

**ISLE OF WIGHT COUNCIL - HIGHWAYS PFI**

**ANNEXURE 14 – TECHNICAL APPROVAL AUTHORITY AND INDEPENDENT  
TECHNICAL ADVISOR**

**SCOPE OF DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES**

## **PART 1**

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#### **Technical Approval Authority**

#### **Scope of Duties and Responsibilities**

1. The Service Provider shall appoint, at its costs, the Technical Approval Authority (“TAA”) who shall be responsible for the following:
  - 1.1 The sign off of Category 1, 2 and 3 Assets including:
    - Design, measurement and checking criteria and the appropriate categorisation of independent checking for the following;
    - telecom masts;
    - Speed Camera mountings;
    - Mechanical and Electrical Installations;
    - Bridges;
    - Geotechnical Assets;
    - Temporary Works;
    - CCTV and Lighting Columns;
    - VMS cantilvered.
  - 1.2 The sign off of departures from standards. The Authority will act as its overseeing organisation for the purpose of approving the departures from standards.

## **PART 2**

### **ANNEXURE 14**

#### **Independent Technical Advisor**

1. The Parties shall appoint the Independent Technical Advisor/s, as appropriate for the specialist areas set out in relevant clauses in the Project Agreement.