



Our Ref: 242424

26<sup>th</sup> April 2018

Councillor Samata Khatoon

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Dear Councillor Khatoon,

**PRE APPLICATION CONSULTATION FOR PROPOSED INSTALLATION OF A SMALL CELL SYSTEM AT KINGS CROSS STATION, EUSTON ROAD, LONDON N1C 4AG. (SITE REF 242424), NGR E: 530233, N: 182948.**

Telefónica UK Limited has entered into an agreement with Vodafone Limited pursuant to which the two companies plan to jointly operate and manage a single network grid across the UK. These arrangements will be overseen by Cornerstone Telecommunications Infrastructure Ltd (CTIL) which is a joint venture company owned by Telefónica UK Limited and Vodafone Limited.

This agreement allows both organisations to:

- pool their basic network infrastructure, while running two, independent, nationwide networks
- maximise opportunities to consolidate the number of base stations
- significantly reduce the environmental impact of network development.

Due to the massive demand that is now placed on base stations due to the use of smart phones and tablets there are certain areas that need enhanced capacity, therefore CTIL are looking at deploying small cells to enhance coverage in these areas.

A proposed scheme has been drawn up for the installation of of 2 small amphenol antennas, 1 No. GPS Module, 1 no. Hercules equipment cabinet, 1 No. electrical meter cabinet and associated development located at King Cross, which we believe is within your ward.

The purpose of this letter is to consult with you and seek your views on our proposal before any planning submission is made. We understand that you are not always able to provide site specific comments, however, CTIL and Telefónica are committed to consultation with communities on our mobile telecommunications proposals and as such would encourage you to respond.

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The following sites were identified but discounted for the following reasons:

Site	Site Name, Address, NGR, Site Type	Reason for not Choosing
1	Mcdonalds, 302-304 Pentonville Road, London N1 9XD 530340 /183003	Site discounted as it would not provide as much coverage to the target area.
2	Mcdonalds Belgrove House, London WC1H 8AA 530275/182913	Site is discounted in favour of the currently nominated option. Mcdonalds next to a site which has to be removed due to redevelopment of the site.
3	345 Grays INN Road, Kings Cross London WC1X 8PX 53051/182951	Site discounted in favour of the chosen option based on its location in the street.
4	23 Euston Road, Kings Cross London NW1 2SB. 530244/182882	Site discounted in favour of the chosen option based on its location in the street.
5	287-297 Pentonville Road, London N1 9NP 530373 /182983	Site discounted in favour of the chosen option based on its location in the street.

The policies in the Development Plan have been taken into account and the planning history of the site has been examined.

All Telefónica installations are designed to be fully compliant with the public exposure guidelines established by the International Commission on Non-Ionizing Radiation Protection (ICNIRP). These guidelines have the support of UK Government, the European Union and they also have the formal backing of the World Health Organisation. A certificate of ICNIRP compliance will be included within the planning submission.

In order to give you time to send your comments or request further information, we commit to allow at least 14 days before a regulation 5 notice is submitted to the Local Planning Authority. This 14 day period starts from the date at the top of this letter.

We would also be grateful if you could please advise of any local stakeholders or groups that might like to make comments.

We look forward to receiving any comments you may have on the proposal.

Yours faithfully



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