

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE
KING'S BENCH DIVISION
IN THE LEEDS DISTRICT REGISTRY
SITTING IN THE SHEFFIELD DISTRICT REGISTRY

CLAIM NO: KB-2025-LDS-000078

Before Mrs Justice Stacey

On 13 June 2025

BETWEEN:-

- (1) SHEFFIELD ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES LIMITED
- (2) VEOLIA ES SHEFFIELD LIMITED
- (3) VEOLIA ES (UK) LIMITED



Claimants

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PERSONS UNKNOWN WHO, IN SUPPORT OF STRIKES ORGANISED BY UNITE THE UNION AND WITHOUT THE CLAIMANTS' CONSENT, ENTER OCCUPY OR REMAIN ON, OR BLOCK OR OBSTRUCT THE ENTERING OR EXITING OF ANY OTHER INDIVIDUAL OR VEHICLE TO OR FROM, THE FOLLOWING SITES:

- (A) LUMLEY STREET DEPOT, LUMLEY STREET, SHEFFIELD, S4 7ZJ (AS SHOWN FOR IDENTIFICATION EDGED RED ON THE ATTACHED PLAN 1)
- (B) LUMLEY STREET WORKSHOP, LUMLEY STREET, SHEFFIELD, S4 7ZJ (AS SHOWN FOR IDENTIFICATION EDGED RED ON THE ATTACHED PLAN 2)
- (C) THE ENERGY RECOVERY FACILITY AT BERNARD ROAD, SHEFFIELD, S4 7YX (AS SHOWN FOR IDENTIFICATION EDGED RED BUT EXCLUDING THE AREA SHADED PURPLE ON THE ATTACHED PLAN 3)
- (D) 93 TINSLEY PARK ROAD, SHEFFIELD, S9 5DL (AS SHOWN FOR IDENTIFICATION EDGED RED ON THE ATTACHED PLAN 4)
- (E) CROWN WORKS, ROTHERHAM ROAD, BEIGHTON, SHEFFIELD, S20 1AH (AS SHOWN FOR IDENTIFICATION EDGED RED ON THE ATTACHED PLAN 5)

Defendants

ORDER

PENAL NOTICE

IF YOU THE WITHIN DEFENDANTS OR PERSONS UNKNOWN OR ANY OF YOU DISOBEY THIS ORDER OR INSTRUCT OR ENCOURAGE OTHERS TO BREACH

THIS ORDER YOU MAY BE HELD TO BE IN CONTEMPT OF COURT AND MAY BE IMPRISONED, FINED OR HAVE YOUR ASSETS SEIZED.

ANY OTHER PERSON WHO KNOWS OF THIS ORDER AND DOES ANYTHING WHICH HELPS OR PERMITS THE DEFENDANTS OR PERSONS UNKNOWN TO BREACH THE TERMS OF THIS ORDER MAY ALSO BE HELD IN CONTEMPT OF COURT AND MAY BE IMPRISONED, FINED OR HAVE THEIR ASSETS SEIZED.

IMPORTANT NOTICE TO THE DEFENDANTS AND PERSONS UNKNOWN

This Order prohibits you from doing the acts set out in this Order. You should read it very carefully. You are advised to consult a solicitor as soon as possible. You have the right to ask the Court to vary or discharge this Order.

UPON the Claimants' claim by Claim Form, dated 4 June 2025

AND UPON the Claimants' application for an injunction, dated 4 June 2025

AND in light of the guidance provided by the Supreme Court in *Wolverhampton CC v London Gypsies & Travellers* [2024] 2 WLR 45

AND UPON the Claimants notifying Persons Unknown of the Claim Form, Application Notice and evidence in support by carrying out each of the following steps: (a) uploading copies onto the following website: <https://www.sheffield.veolia.co.uk/>; (b) Sending an email to sharon.graham@unitetheunion.org, onay.kasab@unitetheunion.org, stephen.pinder@unitetheunion.org, clare.keogh@unitetheunion.org and shane.sweeting@unitetheunion.org stating that a claim has been brought and an application made, and that the documents can be found at the website referred to above; and, (c) affixing a notice at those locations marked with an "x" on Plans 1-5 setting out where these documents can be found and obtained in hard copy.

AND UPON hearing Counsel for the Claimants regarding the application for an injunction and reading the supporting evidence

AND UPON the Claimants giving and the Court accepting the undertakings set out in Schedule 2 to this Order

AND UPON the "Land" being defined as comprising the following sites, as shown for identification edged red on the attached Plans 1-5 in Schedule 1:

- a. Lumley Street Depot, Lumley Street, Sheffield, S4 7ZJ ("Site A")
- b. Lumley Street Workshop, Lumley Street, Sheffield, S4 7ZJ ("Site B")
- c. The Energy Recovery Facility at Bernard Road, Sheffield, S4 7YX but excluding that area of land shaded purple on Plan 3 ("Site C")
- d. 93 Tinsley Park Road, Sheffield, S9 5DL ("Site D")
- e. Crown Works, Rotherham Road, Beighton, Sheffield, S20 1AH ("Site E")

AND UPON the reasons for the granting of this Order to follow

AND UPON Thompsons Solicitors, acting for UNITE the Union, indicating email addresses to provide any further documents in this claim by way of notification

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

INJUNCTION

1. Until 13 December 2025 or final determination of the claim or further order in the meantime, whichever shall be the earlier, the Defendants must not, without the consent of the Claimants, enter, occupy or remain upon the Land.
2. Until 13 December 2025 or final determination of the claim or further order in the meantime, whichever shall be the earlier, the Defendants must not, without the consent of the Claimants, block or obstruct the exiting or entering of any other individual or vehicle to or from the Land.
3. In respect of paragraphs 1 and 2, the Defendants must not: (a) do it himself/herself/themselves or in any other way; (b) do it by means of another person acting on his/her/their behalf, or acting on his/her/their instructions.
4. For the avoidance of doubt, this injunction does not prohibit peacefully obtaining or communicating information, or peacefully persuading any person to work or abstain from working.

VARIATION

5. Anyone served with or notified of this Order may apply to the Court at any time to vary or discharge this Order or so much of it as affects that person but they must first give the Claimants' solicitors 72 hours' notice of such application. If any evidence is to be relied upon in support of the application the substance of it must be communicated in writing to the Claimants' solicitors at least 48 hours in advance of any hearing.
6. Any person applying to vary or discharge this Order must provide their full name, address and address for service.
7. The Claimants have liberty to apply to vary this Order.

SERVICE AND NOTIFICATION

8. Service of the Claim Form, the Application for interim injunction and this Order is dispensed with, pursuant to CPR 6.16, 6.28 and 81.4(2)(c).
9. The Order shall be notified to Persons Unknown by the Claimants carrying out each of the following steps:
 - a. Uploading a copy of the Order onto the following website:
<https://www.sheffield.veolia.co.uk/>.
 - b. Sending an email to neiltodd@Thompsons.law and neil.gillam@unitetheunion.org attaching a copy of this Order.
 - c. Affixing a copy of the Order in A4 size at those locations marked with an "x" on Plans 1-5. Monitoring that the Order remains affixed and legible is to be carried out by the Claimants in the first week of each month.
 - d. Affixing warning notices of A2 size at those locations marked with an "x" on Plans 1-5. Monitoring that the warning notices remain affixed and

legible is to be carried out by the Claimants in the first week of each month.

10. Notification to Persons Unknown of any further applications shall be effected by the Claimants carrying out each of the following steps:
 - a. Uploading a copy of the application onto the following website:
<https://www.sheffield.veolia.co.uk/>.
 - b. Sending an email to neiltodd@Thompsons.law stating that an application has been made and providing those application documents.
 - c. Affixing a notice at those locations marked with an "x" on Plans 1-5 stating that the application has been made and where it can be accessed online.
11. Notification of any further documents to Persons Unknown may be effected by carrying out the steps set out in paragraph 10(a)-(b) only.
12. In respect of paragraphs 9 to 11 above, effective notification will be deemed to have taken place on the date on which all of the relevant steps (except for the monitoring requirements in paragraph 9) have been carried out.
13. Permission is granted to file an Amended Claim Form and Amended Particulars of Claim amending the description of the Defendants to the following:

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UNITE THE UNION AND WITHOUT THE CLAIMANTS' CONSENT,
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ENTERING OR EXITING OF ANY OTHER INDIVIDUAL OR VEHICLE TO
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FURTHER DIRECTIONS

14. Permission is granted to the Claimant to adduce the First Witness Statement of Robert Allen, dated 12 June 2025 ("Allen 1"), and the Second Witness Statement of Robert Allen, dated 13 June 2025 ("Allen 2").
15. The claim be transferred to the Sheffield District Registry.
16. Liberty to apply.
17. Costs are reserved.

COMMUNICATIONS WITH THE CLAIMANTS

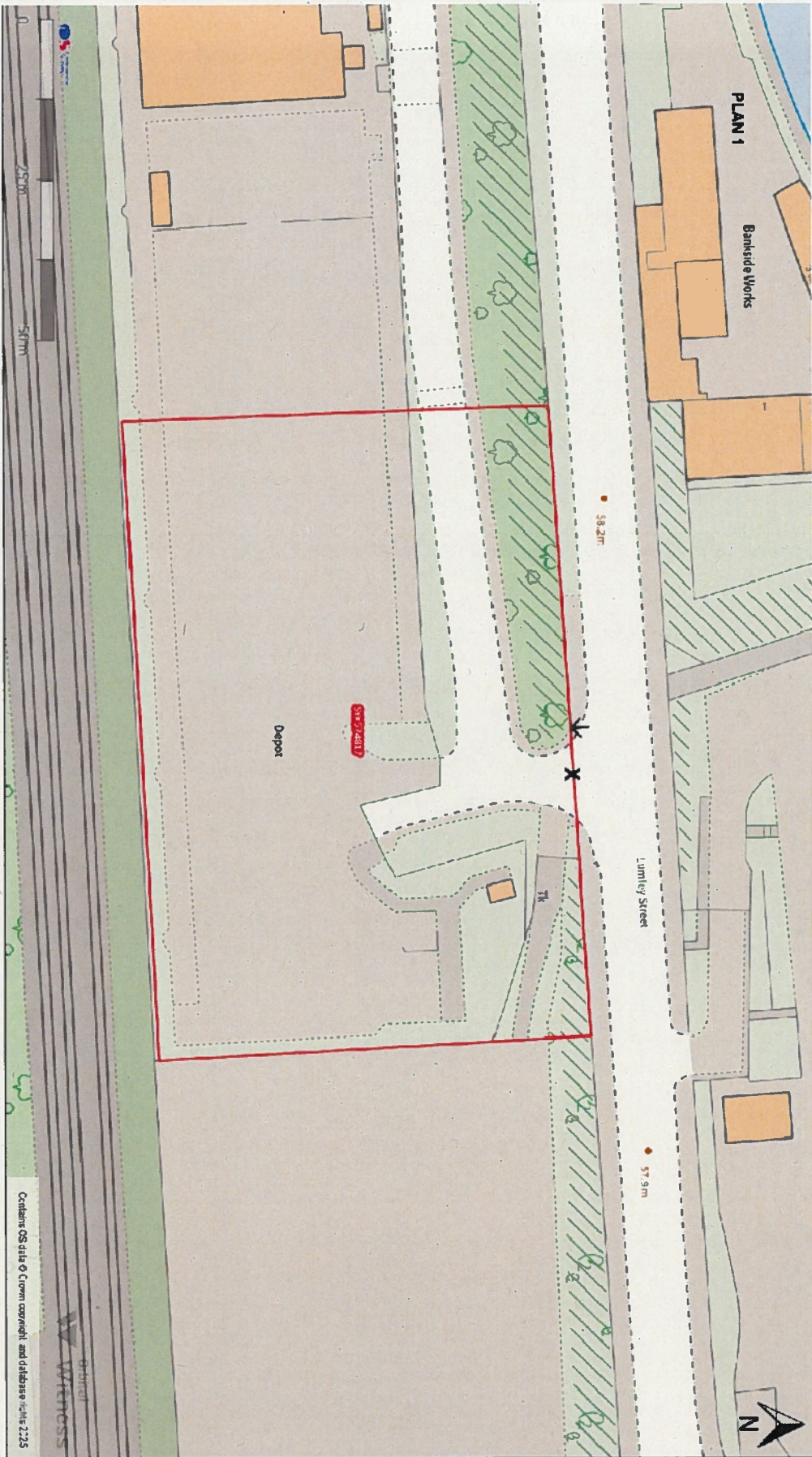
18. The Claimants' solicitors and their contact details are:

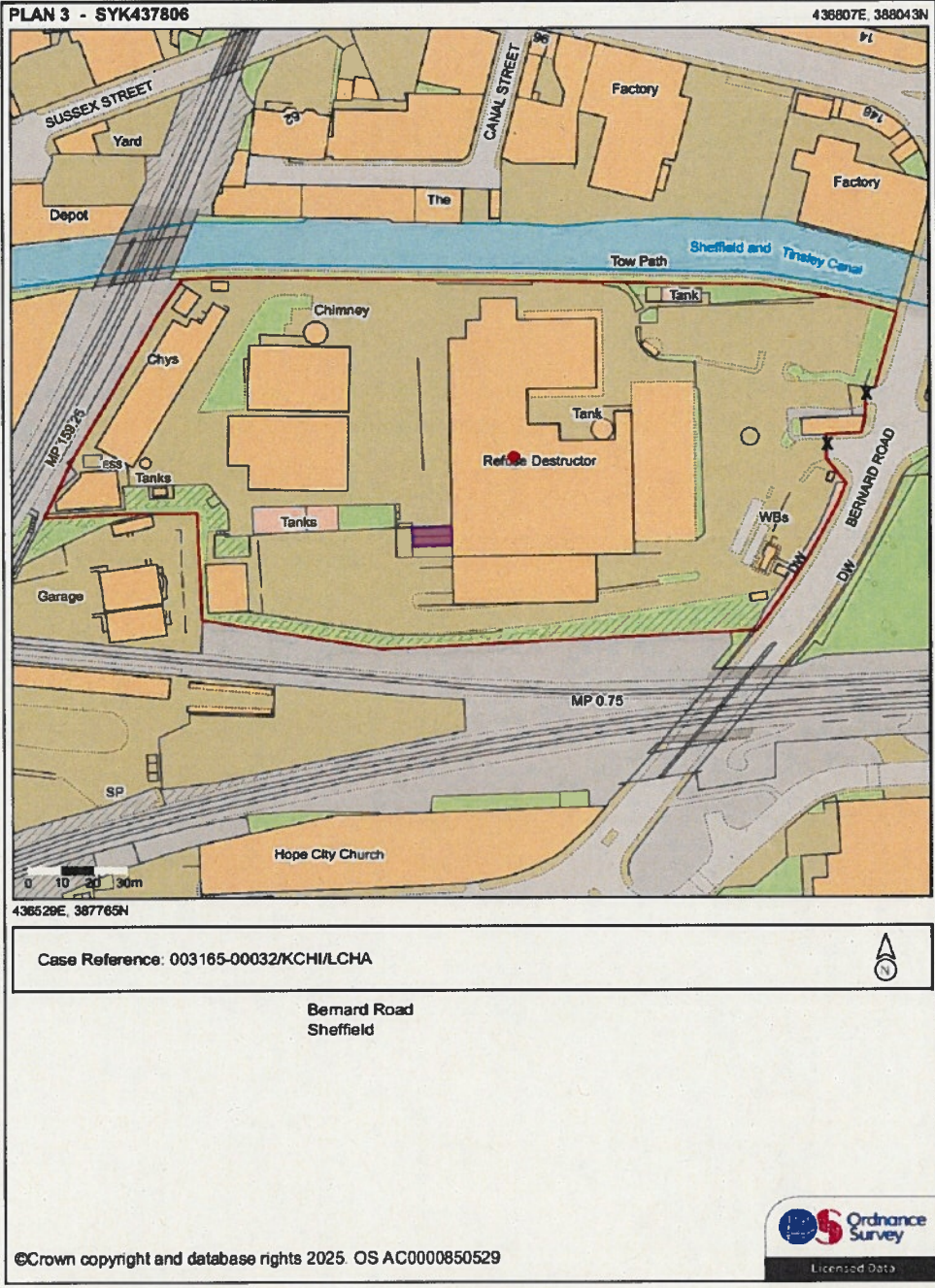
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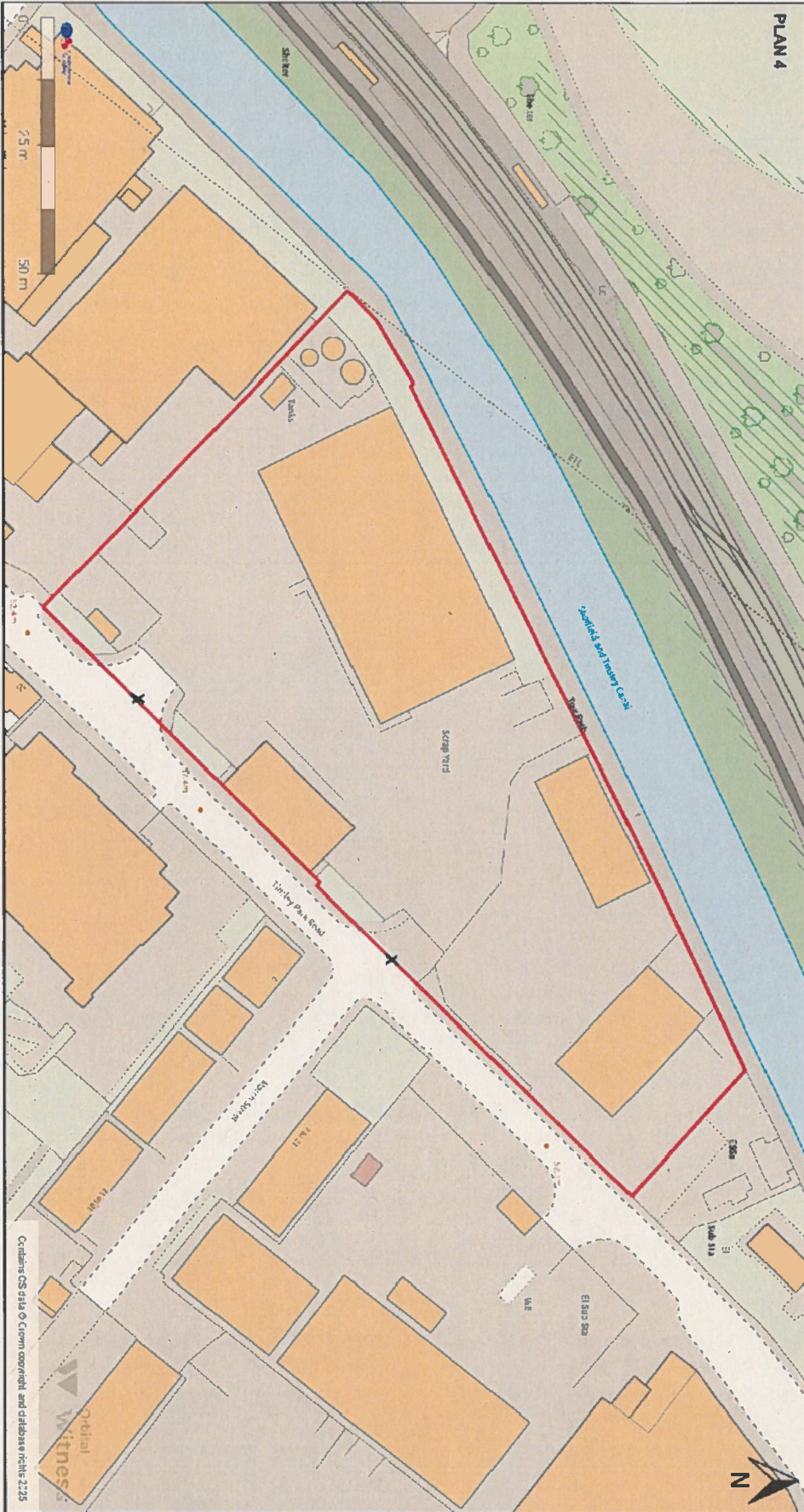
Dated: 13 June 2025

SCHEDULE 1 - PLANS





PLAN 4



SCHEDULE 2 - UNDERTAKINGS GIVEN BY THE CLAIMANTS

- (1) The First Claimant will comply with any order for compensation which the Court might make in the event that the Court later finds that the injunction in paragraphs 1-2 of this Order, in respect of Sites A-C, has caused loss to a future Defendant and the Court finds that the future Defendant ought to be compensated for that loss.
- (2) The Third Claimant will comply with any order for compensation which the Court might make in the event that the Court later finds that the injunction in paragraphs 1-2 of this Order, in respect of Sites D-E, has caused loss to a future Defendant and the Court finds that the future Defendant ought to be compensated for that loss.
- (3) The Claimants undertake to upload Allen 1 and Allen 2 by 18:00 on 13 June 2025 to the following website: <https://www.sheffield.veolia.co.uk/>.

