUCTURE LIMITED

ACQUIRING AUTHORITY: LINCOLNSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL ("LCC")

We are instructed by Network Rail Infrastructure Limited (**Network Rail**) in connection with the above CPO and SRO (together the **Orders**).

We hereby confirm that the Acquiring Authority and Network Rail have now agreed satisfactory terms, relating to the rights identified in the CPO Schedule and that Network Rail's required amendments to the Schedule in regard to plots 222, 223 and 224 will be included.

The Acquiring Authority has confirmed to Network Rail that it will be writing to the Planning Inspectorate to confirm the same.

On this basis, we hereby confirm on behalf of Network Rail that it is content for the Planning Inspectorate and the Inspector to treat Network Rail's objection to the CPO and SRO as withdrawn.

Should you have any queries in this regard, please don't hesitate to contact us.

This letter is also copied to the Railways Directorate of the Department for Transport to confirm the withdrawal of the separate objection made under Section 16 and Schedule 3 Part 11 of the Acquisition of Land Act 1981.

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