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**From:** Reynolds, Steve  
**Sent:** 04 May 2007 14:04  
**To:** Geoff Gilbert  
**Cc:** Tom Hickman - TSS; Matthew Crosse; Chandler, Jason  
**Subject:** RE: SDS V14 Dates versus V13

Geoff

I have now reviewed the main linkages with version 14 of the SDS programme and have asked the team to review the fine detail of the additional information you have made available. If I could ask you to bear with me until Tuesday lunchtime I will be able to provide you with a one-off complete response which I hope will meet your needs.

For the record, one of my key concerns remains the lack of serious involvement with the CEC to this point in the reprioritisation of the Master Programme. Whilst I appreciate that is for very good reason I would like to have the opportunity to look CEC in the eye to at least share the strategy behind the modified programme prior to formal sign-off of this vital document.

Steve

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Steve

Enclosed is the schedule of design deliverables to support the Procurement Programme. As discussed could you confirm agreement to the items and dates for delivery to tie. We will forward the updated MS Project master schedule in the morning. On receipt please review and advise by Friday the issues the resolution of which is critical to maintaining the dates and advising the dates by which these issues must be resolved.

Tom – Please could you Email the MS programme to Steve in the morning and also provide hard copy direct.

Regards

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Carla,  
after reviewing V14 submission there would seem to have been some movement in the dates we are using for the Programme Re-prioritisation therefore can you provide a commentry on the specific reasons for the movement and confirm they are being dealt with in the "Critical Issues" meetings.  
Geoff, had a meeting with the tie chairman yesterday to sign-off on the programme which was built using the V13 dates we had been discussing in the programme meetings and we are reviewing it again with him on Tuesday 1st May.

**Issue to tie Dates** - all issue dates are earlier or same as those previously discussed with exception of Section 1 which has slipped on 1 day - No commentry required.

**Issue to CEC Dates**

Section 1 - was 10/10/7 now 26/10/7 - 16 day slippage?  
Section 2 - was 23/8/7 now 24/8/7 - OK  
Section 3 - was 21/8/7 now 30/8/7 - 9 day slippage?  
Section 5 - was 24/12/7 still 24/12/7 - OK  
Section 6 - was 12/11/7 now 19/11/7 - 7 day slippage?  
Section 7 - was 4/9/7 now 28/9/7 - 24 day slippage?

**Issue for Construction Dates**

Section 1 - was 12/12/7 now 14/1/8 - 31day slippage?  
Section 2 - was 1/11/7 now 2/11/7 - OK  
Section 3 - was 31/10/7 now 8/11/7 - 9 day slippage?  
Section 5 - was 10/3/8 still 10/3/8 - OK  
Section 6 - was 3/12/7 still 3/12/7 - OK  
Section 7 - was 12/11/7 now 7/12/7 - 25 day slippage?

Regards,

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