

Mr Robbie Moore MP  
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Dear Mr Moore

### **Endless Energy: Application for Environmental Permit**

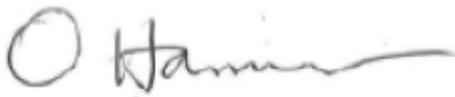
Thank you for your letter of 12 June 2020 making us aware of the Aire Valley Against Incineration (AVAI) group's concerns and their reasons for requesting a further extension to the consultation period. The consultation was initially set to run for six weeks, two weeks longer than our standard consultation timeframe, in recognition of the high degree of local interest and the ongoing restrictions associated with the Covid-19 emergency.

Since I last wrote to you we have been reviewing the information we are making available to the public to assist this consultation on our "minded to" decision to issue the environmental permit. Although we consider that the information currently available is sufficient to enable people to understand how we have reached this decision we have now decided to provide additional detail on our assessment and checking of the applicant's air modelling and noise assessments. We added the additional information yesterday and are extending the consultation period by a further week, the consultation now closing at midnight on 29 July 2020.

Regarding our responses to AVAI's requests for information, our response to their request for correspondence associated with the Schedule 5 notice of 15 January 2020 was unfortunately delayed. Our response of 8 June 2020 provided the applicant's responses to this notice but we omitted to include a copy of the Schedule 5 notice itself. We apologise for this and all requested documents have now been supplied to AVAI. All Schedule 5 notices and the applicant's responses to them are available to view on our consultation pages.

I hope that this is helpful.

Yours sincerely



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**Director – Yorkshire**