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Dear Ms Godfrey,

**Public Accounts Committee Evidence Session – Further clarification  
around follow-up information**

At its meeting on 10 September 2020 the Committee considered your letter dated 27 August 2020 in which further information was provided by you in respect of our inquiry into Major Capital Projects.

The Committee have considered it necessary to write to seek further clarity on the following:

- Further clarification on the SPD Casework table; the SPD acronym in full, and dates of each application on the SPD casework table;
- what plans are there to improve the timeline with the statutory consultees that respond to the planning process; and
- details on who is on the Planning Forum and how is it constituted.

In the near future the Committee will be requesting a walk through briefing by the Departmental Officials on the complexities of the planning process, and will be in contact in due course.

Please respond by **Tuesday 22nd September 2020** using the email address above.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "William J. Humphrey". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, looping flourish at the end.

**William Humphrey**  
**Chairperson**  
**Public Accounts Committee**