

5 September 2018 – By Email and FTP Transfer

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Project Number: ENO70005

Dear Ms Dunne,

Section 46 Planning Act 2008 (as amended) (“the Act”): Duty to notify the Secretary of State of a proposed application

I am writing to provide notification, under section 46(1) of the Act, of the intention of Esso Petroleum Company, Limited (Esso) to begin statutory consultation in accordance with section 42 of the Act for its proposed Southampton to London Pipeline Project, prior to making an application for development consent. Community consultation is being undertaken in accordance with the Statement of Community Consultation (“the SoCC”) prepared by Esso in connection with the project, a digital copy of which is enclosed with this letter. Prior to it being made, Esso consulted with all relevant local authorities about what the SoCC should contain, as required by section 47 of the 2008 Act.

The proposed project involves the construction of an underground aviation fuel pipeline, approximately 90 kilometres in length, from Boorley Green in Hampshire to the West London Terminal storage facility in Hounslow.

The consultation period is due to begin on Thursday 6 September 2018 and will run until Friday 19 October 2018.

The last publication date is on Wednesday 19 September 2018. The period between this date and the close of the consultation provides consultees with more than 28 days to comment on the application following the date when the notice is last published, as required by the Infrastructure Planning (Applications: Prescribed Forms and Procedure) Regulations 2009. We are also advertising in The Times and the London Gazette on 6 September 2018.

I enclose with this correspondence a digital copy of the following documents:

1. The letters sent to section 42 consultees.
2. The text of the combined section 47 and section 48 notice.
3. Consultation leaflet sent to Persons with an Interest in Land (as well as the local community under section 47 of the Act).
4. Response Form sent to Persons with an Interest in Land.

5. Consultation brochure, including the Preliminary Environmental Information – Non-Technical Summary, sent to prescribed consultees and local authorities.
6. Map Book sent to prescribed consultees and local authorities.
7. Preliminary Environmental Information Report and associated plans and figures.
8. Statement of Community Consultation.

Items four to eight above will be available electronically from Thursday 6 September 2018 on Esso's dedicated SLP Project website (<https://www.slpproject.co.uk/>), in hard copy at local information point locations along the preferred route of the proposed project (save for the Preliminary Environmental Information Report), and in hard or soft copy on request.

Should you have any queries regarding the above, please do not hesitate to contact Ian Fletcher at Jacobs (ian.fletcher2@jacobs.com).

Yours sincerely,



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