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Dear Jacqui

Unilateral Undertaking - Homebase Tower Road Gisleham Lowestoft Suffolk

Please find enclosed the Section 106 Unilateral Undertaking signed 30 January 2025.

Yours sincerely

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Encl: Unilateral Undertaking Section 106 Agreement

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DATED 30 January

2025

UNILATERAL UNDERTAKING UNDER SECTION 106 OF THE TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 1990 RELATING TO LAND AT THE EXISTING HOMEBASE UNIT, TOWER ROAD, GISLEHAM, LOWESTOFT, SUFFOLK NR33 7NG

# SAINSBURY'S SUPERMARKETS LTD

(as Leaseholder)

in favour of

# EAST SUFFOLK COUNCIL

(as Council)

# SUFFOLK COUNTY COUNCIL

(as County Council)

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# THIS DEED IS MADE ON 30 January

2025

#### BY

(1) Sainsbury's Supermarkets Ltd whose registered office is at 33 Holborn, London ECIN 2HT (company registration number 03261722) ("Leaseholder")

#### FOR THE BENEFIT OF

- (2) East Suffolk Council of East Suffolk House, Riduna Park, Station Road, Melton, Woodbridge, Suffolk, IP12 IRT (the "Council")
- (3) Suffolk Country Council of Endeavour House, 8 Russell Road, lpswich, Suffolk, IPI 2BX (the "County Council")

#### RECITALS

- (A) The Council is the local planning authority for the purposes of the 1990 Act for the area within which the Site is situated and the body by which the provisions of this Undertaking are intended to be enforceable.
- (B) The County Council is a local planning authority for the purposes of the 1990 Act and the highways authority for the area within which the Site is situated and the body by which the provisions of this Undertaking are intended to be enforceable.
- (C) The Leaseholder was assigned a lease of the Site on 13 September 2024 and this is currently pending registration at the Land Registry under title number SK421 260.
- (D) Outline planning permission (reference W16791) was granted on 13 October 1998. This permission was subsequently varied by outline planning permission (reference DC/14/3694/VOC) on 9 February 2015.
- (E) The Leaseholder has made the Planning Application to the Council and the Council considers that it is expedient in the interests of proper planning of its area that the Leaseholder should be required to enter into this Undertaking.
- (F) This Undertaking is given by the Leaseholder in favour of the Council and the County Council.

#### 1. INTERPRETATION

In this Undertaking unless the context indicates otherwise:

- 1.1 Subject to the terms of this Undertaking any reference to the parties or any other legal or natural person shall include his her its or their assigns and successors in title and in the case of any local authority shall also include any successor in function.
- 1.2 Any covenants obligations or other commitments given by more than one party shall be joint and several.
- 1.3 Where the Leaseholder is not a body corporate then neuter words shall include the masculine or feminine gender (as the case may be) and singular words shall include their plural numbers.

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1.4 The headings throughout this Undertaking are for convenience only and shall not be taken into account in the construction and interpretation of this Undertaking.

#### 2. DEFINITIONS

- 2.1 The following definitions apply in this Undertaking:
  - "1990 Act": the Town and Country Planning Act 1990.
  - "Development: the development of the Site authorised by the Planning Permission.
  - "Planning Application": the application for outline planning permission validated by the Council on 2 October 2024 under reference number DC/24/3543/VOC for variation of Condition No. 1 of outline planning permission reference DC/14/3694/VOC to allow the sale of non-food goods by catalogue showroom retailer from up to 185m<sup>2</sup> of the existing sales area.
  - "Planning Permission": the planning permission to be granted by the Council in respect of the Planning Application.
  - "Site": the land at the existing Homebase unit at Tower Road, Gisleham, Lowestoft, Suffolk NR33 7NG as shown edged red on the plan at Schedule 1.

# 3. STATUTORY AUTHORITY AND LEGAL EFFECT

This Undertaking is a deed and is entered into pursuant to section 106 of the 1990 Act, section 111 of the Local Government Act 1972, section 1 of the Localism Act 2011 and any other enabling powers.

# 4. ENFORCEABILITY

The covenants and obligations created by this Undertaking are planning obligations for the purpose of Section 106 of the 1990 Act and are enforceable by the Council and County Council as local planning authorities.

# 5. THIRD PARTIES

In accordance with Sections 1(2) and 2(3)(a) of the Contracts (Rights of Third Parties) Act 1999 no term of this Undertaking shall be enforceable by a third party.

#### 6. SUBSTANTIVE COVENANTS

The Leaseholder for and on behalf of itself and its heirs assigns and successors in title with the intention that this provision shall bind the Site and every part of it into whosoever's hands it may come covenants with the Council and the County Council that it shall on or prior to the date of completion of this Undertaking pay to the County Council the sum of £60,000 as a contribution towards the County Council administering the necessary passenger transport improvements required to facilitate the Development, such improvements may include but are not limited to bus shelter(s), flag(s), pole(s), DDA kerb(s) and real-time passenger transport information.

# 7. RELEASE

7.1 This Undertaking is given on the basis that no person shall be bound by any obligations rights and duties contained in this Undertaking and/or liable for any breach of a covenant and/or obligation contained in this Undertaking after parting with all of its interest in the Site (or in the event of a disposal of part against the part disposed of), but without prejudice to the liability of any such person for any subsisting breach of this Undertaking before parting with such interest.

#### 8. THE COUNCIL'S STATUTORY POSITION

8.1 Nothing herein contained or implied shall limit prejudice or affect the rights duties and obligations of the Council and County Council under all statutes byelaws statutory instruments orders and regulations in the exercise of its function as a local authority.

#### 9. OPERATIVE DATE

9.1 This Undertaking shall become operative on the date of completion of this Undertaking.

#### 10. NO EMCUMBRANCE

10.1 This Undertaking is given on the basis that nothing in this Undertaking shall be construed as affecting prohibiting or limiting any rights to develop any part of the Site in accordance with either a planning permission (other than the Planning Permission) granted after the date of this Undertaking by the Council or on appeal by the Secretary of State.

#### 11. GOVERNING LAW

This Undertaking and any dispute or claim arising out of or in connection with it or its subject matter or formation (including non-contractual disputes or claims) will be governed by and construed in accordance with the law of England and Wales.

This document has been executed as a deed and is delivered and takes effect on the date stated at the beginning of it.

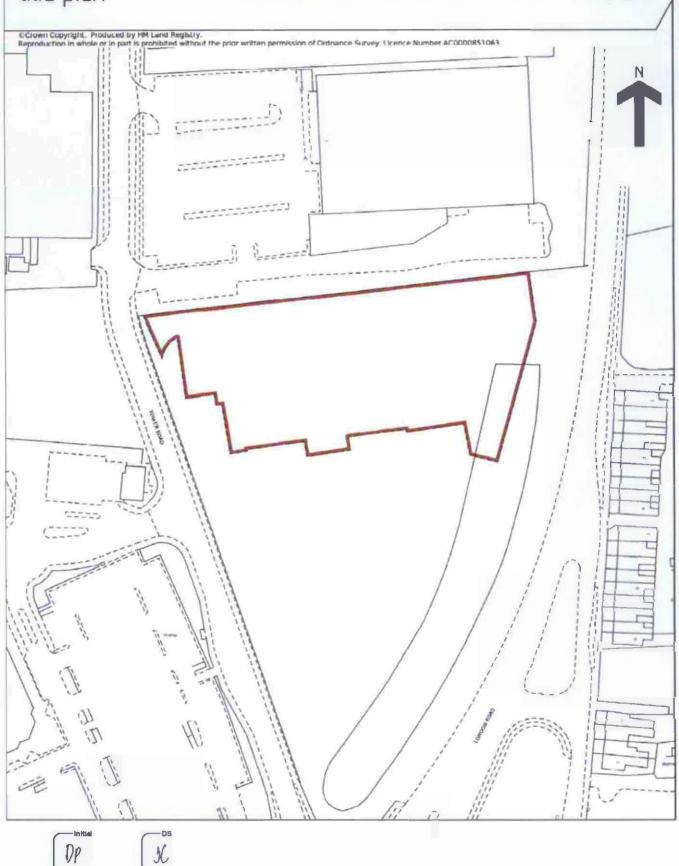
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