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For attention of Mr Osmond

Dear Sirs

**Re: F/25/98808 At POLICE TRAINING CENTRE, ROYAL VICTORIA
COUNTRY PARK, NETLEY ABBEY, SOUTHAMPTON, SO31 4TS**

**Erection of 3.0 metre high steel mesh security fence to site boundaries,
with vehicular entrance gates, and widening of access drive from
Hamble Lane**

In regard to application F/25/98808, having reviewed the information contained within the application pack, there would be no objection to the proposals from a highway perspective.

The widening of the access drive located off of Hamble Lane does not impact upon the highway, and is a simple betterment of the existing access drive that currently serves the site, allowing for two-way traffic along its length.

The proposed vehicular entrance gates to be located on this access drive are approximately 450 metres into the site, and as such there are no concerns in regard to any queues that may form reaching the highway at Hamble Lane.

In terms of the Hound Road access, again plans show a widening of the access road that leads off of this onto the site. Again this is acceptable, and also looks to be of a suitable width to allow for vehicles to turn an exit prior to the site access gates, should they have made an incorrect turn.

It is noted that the access gates that restrict access to the site from this access drive also appear to have been relocated further into site. Given this appears to be a secondary access into the site, again the positioning of these

gates is acceptable, with any queues that may form unlikely to extend back onto the highway at Hound Road.

Updates to the route of the 'Rail Trail' are also outlined, which include an improved crossing at the access drive off of Hound Road, and some lighting along the new perimeter fence. HCC Countryside Services should be consulted on these matters, if they have not been already.

Yours faithfully,

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