From: Arthur Cullen

Sent: 23/08/2010 10:02:56

To: Hazel Evans

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Hazel

Updated comments attached.

Arthur Cullen Senior Tree Officer West Berkshire Council

----Original Message-----From: Hazel Evans

Sent: 20 August 2010 14:27

To: Arthur Cullen

Subject: AWE App 10/01695

Further information in reply to your consultation response. I look forward to your further response.

Hazel

INTERNAL CONSULTATION

To: Hazel Evans Date: 20 August 2010

From: Arthur Cullen – Senior Tree Officer

Ext: 2675

Planning Application No: 10/01695/COMIND

Proposal: Replacement hydrodynamics research facility including an operations building

with lightning protection system, a support building, an electrical substation, and associated landscaped areas including a Sustainable Drainage System together with construction related infrastructure including access roads,

construction compound, fencing, gates and ancillary facilities.

Address: AWE Aldermaston, Aldermaston, Reading, Berkshire

Case Officer: Hazel Evans

Comments with Regard to Trees and Landscaping.

The additional information provided clearly shows that the tree related issues at the site will be supervised and carried out in accordance with the information provided, and I therefore don't see the need for the Arb watching brief condition.

I have no objection to the application subject to the following conditions being attached to any proposed consent.

1. Implementation of the approved landscape scheme

ZL2 All landscape works shall be completed in accordance with the submitted plans, schedule of planting and retention, programme of works and other supporting information approved by the Local Planning Authority in report MER-110-011952,(JSL 1664/100 Rev I) Any trees, shrubs or hedges planted in accordance with the approved scheme which are removed, die, or become diseased within five years from completion of this development shall be replaced within the next planting season by trees, shrubs or hedges of a similar size and species to that originally approved.

Reason; To ensure the implementation of a satisfactory scheme of landscaping in accordance with the objectives of policies DP5 and EN1 of the Berkshire Structure Plan 2001 - 2016 and policies OVS2 (a & b) and OVS 3 (b) of the West Berkshire District Local Plan 1991 - 2006.

Tree Protection Scheme (Implementation)

ZL6 Protective fencing shall be implemented and retained intact for the duration of the development in accordance with the tree and landscape protection scheme identified on approved drawing(s) numbered **MER-110-011438 (JSL 1692)**. Within the fenced area(s), there shall be no excavations, storage of materials or machinery, parking of vehicles or fires.

Reason; To ensure the protection of trees identified for retention at the site in accordance with the objectives of policies DP5 and EN1 of the Berkshire Structure Plan 2001 - 2016 and policy OVS2 (b) of the West Berkshire District Local Plan 1991 - 2006.

Arthur Cullen
Senior Tree Officer