

Appendix 1.2: Competency Statement

Company	Specialism	Statement of Competence
Harris Lamb Property Consultancy 	Planning Ecology	Planning Consultants with extensive experience of planning applications and site promotion, including the preparation of Planning Statements and chapters for Environmental Statements. The Chapter was prepared by Sam Silcocks BSc (Hons) MA MRTPI, Planning Director, who has 18 years' experience as a planning officer/consultant working on a range of complex planning applications, including large employment and commercial schemes. The Ecology data was gathered by Susan Sweetman, Josh Randhawa.
Envance 	Planning/Environmental Impact Assessment Coordination and ES Production Ecology Socio-economics	The EIA coordination and ES production was undertaken by Dr Holly Smith and Jonathon Cook of Envance. Holly has 14 year's professional consultancy experience of producing EIAs for a range of similar schemes under the EIA Quality Mark. Jonathon has 6 years of experience on state significant infrastructure EIA projects as well as scheme similar to Project Excellence The Ecology Chapter was undertaken by Stuart Robinson MCIEEM and Dr Holly Smith MCIEEM with over 12 and 18 years' professional consultancy experience respectively in undertaking ECIAs for a wide range of schemes within the UK. Baseline ecological data was gathered by Harris Lamb Property Consultancy by Susan Sweetman and Josh Randhawa members of CIEEM and a wealth of experience carrying out surveys to inform ECIAs for similar projects across the UK. The Socio-Economic Chapter was undertaken by Fraser Allan. Fraser has 4 years of consultancy experience undertaking Health Impact Assessments and Socio-Economic reports.
DTA Transportation 	Traffic and Transport	Transport Consultants with extensive experience in undertaking Transport Assessments, Transport Statements, transport modelling, Environmental Impact Assessments and input into air quality and noise assessments for residential, commercial, and retail schemes.
Air and Acoustics Ltd	Air Quality	The lead author for this chapter is Matthew Park, a Senior Air Quality Consultant at AAC and Associate Member of the Institute of Environmental Sciences (IES) and Institute of Air Quality Management (IAQM) with ~3 years in the private sector undertaking air quality and odour assessments. The reviewer and authoriser for this chapter is Simon Grubb, a Director at AAC and

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		full Member of the IES and IAQM, with ~17 years in the private sector undertaking air quality, odour and noise assessments.
Hepworth Acoustics 	Noise and Vibration	The Noise and Vibration Chapter has been prepared by Hepworth Acoustic Ltd, an independent acoustics consultancy that is a member of the Association of Noise Consultants. The Chapter was prepared by Graham Bowland BSc (Hons) MIOA, Technical Director, who has over 25 years' experience in assessment of environmental noise.
Blade 	LVIA and Landscape Design	The Landscape and Visual ES Chapter has been prepared by James Bullock. His qualifications include a Degree in Landscape Architecture, a Post Graduate Diploma in Landscape Architecture, and educated to a Chartered level. He is a Director of Blade Landscape Architects Limited ('BLA') which is a Registered Practice of the Landscape Institute, providing independent advice to public and private sector clients in the fields of Landscape Architecture. He has nearly 30 years' experience in multi-disciplinary environmental consultancy, during which he has specialised in the assessment of a very wide range of development proposals, including development in sensitive landscape settings.
Cura-Terrae 	Historic Environment	The Cultural Heritage chapter has been prepared by Alex Cassels, Principal Heritage Consultant at Cura Terrae. Alex holds a PhD in archaeology and is a member of the Chartered Institute of Archaeologists. He has worked in the industry for over 10 years, spending the last eight in consultancy producing Statements of Significance, Impact Statements and Environmental Impact Assessments.
TierUK	Ground Conditions & Water Environment	The Water Environment ES Chapter was written by Keelan Serjeant BSc (Hons), MSc, MCIWEM who has over 20 years of experience in hydrology, flood risk and the planning process. He is a member of the British Hydrological Society and a Member of the Chartered Institute of Water and Environmental Management (CIWEM). He has written more than 1,000 Flood Risk Assessments (FRAs) and Environmental Statements and has taken training courses in the Flood Estimation Handbook (FEH), Urban Hydrology, SuDS,

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		FRAs water quality and planning. He has successfully delivered both site and strategic assessments for a range of private and public sector clients nationwide including developers, planning consultants, architects, private individuals, local planning authorities and the Environment Agency.
CVs of key staff can be made upon request.		

