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Q1 To which part of the Local Plan does this representation relate? Please state the paragraph or policy or policies map. 2.14

Q2 Do you consider the Local Plan is Legally Compliant? Yes

Q3 Do you consider the Local Plan is Sound? No

Q4 Do you consider the Local Plan complies with the Duty to Cooperate? Yes

Q5 Please provide details of why you consider the Local Plan is not legally compliant or is unsound or fails to comply with the duty to co-operate. Please be as precise as possible. If you wish to support the legal compliance or soundness of the Local Plan or its compliance with the duty to cooperate, please also use this box to set out your comments.

Placing Oxford's unmet housing need near Abingdon on the grounds of accessibility is flawed. The vicinity of Abingdon is not accessible to Oxford because of peak time congestion on the roads into Oxford. The only place that is accessible to Oxford is Didcot because it has a rail link.

Q6. Please set out what modification(s) you consider necessary to make the Local Plan legally compliant or sound, having regard to the matter you have identified at 5 above. (NB Please note that any non-compliance with the duty to cooperate is incapable of modification at examination). You will need to say why this modification will make the Local Plan legally compliant or sound. It will be helpful

if you are able to put forward your suggested revised wording of any policy or text. Please be as precise as possible.

Relocate Oxford's unmet housing need to Didcot. Didcot has a rail link to Oxford, that would at least make it possible for people to commute between the two locations without adding more traffic to the already overloaded roads into and out of Oxford at peak times.

Please note your representation should cover succinctly all the information, evidence and supporting information necessary to support/justify the representation and the suggested modification, as there will not normally be a subsequent opportunity to make further representations based on the original representation at publication stage.

After this stage, further submissions will be only at the request of the Inspector, based on the matters and issues he/she identifies for examination.

Q6 If your representation is seeking a modification, do you consider it necessary to participate at the oral part of the examination? No - I do not wish to participate at the oral examination

Would you like to hear from us in the future? . Please do not contact me again