

## DRAFT NEW LONDON PLAN – EXAMINATION IN PUBLIC

### Statement on Matter M67

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London Forum is not a participant in the hearing for Matter 67.

London Forum offers for consideration the points it made in its comments on Policies SI in the original draft NLP, as follows.

1. Policy SI3 should have an additional section E 'The Mayor will work with energy suppliers and stakeholders to address the inadequate electricity supply in the capital and the need for energy centres. Land will be safeguarded for those purposes.
2. Policy SI3 should have in section C as 3) 'Seek the implementation of shared utility ducting systems that will avoid roads being dug up and street trees needing to be removed.'
3. Policy SI5 lacks content for achieving Sustainable Urban Drainage which is essential. There should be additional words on the end of Policy SI5 E 'employing sustainable urban drainage to reduce overloading of the sewer systems and local flooding as in Policy SI13.'
4. In paragraph 9.5.6 replace the word "should" by 'must' for water trunk main renewal.
5. The words "Thames Water is also planning a major sewer tunnel in the Counters Creek catchment of west London." in paragraph 9.5.10 should be moved into paragraph 9.5.14 with an indication of how that new facility will improve Flow Capacity Utilisation percentage for the restriction on additional flows in the borough of Hammersmith and Fulham and surrounding areas. Phasing of new development may be necessary until capacity is improved.
6. It is of concern that, as in paragraph 9.5.11 "London's tributary rivers suffer significant pollution from misconnected sewers. There should be some indication of what will be done to address that problem.