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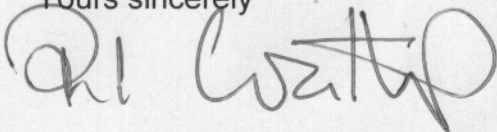
Dear Councillor Gambba-Jones

RE: STEPPING STONE BRIDGE, SPALDING – FLOODING OF TOP DECK

Thank you for your letter addressed to Richard Wills dated the 20 September 2011. Richard has asked if I could respond directly on his behalf.

As you are probably aware Stepping Stone Bridge carries a public right of way over the railway line and is not classed as public highway. Network Rail is responsible for the bridge structure and its maintenance. In order to formally reiterate your concerns I have asked that this matter be highlighted at our next County Highway/Network Rail liaison meeting. In the meantime my officers will raise the matter with their local contact

Yours sincerely



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