15.0 INTER-RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN FACTORS

15.1 Introduction

- 15.1.1 The interaction of all aspects of the proposed development on the individual sections of the EIS must be considered to assess the potential effects that various individual impacts have in aggregate with other potential impacts.
- All sections of the EIS have been discussed individually in the various sections of the document. This section has been prepared to highlight where significant interactions between individual impacts may take place. A matrix of Inter-actions has been prepared to illustrate where the various interactions take place and are presented in Table 15.1.

Table 15.1: Interactions between sections of EIS

	Human Beings	Traffic	Noise	Flora & Fauna	Archaeological	Air	Climate	Landscape	Soils	Water
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Climate						х				
Landscape				х					Х	
Soils				х	×			х		х
Water	х			х				х	Х	

- 15.1.3 The main interactions have been identified as follows:
 - 1. Interaction between human beings, traffic, noise, air, landscape and water
 - 2. Interaction between landscape, soils, water and flora/fauna
 - 3. Interaction between soils and archaeology

Interaction 1

The main environmental interactions of the proposal effect the local human population either directly or indirectly, i.e. human beings are likely to be impacted, usually by significant negative impacts from traffic or noise, or by negative impacts on air quality, water quality or landscape. None of these negative impacts are associated with this development, however.

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Interaction 2

15.1.5 The soil quality and the necessity to strip a certain volume of soil from the site may have impacts on groundwater, surface water and landscaping of the site, as well as potential impacts on flora and fauna. In the case of this development, no such impacts on wildlife are anticipated, as there are no habitats of any significance effected.

Interaction 3

15.1.6 In examining the structures of soils underneath the site, there is a potential of impacts on archaeology and heritage artefacts. Though the likelihood of this occurrence is very low, mitigation measures have been put in place to ensure that this will be addressed during excavations, prior to construction.

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