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To: david_mackay@ Mandy Haeburn-Little

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From: Donald Anderson [mailto:donald.anderson@ppsgroup.co.uk]

Sent: 21 June 2010 16:40 To: Donald McGougan

Cc: Tom Aitchison; Dave Anderson; Richard Jeffrey; richard.walker@civil.bilfinger.co.uk

Subject: RE: Tram Report - Item 3.5

Donald

I don't think that my clients are looking to have an input into the editorial contents of the reports produced by the council. However, it would be helpful to ensure that reports produced are as accurate and as factual as possible. My clients wish to ensure that you are aware of the facts as they see them. Should you wish to share that information with elected members is of course a matter for you.

My clients had been operating on the basis that this was a council report as opposed to a tie report – if that is not the case, please let us know. Regardless, para 3.5 does not reflect the final figure for matters resolved through the disputes procedures, and Bilfinger will provide an explanation of the facts as they see them in advance of the council meeting.

Best Wishes

Donald Anderson

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From: Donald McGougan [mailto:Donald.McGougan@edinburgh.gov.uk]

Sent: 21 June 2010 15:35 **To:** Donald Anderson

Cc: Tom Aitchison; Dave Anderson; Richard Jeffrey

Subject: RE: Tram Report - Item 3.5

Donald

I am in receipt of the e-mail you sent to Tom who is currently an annual leave. Paragraph 3.5 contrasts the original estimates for the disputed matters with the final resolution through the process and there is, of course, a detailed breakdown of the figures shown in the report.

I would not expect the Council to have any editorial input over the content of reports the consortium members may be submitting to their Boards and I would, therefore, be reluctant to offer such a facility to your clients in relation to reports produced for Council.

Best wishes. Donald.

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From: Donald Anderson [mailto:donald.anderson@ppsgroup.co.uk]

Sent: 18 June 2010 14:26 **To:** Tom Aitchison

Cc: Donald McGougan; Dave Anderson **Subject:** Tram Report - Item 3.5

Tom

Just to let you know that I have calls in to Dave Anderson and Donald McGougan regarding part of the Tram report. As you know, I am representing Bilfinger and Siemens on the Tram project, and the figures contained in item 3.5 are disputed by the contractor. It is their intention to clarify the position in due course.

Hopefully we can get back to the council early next week and clear up the confusion.

Best Wishes

Donald Anderson

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