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FENLAND LOCAL PLAN CORE STRATEGY DEVELOPMENT PLAN DOCUMENT

EXAMINATION

FENLAND DISTRICT COUNCIL STATEMENT

MATTER 15: THE HISTORIC ENVIRONMENT

Fenland District Council Fenland Hall County Road March PE15 8NQ

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Fenland District Council Statement in response to Matter 15: The Historic Environment

ISSUES and QUESTIONS

Q1 – The NPPF refers to the significance of heritage assets? Is the current wording of Policy CS18 consistent with NPPF?

In short, no.

To make the policy wording of CS18 – The Historic Environment consistent with the NPPF minor amendment MPC/6/005, as set out in CD002(a), is proposed. Specifically, this amends the policy wording to refer to the 'significance' of a heritage asset.

English Heritage has confirmed its agreement with this proposed amendment.