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Dear [REDACTED] and [REDACTED]

I'm writing to you regarding the Bow East Goods Yard and the concerns that have been raised about the current use of the site. We have received complaints about both the number and nature of lorry movements and uncontrolled dust emissions which emanate from the site and the impact this is having on amenity and air quality. We understand the very real concerns that local people and our partners on the Queen Elizabeth Olympic Park (QEOP) have about current operations at the site and the impact it is having on the local area.

As freeholder and lessee of the site in question I am writing to inform you that the Legacy Corporation share the concerns that have been raised with us about the current operation of the site and the negative impact this is having on QEOP. Whilst I acknowledge that as the local planning authority we cannot enforce against the operations at the site as they are considered to be permitted development in this case, we do expect all parties with an interest in the land to take responsibility and operate the site in a way that does not attract the complaints that we and our local authority partners are currently receiving.

I am enclosing a photograph that we have received that show the size of the aggregate piles and the dust coming from them. I understand that you are in discussions with the businesses which operate at the site about improving the environmental management of these stockpiles, including installing dust suppression measures and I urge you take action on these measures as soon as possible.

I would be grateful if you could confirm when the mitigation measures are due to be in place so that we can inform our QEOP partner organisations.

Your sincerely



Lyn Garner
Chief Executive
London Legacy Development Corporation

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