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Subject: **Coronavirus – TEAM 2100 response**

Dear Sir / Madam

Covid – 19 is causing concern across the country for everyone. We would like to let you know about the steps that TEAM2100 have taken during this difficult time and how the situation impacts our work.

Our key priorities are to protect the health, safety and well-being of our employees, supply chain partners and the communities in which we work, as well as ensuring that critical flood defences can continue to protect London and the Thames Estuary.

We have ceased **construction** activity on TEAM 2100 sites across the programme. To ensure that flood defences continue to protect London, we will continue to monitor the condition of our defences, this may include having our staff on the ground, inspecting the flood defence. We will ensure that this site activity will meet safety standards and comply with current government direction. This includes implementing additional hygiene methods and maintaining a 2-metre space between individuals.

We will not leave any communities at an increased risk of flooding during this time.

As you will be aware, this is a rapidly changing situation. The TEAM2100 leadership team is meeting at least once a day to review emerging detail and adjust our response appropriately. We'll continue to follow official advice and let you know if we need to make more changes.

Our absolute priority is, and will remain, keeping our people and communities safe and we are following all the advice and guidance provided by Public Health England and the UK government.

Yours sincerely

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Service Manager