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Subject: RE: A1 in Northumberland - Morpeth to Ellingham: Upcoming hearings

Dear Mr Harrold,

Thank you for your email setting out the hearing dates relating to the above CPO.

I am writing to advise that I am withdrawing the objection for NPG to this scheme as we have an appropriate costs undertaking from Highways England. However I would like it noted that subsequent negotiations with third party landowners for new equipment resulting from the CPO can become protracted and inevitably leads to delays on the delivery of the scheme all of which are outside of Northern Powergrid control.

I am happy to continue to find a solution for such delays with Highways England and have today written to them in this effect.

Kind regards,

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