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Dear Sir/Madam

## CONSULTATION ON THE MAIN MODIFICATIONS TO THE SOUTH EAST LINCOLNSHIRE LOCAL PLAN

We welcome the opportunity to provide comments on an updated Sustainability Appraisal and Further Main Modifications to the South East Lincolnshire Local Plan which has been produced for public consultation and covers the period 2011-2036. We note that these comments are the result of the Examination in Public of the Local Plan (October 2017- April 2018) and subsequent Main Modifications consultation (July - August 2018).

Highways England has been appointed by the Secretary of State for Transport as strategic highway company under the provisions of the Infrastructure Act 2015 and is the highway authority, traffic authority and street authority for the Strategic Road Network (SRN). It is our role to maintain the safe and efficient operation of the SRN whilst acting as a delivery partner to national economic growth. In relation to the South East Lincolnshire Local Plan, our principal concern is safeguarding the operation of the A1 which routes approximately 10 miles to the west of the Plan area.

We note that there are very limited modifications to the document with none of them having any implications for Highways England. With this said, we have no comments to provide and trust this is useful in the progression of the South East Lincolnshire Local Plan.

Yours sincerely,

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## **OFFICER RESPONSE FORM**

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PFMM REF: n/a

The contents of the representation are noted, and the Joint Committee has no comments.