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In advance of deadline 4 I wish to make the following representation:

In my original written submission I asked the Inspectorate to consider requesting the applicant to use HDD trenchless drilling for crossing certain roads. I subsequently retracted the request.

Following discussions with Norfolk County Council (NCC) Highways I believe my retraction was wrong so I wish to bring this back to the Inspectorate for consideration and support NCC Highways requests for HDD trenchless drilling at certain road crossings.

I have particular concerns regarding the following locations:

The 2 cable route crossings of the B1145, Cawston Road, between Cawston and Reepham. This is the same stretch of road where the Orsted, Hornsea Three cables cross using HDD trenchless drilling therefore I can find no sound reason why the applicant cannot do the same.

Should both Orsted and the applicant receive consent HDD trenchless drilling on both projects would help to mitigate against the cumulative impact in this area.

The applicant's cables cross the B1145 again on Dereham Road just west on Reepham adjacent to Pettywell.

This proposed road crossing is on a sharp bend in the road, the applicant is using HDD trenchless drilling to cross Marriott's Way just south of this location so could extend this to cover the B1145, Dereham Road also.

I fully support NCC Highways desire to see HDD trenchless drilling used for the A1067, Fakenham Road between Bawdeswell and Sparham.

HDD trenchless drilling avoids the need for either partial or full road closures, avoids traffic holdups is a far safer method of working

Separately, I wish to register to attend the accompanied site inspections on either March 25th or 26th depending on the exact routes for each day.

The District Ward I represent is Reepham, therefore I would only wish to attend the accompanied site inspection appropriate to this area rather than the whole cable route.

Councillor Graham Everett - Reepham Ward

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