## 10 Conclusions and next steps

## **10.1** Consultation on the Regulation 18 (II) SA Report

- 10.1.1 This Regulation 18 (II) SA Report is subject to consultation with statutory consultees, stakeholders and the general public alongside the Draft SLP.
- 10.1.2 This report represents the latest stage of the SA process. The SA process will take on board any comments on this report and use them to inform future SA outputs.
- 10.1.3 Once SMBC have reviewed Regulation 18 Draft Plan consultation comments and have begun preparing the next version of the SLP (Regulation 19 stage), preparation of an Environmental Report will being, also known as a full SA report. The Environmental Report will include all of the legal requirements set out in Schedule 2 of the SEA Regulations.

## **10.2** Responding to the consultation

- 10.2.1 This Regulation 18 (II) SA Report will be published by SMBC for consultation alongside the Draft SLP. Consultation findings will be used to inform subsequent stages of the SA process.
- 10.2.2 All responses on this consultation exercise should be sent to:

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