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Your Ref:  
Our Ref: KCC/SCO/TH/0167/2025  
Date: 14 November 2025

Dear Sir/Madam

**REQUEST FOR A SCOPING OPINION UNDER THE TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING (ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT) REGULATIONS 2017 (REGULATION 15)**

**Request for a Scoping Opinion to determine the extent of an Environmental Impact Assessment to accompany a planning application for a waste to hydrogen facility at Land off Manston Road, Margate (REFERENCE NO: KCC/SCO/TH/0167/2025).**

Hydrogen TE (Manston) Ltd has requested the County Council to adopt a scoping opinion under Regulation 15 of the above regulations. I enclose a copy of the relevant documents setting out the proposed contents of the Environmental Assessment.

The purpose of writing to you is for advice on whether, in your opinion, the report and proposed scope of the environmental assessment (which would accompany any planning application) is satisfactory and assesses all the relevant impacts.

The County Council has only a limited time to adopt a scoping opinion so I would be grateful to receive your advice no later than 5 December 2025. If I have not received a response by this date, I will assume you have no comments to make on the scoping report. You will be formally consulted again and asked for your comments in due course if and when an Environmental Statement has been submitted and the planning application has been validated.

If you have any queries with regards to the above, please do not hesitate to contact me

Yours faithfully

Sharon Thompson  
Head of Planning Applications Group

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