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Dear Carol

Planning Act 2008 (as amended)

Proposal by DB Symmetry (Hinckley) Limited (the Applicant) for the Hinckley National Rail Freight Interchange

I am writing regarding your correspondence sent to the Planning Inspectorate (the Inspectorate) dated 7 October 2019 in relation to the above proposal.

The application has not yet been submitted to the Inspectorate, the proposal is currently at the pre-application stage of the planning process, the Applicant is expecting to submit the applications in Q4 2019.

Until the applications are submitted, your first point of contact should be the Applicant. I would therefore encourage you to contact DB Symmetry (Hinckley) Limited directly. It is important that the Applicant is made aware of your comments at the pre-application stage of the process, to enable them to consider these points before finalising their proposals and submitting the applications to the Planning Inspectorate.

If you would like more information about the Planning Act 2008 process, please see "Advice Note Eight: Overview of the nationally significant infrastructure planning process for members of the public and others" which can be found along with other advice notes, here: <https://infrastructure.planninginspectorate.gov.uk/legislation-and-advice/advice-notes/>

I hope you find this information to be helpful.

Yours sincerely,
Liam Fedden
National Infrastructure Case Officer

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