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**Subject:** RE: ISH16 attendance [BCLP-LEGAL.2026502.000310]

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## Dear Caroline,

Further to my e-mail of this morning, I write to confirm that NGET do not intend to appear at the ISH16 given that whilst the DCO includes works for NGET, it is the promoters application and accordingly the promoter has done all assessments and design work in relation to flood risk, drainage, landscape and historic heritage and accordingly the promoter is the party best placed to assist the examination with those issues. In relation to design, the Substation Design Principles Statement covers the National Grid substation and cable sealing end compounds and as National Grid have not yet carried out their detailed design process National Grid are unable to assist the examination further in relation to detail surrounding the National Grid substation and sealing end compounds beyond the information already contained in the application and the approach set out in the Substation Design Principles Statement, which the Promoter can speak to. National Grid are very happy to answer any specific questions relating to them in response to written questions but given the above do not feel that their attendance at the ISH is required or that there is anything further that National Grid can usefully add to the hearing. The promoter has not indicated that they require NGET's support to cover the Agenda for the ISH.

Kind regards

Abigail

