Dear Mr Allfrey,

PLANNING ACT 2008 – APPLICATION FOR THE PROPOSED NORFOLK COUNTY COUNCIL (NORWICH NORTHERN DISTRIBUTOR ROAD (A1067 TO A47(T))) ORDER

I enclose the Department’s letter of today’s date announcing the Secretary of State’s decision in respect of the above application, and a copy of the Examining authority’s Report and Recommendation. I also enclose a copy of the text of the Order in the form in which it was made today.

The Planning Inspectorate is notifying interested parties and consultation bodies of this decision (on behalf of the Secretary of State) as required under the Act, and is making the decision letter, report and Order available on their website. (A link to that will be provided shortly from the ‘Nationally Significant Infrastructure Project’ page on this Department’s website.) Arrangements are also being made for copies of the decision letter and report to be made available for inspection in relevant local authority offices.

Please could you submit to us as soon as possible for certification:

- one complete set of all the documents listed at article 42 of the Order (including those listed in more detail at paragraph 4(1) of Schedule 2) for us to retain; plus
- one set of all the plans and drawings referred to in article 42 and paragraph 4(1) of Schedule 2 to the Order, to enable us to comply with the requirements of section 117(6) of the Act, as regards deposit of documents in Parliament; plus
- sufficient sets of the documents and plans listed in the Explanatory Note at the end of the Order for us to certify as copies and return to you, in order for you to make them available as required, and for any other purposes for which you require certified documents.

To minimise the amount of individual certification required, please bind documents or plans together to the greatest practicable degree.

You will notice that reference to the “Plan showing any Crown Land” has been deleted from paragraph 4(1) of Schedule 2. In consequence of the change in status of trunk road land referred to in paragraph 44 of the decision letter, this plan would have needed amending before certification to remove those plots; but in any case the plan is not referred to
elsewhere in the Order and does not define the development limits so there is no need for a certified copy to accompany the made Order.

Yours sincerely,

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