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Ainslie,

Prior to your meeting this afternoon with the Cabinet Secretary and PU's you should be aware that there is an ongoing situation relating to Scottish Water infrastructure.

Further diversionary works are required on Princes Street but Scottish Water are apparently not willing to allow the use of a pipe joint detail as used under the MUDFA contract because it's previous use was poorly managed and the workmanship shoddy. They say they complained but no action was taken by TIE.

The joints as previously installed are prone to leaking and will require intervention / remedial works – some are under the trackslab .

T&T are advising that there is insufficient space to accommodate the Scottish Water preferred joint arrangement and discussion is ongoing to day.

regards

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