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Will do [REDACTED].

Thanks for the below. Might have to persuade you to move across to a less lucrative position as a PM...

Will cc so you so you know it has gone.

Regards

[REDACTED]

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**From:** [REDACTED]

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As discussed, some structure/talking points ahead of tomorrow's call:

Why is this important? Context?

Asbestos of the manufacturing world – carcinogenic / consequence

Context of the project: [REDACTED] submission – consenting risk and JR risk

PFAS has not been well understood; there's a growing focus on it and the risks it presents

Challenge at Dublin airport – there are clear information gaps: we don't have a clear baseline, or a full data-set; FT report by daa doesn't present the full picture

The result? – we're not sure of the full extent of this as a problem

But it's clear: there is a PFAS problem at this location.

PFAS is going to come out of the ground and tunnel (out of d-walls and box excavation); it could be more difficult to control under TBM

What we're trying to achieve:

- We need to get as much info as possible – boreholes, monitoring – we need to plug the information gaps
- How do we take it out of the ground safely and isolate it? - this ties into mitigation (and the risk of leakage)
- How do we safely dispose of it?

3 key pillars: information, mitigation, disposal

4 immediate steps that need to be prioritised on this workstream as a matter of urgency:

1. The project needs to do monitoring at Dublin airport – TII needs to engage with daa re borehole locations and when this can be done (asap)
2. TII need to meet with daa to get a clearer sense of the problem and how they're managing this
3. The project needs to discuss management of this as a waste product and its disposal (PFAS can't be treated in Ireland – there is no facility here to accept this)
4. JI will review existing mitigation measures, and explain more clearly how these (& any additional mitigations) will manage the problem

We need to have a dedicated working group, focused on this subject, that meets regularly to discuss progress updates.

[REDACTED] I'm in meetings until 5pm – could you email Paolo, Nigel and Aidan about having 15 minutes in tomorrow morning's meeting dedicated to this subject?

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