## INDEPENDENT COMPENSATION PANEL MEETING #213 MINUTES

Purpose:	To determine medical, special cases and compensation claims.
Date and time:	Wednesday 10 August 2022 – 1000hrs to 1130hrs
Location:	Video Conference
Panel Members:	Graham Parry (Chair) Aurelia Richards (Medical) Phil Evans (Noise)
Abbreviations:	'Panel' means the Independent Compensation Panel 'Project' means Tideway 'ICC' means the Independent Complaints Commissioner for the Project 'Non-Stat Policy' means the Non-Statutory Off-site mitigation and compensation policy
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Item 1	Notes for the record
Applicant Reference	The Panel considered the information contained in pack 2350-TDWAY-TTTUN-990-ZZZZ-735559
Relevant Tideway site	King Edward Memorial Park
Decision	AWARDED
Details of the award	The Panel has reviewed the on-going construction activities as reported by the site team.
	Whilst the Panel has not had the opportunity to view any videos of the site activities which the claimant states are occurring at night and disturbing her, the description of the noise activities and when the claimant was awakened has been taken into account. In particular, the Panel notes the nature of the claimant's work and the need to get uninterrupted sleep.
	The Panel has determined to make an award of noise cancelling headphones and makes an offer of an award of QuietOn 3 ear buds, Bose Earbuds or similar to the maximum cost permitted in order to assist with reducing the potential for sleep disturbance.  All awards are subject to Tideway's Guidelines for Implementation of ICP decisions.  https://www.tideway.london/media/4138/guidelines-for-implementation-of-icp-decisions_feb-2020.pdf
Further information required/actions arising	None

Information/action requested from Tideway	None
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Item 2	Notes for the record
Applicant Reference	The Panel considered the information contained in pack 2350-TDWAY-TTTUN-990-ZZZZ-735560
Relevant Tideway site	Chambers Wharf
Decision	AWARDED
Details of the award	The Panel is aware of the circumstances and health aspects of the family members.
	The noise report for the ICP meeting on the 26 <sup>th</sup> of July 2021 was reviewed.
	None of the construction activities would appear to be particularly noisy and the property benefits from the substantial barrier effects provided by the site offices and hence noise levels from the site alone at this property should be relatively low, apart from when abnormal loads are delivered to the site outside of normal working hours.
	Taking into account the circumstances of the family, the Panel has determined on a precautionary basis to make an award of one day respite a week for the claimant and her children. The respite is at the standard rate.
	All awards are subject to Tideway's Guidelines for Implementation of ICP decisions.
	https://www.tideway.london/media/4138/guidelines-for-implementation-of-icp-decisions_feb-2020.pdf
Further information required/actions arising	None
Information/action requested from Tideway	None

Item 3	Notes for the record
Applicant Reference	The Panel considered the information contained in pack 2350-TDWAY-TTTUN-990-ZZZZ-735558
Relevant Tideway site	Chambers Wharf
Decision	AWARDED
	The Panel is aware of the circumstances and health aspects of the family. The Panel notes the proximity of the claimant's property to the site entrance.
Details of the award	The noise report for the ICP meeting on the 26 <sup>th</sup> of July 2021was reviewed.
	None of these works would appear to be particularly noisy and claims from the area are generally low.
	Taking into account the circumstances of the family, the Panel has determined on a precautionary basis to make an award of



	one day respite a week for the claimant and her children. The respite is at the standard rate.
	The Panel would like to receive further information from the claimant in respect of her night shift working arrangements (type of job, frequency of the night shifts and hours) with a view to making an award of noise reducing ear buds to assist sleeping during the day.
	All awards are subject to Tideway's Guidelines for Implementation of ICP decisions.
	https://www.tideway.london/media/4138/guidelines-for-implementation-of-icp-decisions_feb-2020.pdf
Further information required/actions arising	None
Information/action requested from Tideway	None

Item 4	Notes for the record
Applicant Reference	The Panel considered the information contained in emails between the claimant and Tideway between the 2 <sup>nd</sup> and the 9 <sup>th</sup> August 2022.
Relevant Tideway site	Acton Storm Tanks
Decision	DEFERRED
Details of the award	The claimants' situation is well understood by the Panel and the ICP Noise and Medical Specialists visited the area and the claimants flat on the 26 <sup>th</sup> of May 2022. A report was provided of that visit which is on record.
	At the ICP meeting on the 12 <sup>th</sup> of July 2022, an award was made and it is the Panel's view that the previous award should have assisted with ensuring that the claimant's husband was not disturbed by noise from the site and that they were both able to work from home when required. Therefore, the Panel is not minded to alter the previous award unless compelling evidence is made available to change this decision.
	In this respect, the Panel requires from Tideway the most recent Noise Reports for the site, the raw noise monitoring data for the last two months and any updated activities.
	Additionally, the Chair of the Panel had also offered a home visit which would be particularly useful in finalising any decision on this claim before it comes back to the Panel.
	All awards are subject to Tideway's Guidelines for Implementation of ICP decisions.
	https://www.tideway.london/media/4138/guidelines-for-implementation-of-icp-decisions_feb-2020.pdf
Further information required/actions arising	None
Information/action requested from Tideway	None



I confirm that these minutes are an accurate record of the proceedings of the meeting.

Signed Date 5 September 2022

**Graham Parry** *Chair, Independent Compensation Panel* 

