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Dear Sir / Madam

Infrastructure Planning (Examination Procedure) Rules 2010 – Rule 8(3)

Application by Tata Steel UK Limited for an Order Granting Development Consent for the Internal Power Generation Enhancement for Port Talbot Steelworks

Notification of procedural decision and change to the examination timetable

I am writing to advise you of variations to the examination timetable as follows:

- Removal of 'date for notification of Compulsory Acquisition Hearing date, Monday 12 January 2015.' This notification will now be given by Monday 19 January (see below).
- Date change – Notification for any accompanied site visit, Open Floor Hearing, Compulsory Acquisition Hearing and any other Specific Hearing brought forward from Tuesday 27 January 2015 to Monday 19 January.
- Deadline 3 – removal of 'Responses to comments on the ExA's first written questions.'
- Deadline 5 – Addition to existing deadline: 'date for notification of any additional hearings.'
- New deadline (deadline 7) – Receipt of comments on responses to ExA's second written questions – Monday 11 May 2015.

The full revised timetable is set out in Annex A.

If you have any further queries, please do not hesitate to contact the case team.

Yours faithfully

Roger Eyre

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Examining Authority

Advice may be given about applying for an order granting development consent or making representations about an application (or a proposed application). This communication does not however constitute legal advice upon which you can rely and you should obtain your own legal advice and professional advice as required.

A record of the advice which is provided will be recorded on the Planning Inspectorate website together with the name of the person or organisation who asked for the advice. The privacy of any other personal information will be protected in accordance with our Information Charter which you should view before sending information to the Planning Inspectorate.

Annex A

Amended timetable for the examination of the application

The ExA is under a duty to complete the examination of the application by the end of the period of 6 months beginning with the day after the close of the Preliminary Meeting.

Item	Matters	Due Dates
1	Preliminary Meeting	Tuesday 9 December 2014
2	Issue by the ExA of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Examination timetable • ExA's first written questions 	As soon as practicable following the Preliminary Meeting
3	<p>Deadline 1 Deadline for the receipt by the ExA of:</p> <p><u>Submissions</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Statements of Common Ground (SoCG) requested by the ExA – see Annex G • Habitat Regulations Assessment (HRA) matrices from the applicant • Local impact reports (LIR) from any local authorities (see s60 of the Planning Act 2008) • Responses to the ExA's first written questions • Comments on relevant representations (RRs) • Summaries of all RRs exceeding 1500 words • Written representations (WRs) by all interested parties • Summaries of all WRs exceeding 1500 words • Comments on any additional representations and submissions received prior to the examination • Submissions from interested parties recommending itinerary items for the accompanied site visit • Any further information requested by the 	Thursday 15 January 2015

	<p>ExA for this deadline</p> <p><u>Notifications</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Notification by interested parties of wish to be heard at an open floor hearing • Notification of wish to be heard at a compulsory acquisition hearing • Notification by interested parties of wish to make oral representations at any issue specific hearing, including those on the draft Development Consent Order (DCO), environmental matters (including Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) and Habitats Regulations Assessment (HRA)) • Notification by interested parties of their intention to attend the accompanied site visit • Notification by statutory parties of wish to be considered as an interested party 	
4	<p>Notification by the ExA of date, time and place for;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Any Accompanied site visit • Open Floor Hearing • Compulsory Acquisition Hearing • Any other issue specific hearing 	<p>Monday 19 January 2015</p>
5	<p>Deadline 2 Deadline for the receipt by the ExA of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Responses to comments on RRs • Comments on LIRs • Responses to comments on any additional representations and submissions received prior to the examination • Comments on responses to the ExA's first written questions • Comments on WRs • Any revised draft DCO from applicant • Any further information requested by the ExA for this deadline 	<p>Thursday 5 February 2015</p>

6	Date for the Issue specific hearing on the draft DCO	Thursday 12 February 2015
7	Deadline 3 Deadline for the receipt by the ExA of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Responses to comments on WRs • Written summary of the oral case put at the draft DCO hearing • Any documents/ information/amendments requested by the ExA 	Tuesday 17 February 2015
8	Date reserved for the <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Accompanied Site Visit • Open Floor Hearing (evening) 	Tuesday 24 February 2015
9	Date reserved for the; <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Compulsory Acquisition hearing • Issue specific hearing on environmental matters (including EIA and HRA) 	Wednesday 25 February 2015
10	Date reserved if required , for the ; <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • continuation of issue specific hearing on environmental matters (including EIA and HRA) 	Thursday 26 February 2015
11	Deadline 4 Deadline for the receipt by the ExA of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Written summaries of oral cases put at any issue specific hearings • Any updated SoCG • Any documents/information/amendments requested by the ExA for this deadline • Applicant's final preferred draft DCO 	Thursday 5 March 2015
12	Deadline 5 Deadline for the receipt by the ExA of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Comments on applicant's final preferred draft DCO • Any further information requested by the ExA for this deadline Notification by the ExA of date, time and place for; <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Any additional hearings 	Thursday 19 March 2015
13	Issue by the ExA of; <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • the Report on Implications for European Sites (RIES) 	Thursday 26 March 2015

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ExA's second written questions, if required 	
14	Dates reserved for any additional hearings	Tuesday 14 to Thursday 16 April 2015
15	<p>Deadline 6 Deadline for receipt of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Comments on REIS • Responses to the ExA's second written questions • Written summaries of oral cases put at the hearings of 14-16 April (if held) • Responses to comments on Applicant's final preferred draft DCO • Any documents/information/amendments requested by the ExA for this deadline 	Thursday 23 April 2015
16	<p>Deadline 7 Deadline for receipt of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Comments on responses to the ExA's second written questions 	Monday 11 May 2015
17	<p>Deadline for close of examination The ExA is under a duty to complete the examination of the application by the end of the period of 6 months beginning with the day after the close of the Preliminary Meeting</p>	Tuesday 9 June 2015