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Dear Sirs

I am responding to your letter of 17th February 2026 relating to the Rule 8 letter . My interested party ref number is [REDACTED] . Please accept this letter as part of my response...further response is provided by my Agent James Baker of Clarke and Simpson . M y observations are as follows:

There needs to be more meaningful engagement with land owners reflecting your wish, mentioned in a number of your communications,to proceed by agreement.

There needs to be updates relating to white land.

Clarity on alternative alignments which have been considered and potential for Compulsory Acquisition.

Clarity on whether necessary land is realistic as to its extent.

Interaction with other major schemes involving utilities for example where existing cables cross the proposed route and special consideration is required.

Yours faithfully

Peter J Hitchcock

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