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Statement of Commonality

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Glossary of Acronyms

AEol	Assessment of Adverse Effect on Integrity
AONB	Area of National Beauty
CAA	Civil Aviation Authority
CFWG	Commercial Fisheries Working Group
DCO	Development Consent Order
DML	Deemed Marine Licence
EA	East Anglia
EIA	Environmental Impact Assessment
EPP	Evidence Plan Process
EPP	Evidence Plan Process
ExA	Examining Authority
HRA	Habitats Regulations Asessment
IDB	Internal Drainage Board
IFCA	Inshore Fisheries Conservation Agency
LSE	Likley Significant Effect
MCA	Maritime and Coastguard Agency
MMO	Marine Management Organisation
MoD	Ministry of Defence
NATS	National Air Traffic Serevice
NFFO	National Federation of Fishermen's Organisations
NGV	National Grid ventures
OFTO	Offshore Transmissions Owner
ONR	Office for Nucelar Regulation
PD	Procedural Decision
PRoW	Public Right of Way
RSPB	Royal Society for the Protection of Birds
SASES	Substation Action Save East Suffolk
SoCG	Statement of Common Ground
SPS	Suffolk Preservation Society
TWT	The Wildlife Trusts
UK	United Kingdom
VisNed	National Association of Producer Organisations in Dutch Demersal Fisheries





Glossary of Terminology

Applicants	East Anglia TWO Limited / East Anglia ONE North Limited
East Anglia ONE North project	The proposed project consisting of up to 67 wind turbines, up to four offshore electrical platforms, up to one construction, operation and maintenance platform, inter-array cables, platform link cables, up to one operational meteorological mast, up to two offshore export cables, fibre optic cables, landfall infrastructure, onshore cables and ducts, onshore substation, and National Grid infrastructure.
East Anglia TWO project	The proposed project consisting of up to 75 wind turbines, up to four offshore electrical platforms, up to one construction, operation and maintenance platform, inter-array cables, platform link cables, up to one operational meteorological mast, up to two offshore export cables, fibre optic cables, landfall infrastructure, onshore cables and ducts, onshore substation, and National Grid infrastructure.





1 Introduction

1.1 Project Background

- East Anglia TWO Limited and East Anglia ONE North Limited ('the Applicants')
 are seeking Development Consent Orders (DCO) in relation to the East Anglia
 TWO project and the East Anglia ONE North project ('the Projects'), two offshore
 wind farms in the southern North Sea.
- 2. This document is applicable to both the East Anglia ONE North and East Anglia TWO applications, and therefore is endorsed with the yellow and blue icon used to identify materially identical documentation in accordance with the Examining Authority's procedural decisions on document management of 23rd December 2019. Whilst for completeness of the record this document has been submitted to both Examinations, if it is read for one project submission there is no need to read it again for the other project.
- 3. It should be noted that some Statements of Common Ground (SoCG) are relevant to the East Anglia TWO Project or the East Anglia ONE North project only, however these have been included within this joint document for ease of reference. The SoCG which are relevant to the East Anglia TWO Project only are with:
 - East Anglia ONE Limited
- 4. The SoCG which are relevant to the East Anglia ONE North Project only are with:
 - Interconnector (UK) Limited

1.2 Purpose of the Statement of Commonality

- 5. This document provides the Examining Authority with an overview of the position of each SoCG between the Applicants and the interested parties in relation to the Projects at Deadline 13 (5th July 2021).
- 6. Throughout the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA), the Applicants have coordinated an Evidence Plan Process (EPP) which provided a framework for consultation with the relevant stakeholders. Each SoCG reflects discussions which took place throughout the EPP, pre-application consultation as well as the post-application consultation.





1.3 Structure

- 7. This report is structured as follows:
 - **Section 1** Introduction to this Statement of Commonality this includes **Table 1** providing the list of SoCGs that have been prepared by the Applicants and the respective regulative authority in accordance with the list as requested by the Planning Inspectorate in the Rule 6 letters issued on 21 February and 16 July 2020;
 - Section 2 Summary of commonality of each topic covered this provides an overview of all topics covered and each stakeholder's current position; and
 - **Section 3** Tables of commonality this provides further detail on the aspects of each topic that are covered by the SoCG and each stakeholder's current position.

1.4 Summary of Final Positions

- 8. The SoCGs submitted to the Examinations, up to and including those at Deadline 13, reflect the current positions of the Applicants and the stakeholders.
- 9. **Table 1** provides an overview of the status of each SoCG throughout Examination including those finalised at, and prior to, Deadline 13.

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Table 1 Status of SoCG at Deadline 13

Party	Position at Deadline 0	Position at Deadline 1	Position at Deadline 5	Position at Deadline 6	Position at Deadline 7	Position at Deadline 8	Position at Deadline 9	Position at Deadline 12	Position at Deadline 13
Anglian Water Limited		Discussions ongoing	Discussions ongoing. The Applicants hope to be in a position to submit a draft SoCG soon.	Draft agreed for submission, all matters agreed. Signed, final SoCG to be submitted by Deadline 8.		Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 8			Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 8
Cadent Gas Limited		Discussions ongoing	Discussions ongoing regarding the need for a SoCG.	Cadent Gas ha	ave not requeste	d a SoCG and I	nave withdrawr	their represen	tations.
Civil Aviation Authority (CAA)		All matters agreed. Signed version will be submitted by Deadline 8.				Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 8			Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 8





Party	Position at Deadline 0	Position at Deadline 1	Position at Deadline 5	Position at Deadline 6	Position at Deadline 7	Position at Deadline 8	Position at Deadline 9	Position at Deadline 12	Position at Deadline 13
Commercial Fisheries Working Group (CFWG)		Draft agreed for submission. Discussions ongoing.	Second draft submitted at Deadline 3. All matters agreed. Signed version will be submitted by Deadline 8.			Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 8			Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 8
Diamond Transmission Partners Galloper Limited	Draft agreed for submission. Discussions ongoing.	Signed SoCG submitted at Deadline 1.							Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 1.
East Anglia ONE Limited ¹		Discussions ongoing	Discussions ongoing. The Applicants hope to be in a position to submit a draft SoCG soon.	Discussions ongoing. The Applicants will submit a signed version by Deadline 8.		Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 8			Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 8

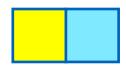
¹ The SoCG with this party is relevant to the East Anglia TWO Project only





Party	Position at Deadline 0	Position at Deadline 1	Position at Deadline 5	Position at Deadline 6	Position at Deadline 7	Position at Deadline 8	Position at Deadline 9	Position at Deadline 12	Position at Deadline 13
East Anglia THREE Limited		All matters agreed. Signed version will be submitted by Deadline 8.	Signed SoCG submitted at Deadline 4.						Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 4
East Suffolk Council (ESC) and Suffolk County Council (SCC)	Draft agreed for submission regarding ground conditions and contamination, air quality, onshore ecology and onshore ornithology. Discussions ongoing.	Draft agreed for submission regarding land use, traffic and transport, socioeconomics, tourism, LVIA, archaeology, SLVIA, noise and vibration, water resources and flood risks, public rights of way, ground conditions and contamination, air quality, onshore	Draft in respect of land use, traffic and transport, socioeconomics, tourism, LVIA, archaeology, SLVIA, noise and vibration, water resources and flood risks, public rights of way, ground conditions and contamination, air quality, onshore	Discussions ongoing. An updated draft SoCG will be submitted at Deadline 7.	Draft agreed for submission in respect of ground conditions and contamination, land use, air quality, human health tourism and socioeconomics. Signed, final SoCG to be submitted by Deadline 8.	An updated version of the SoCG with East Suffolk Council and Suffolk County Council has been submitted at this deadline and the Applicant hopes to submit the signed	Discussions ongoing. A signed SoCG will be submitted at a later deadline.	Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 12	Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 12





Party	Position at Deadline 0	Position at Deadline 1	Position at Deadline 5	Position at Deadline 6	Position at Deadline 7	Position at Deadline 8	Position at Deadline 9	Position at Deadline 12	Position at Deadline 13
		ecology and onshore ornithology. Discussions ongoing.	ecology and onshore ornithology submitted at Deadline 1. Draft in respect of human health submitted at Deadline 3. Discussions ongoing.			version at Deadline 9.			
East Suffolk Internal Drainage Board (IDB)	Draft agreed for submission. Discussions ongoing.	All matters agreed. Signed version will be submitted by Deadline 8.				Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 8			Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 8
Eastern Inshore Fisheries Conservation Agency (IFCA)	Draft agreed for submission. Discussions ongoing.	Draft agreed for submission. Discussions ongoing.	Draft submitted at Deadline 1. Signed version will be			Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 8			Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 8





Party	Position at Deadline 0	Position at Deadline 1	Position at Deadline 5	Position at Deadline 6	Position at Deadline 7	Position at Deadline 8	Position at Deadline 9	Position at Deadline 12	Position at Deadline 13
			submitted by Deadline 8.						
EDF Energy Nuclear Generation Limited (Sizewell B)		Draft agreed for submission. Discussions ongoing.	Discussions ongoing and the Applicants hope to be in a position to submit an updated draft SoCG soon.	Discussions ongoing and the Applicants hope to be in a position to submit a signed SoCG by Deadline 8.		Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 8			Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 8
Environment Agency	Draft agreed for submission. Discussions ongoing.	All matters agreed. Signed version will be submitted by Deadline 8.				SoCG submitted at Deadline 8		Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 12	Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 12
Greater Gabbard OFTO		Signed SoCG submitted at Deadline 1.							Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 1





Party	Position at Deadline 0	Position at Deadline 1	Position at Deadline 5	Position at Deadline 6	Position at Deadline 7	Position at Deadline 8	Position at Deadline 9	Position at Deadline 12	Position at Deadline 13
Highways England		All matters agreed. Signed version will be submitted by Deadline 8.				Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 8			Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 8
Historic England		Draft agreed for submission regarding offshore topics. Discussions ongoing in respect of onshore and offshore topics.	Third draft agreed for submission at Deadline 5 regarding offshore topics. Discussions ongoing in respect of onshore topics and the Applicants hope to be in a position to submit an updated draft SoCG soon.	Discussions ongoing and the Applicants hope to be in a position to submit a signed SoCG by Deadline 8 for both onshore and offshore topics.		Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 8			Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 8





Party	Position at Deadline 0	Position at Deadline 1	Position at Deadline 5	Position at Deadline 6	Position at Deadline 7	Position at Deadline 8	Position at Deadline 9	Position at Deadline 12	Position at Deadline 13
Interconnector (UK) Limited ²		Signed SoCG submitted at Deadline 1.							Final SoCG submitted at Deadline
Magnox Limited (Sizewell A) and the Nuclear Decommission Authority		Discussions ongoing	Discussions ongoing, the Applicants hope to be in a position to submit a draft SoCG soon.	Discussions ongoing. A draft SoCG will be submitted at Deadline 7.	Discussions ongoing and the Applicants hope to be in a position to submit a signed SoCG by Deadline 8.	Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 8			Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 8
Marine Management Organisation (MMO)	Draft agreed for submission. Discussions ongoing.	Draft agreed for submission. Discussions ongoing.	Fourth draft agreed for submission at Deadline 5. Discussions ongoing.	Discussions ongoing and the Applicants hope to be in a position to submit a signed SoCG by Deadline 8.		SoCG submitted at Deadline 8		Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 12	Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 12

² The SoCG with this party is relevant to the East Anglia ONE North Project only





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Maritime and Coastguard Agency (MCA)	Draft agreed for submission. Discussions ongoing.	Discussions ongoing.	Third draft agreed for submission at Deadline 5. All matters agreed (subject to MCA review of the draft DCO submitted at Deadline 5) with the exception of data checks on hydrographic data. Signed version will be submitted by Deadline 8.			Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 8			Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 8
Ministry of Defence (MoD)	Draft agreed for submission. Discussions ongoing.	Draft agreed for submission. Discussions ongoing.	Third draft submitted at Deadline 3. All matters agreed.			Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 8			Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 8





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			Signed version will be submitted by Deadline 8.						
National Federation of Fishermen's Organisations (NFFO) and National Association of Producer Organisations in Dutch Demersal Fisheries (VisNed)		Draft agreed for submission. Discussions ongoing.	Second draft submitted at Deadline 4. Signed version will be submitted by Deadline 8.			Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 8			Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 8
National Grid Electricity System Operator Limited		All matters agreed. Signed version will be submitted by Deadline 8.				Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 8			Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 8





Party	Position at Deadline 0	Position at Deadline 1	Position at Deadline 5	Position at Deadline 6	Position at Deadline 7	Position at Deadline 8	Position at Deadline 9	Position at Deadline 12	Position at Deadline 13
National Grid Electricity Transmission plc		Draft agreed for submission. Discussions ongoing.	Discussions ongoing and the Applicants hope to be in a position to submit an updated draft SoCG soon.	Discussions ongoing and the Applicants hope to be in a position to submit a signed SoCG by Deadline 8.		Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 8			Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 8
National Grid Ventures (NGV)		All matters agreed. Signed version will be submitted by Deadline 8.				Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 8			Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 8
NATS (En Route) plc	Draft agreed for submission. Discussions ongoing.	Draft agreed for submission. Discussions ongoing.	Finalisation of the SoCG is contingent on completing negotiation on a commercial agreement			An updated version of the SoCG with National Air Traffic Services has been submitted	An updated version of the SoCG with National Air Traffic Services has been submitted at this deadline	Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 12	Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 12





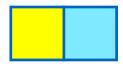
Party	Position at Deadline 0	Position at Deadline 1	Position at Deadline 5	Position at Deadline 6	Position at Deadline 7	Position at Deadline 8	Position at Deadline 9	Position at Deadline 12	Position at Deadline 13
			which is ongoing. A final SoCG will be submitted at Deadline 8.			at this deadline and the Applicant hopes to submit the signed version at Deadline 9 following completion of a commercial agreement which is ongoing	and the Applicant hopes to submit the signed version at a later deadline following completion of a commercial agreement which is ongoing		
Natural England		Draft agreed for submission. Discussions ongoing.	Discussions are ongoing. Natural England issue updates to their Risks and Issues Log at each Deadline.			Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 8			Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 8





Party	Position at Deadline 0	Position at Deadline 1	Position at Deadline 5	Position at Deadline 6	Position at Deadline 7	Position at Deadline 8	Position at Deadline 9	Position at Deadline 12	Position at Deadline 13
			Signed version of the SoCG will be submitted at Deadline 8.						
Network Rail Infrastructure Limited			Discussions ongoing regarding the need for a SoCG.	Network Rail h	ave not requested	d a SoCG and	therefore no So	oCG will be sub	omitted.
NNB Generation Company (SZC) Limited (Sizewell C)		Draft agreed for submission. Discussions ongoing.	Discussions ongoing and the Applicants hope to be in a position to submit an updated draft SoCG soon.	Discussions ongoing and the Applicants hope to be in a position to submit a signed SoCG by Deadline 8.		SoCG submitted at Deadline 8			Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 13
Office for Nuclear Regulation (ONR)		Draft agreed for submission.	Discussions ongoing and the Applicants hope to be in	Discussions ongoing. An updated draft SoCG will be	Discussions ongoing and the Applicants hope to be in	Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 8			Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 8





Party	Position at Deadline 0	Position at Deadline 1	Position at Deadline 5	Position at Deadline 6	Position at Deadline 7	Position at Deadline 8	Position at Deadline 9	Position at Deadline 12	Position at Deadline 13
		Discussions ongoing.	a position to submit an updated draft SoCG soon.	submitted at Deadline 7.	a position to submit a signed SoCG by Deadline 8.				
Rijkswaterstaat	Draft agreed for submission. Discussions ongoing.	All matters agreed. Signed version will be submitted by Deadline 8.				Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 8			Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 8
Royal Society for the Protection of Birds (RSPB)	Draft agreed for submission. Discussions ongoing.	Draft agreed for submission regarding onshore topics. Discussions ongoing in respect of onshore and offshore topics.	Draft submitted at Deadline 3 regarding offshore topics. Discussions ongoing regarding onshore topics and the Applicants hope to be in a position to	Discussions ongoing and the Applicants hope to be in a position to submit a signed SoCG by Deadline 8.		Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 8			Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 8





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			submit an updated draft SoCG soon.						
Substation Action Save East Suffolk (SASES)		Discussions ongoing.	Draft submitted at Deadline 4. Discussions ongoing and the Applicants hope to be in a position to submit an updated draft SoCG soon.	Discussions ongoing and the Applicants hope to be in a position to submit a signed SoCG by Deadline 8.		The Applicant hopes to submit a signed SoCG by Deadline 9, however no SoCG has been submitted at this deadline.	Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 9		Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 9
Suffolk Coasts and Heath AONB Partnership		Draft agreed for submission. Discussions ongoing	Discussions ongoing and the Applicants hope to be in a position to submit an updated draft SoCG soon.	Discussions ongoing and the Applicants hope to be in a position to submit a signed SoCG		Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 8			Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 8





Party	Position at Deadline 0	Position at Deadline 1	Position at Deadline 5	Position at Deadline 6	Position at Deadline 7	Position at Deadline 8	Position at Deadline 9	Position at Deadline 12	Position at Deadline 13
				by Deadline 8.					
Suffolk Preservation Society (SPS)		Draft agreed for submission. Discussions ongoing.	Discussions ongoing and the Applicants hope to be in a position to submit an updated draft SoCG soon.	Draft agreed for submission at Deadline 6. Discussions ongoing.		Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 8			Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 8
Suffolk Wildlife Trust			mail dated 29 th Apot be taking part in			rised that they	were stepping a	away from resp	onding to
Trinity House	Draft agreed for submission. Discussions ongoing.	Discussions ongoing	Third draft agreed for submission at Deadline 5. All matters agreed subject to Trinity House review of the draft DCO submitted at Deadline 5.			Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 8			Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 8





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			Signed version will be submitted by Deadline 8.						
The Wildlife Trusts (TWT)		Draft agreed for submission. Discussions ongoing.	Discussions ongoing and the Applicants hope to be in a position to submit an updated draft SoCG soon.	Discussions ongoing and the Applicants hope to be in a position to submit a signed SoCG by Deadline 8.		Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 8			Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 8
UK Chamber of Shipping		All matters agreed. Signed version will be submitted by Deadline 8.				Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 8			Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 8
Whale and Dolphin Conservation	• •	notes that in an en casework and ther	•		•		ed that they we	ere stepping aw	ay from



2 Summary of Commonality of Each Topic Covered

- 10. This section provides a summary of the topics covered in each of the SoCGs and shows where there is commonality in the topics or matters being discussed with the stakeholders.
- 11. **Table 2** presents the current status on each of the topics discussed between the Applicant and the stakeholder using the following colour code:

All matters agreed.
Some matters agreed. Remaining matters unable to be agreed.
All matters not agreed.
Topic not relevant to the stakeholder or deferred.



Table 2 Summary of C	Commo	nality						1	ı	1	1	1	I	1		1		ı			1					ı	1	1	•					1	
arty	Site Selection	Marine Geology, Oceanography and Physical Processes	Narine Water and Sediment Suality	Benthic Ecology	Fish and Shellfish Ecology	Marine Mammals (EIA)	Marine Mammals (HRA)	Offshore Ornithology (EIA)	Offshore Ornithology (HRA)	Commercial Fisheries	Shipping and Navigation	Civil and Military Aviation and Radar	Infrastructure and Other Users	Marine Archaeology and Cultural Heritage	Ground Conditions and Contamination	Air Quality	Water Resources and Flood Risk	Land Use	Onshore Ecology	Onshore Ornithology (EIA)	Onshore Ornithology (HRA)	Onshore Archaeology (Unknown Heritage Assets)	Onshore Archaeology (Setting of Heritage Assets)	Noise and Vibration (Operation Phase)	Noise and Vibration (Construction Phase)	raffic and Transport	SLVIA	LVIA	Tourism	Socio-economics	Recreation (PRoW)	Human Health	DCO / DML	Nuclear Safety and Security	Ongoing Coordination and
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NFFO and VisNed	Site Selection	Marine Geology, Oceanography and Physical Processes Marine Water and Sediment	Benthic Ecology	Fish and Shellfish Ecology	Marine Mammals (EIA)	Marine Mammals (HRA)	Offshore Ornithology (EIA)	Offshore Ornithology (HRA)	Commercial Fisheries	Shipping and Navigation	Civil and Military Aviation and Radar	Infrastructure and Other Users	Marine Archaeology and Cultural Heritage	Ground Conditions and Contamination	Air Quality	Water Resources and Flood Risk	Land Use	Onshore Ecology	Onshore Ornithology (EIA)	Onshore Ornithology (HRA)	Onshore Archaeology (Unknown Heritage Assets)	Onshore Archaeology (Setting of Heritage Assets)	Noise and Vibration (Operation	Noise and Vibration (Construction Phase)	Traffic and Transport	SLVIA	LVIA	Tourism	Socio-economics	Recreation (PRoW)	Human Health	DCO / DML	Nuclear Safety and Security	Ongoing Coordination and Cooperation
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The Wildlife Trust																																		





3 Tables of Commonality

3.1 Structures of SoCGs

- 12. The SoCGs identify matters on which parties agree and document the position of each party where agreement has not been reached.
- 13. Where applicable, and to ensure consistency in the approach taken to documenting matters agreed, each SoCG follows a standard format which this Statement of Commonality follows. This will provide clarity to other parties and to the Examining Authority.
- 14. Each SoCG with EPP Stakeholders generally covers the following topics:
 - Environmental Impact Assessment;
 - Existing Environment;
 - Assessment Methodology;
 - Assessment Conclusions;
 - Habitats Regulations Assessment (HRA) (where applicable);
 - Screening of Likely Significant Effect (LSE);
 - Assessment of Adverse Effect on Integrity (AEoI);
 - Mitigation and Management
 - Mitigation
 - Monitoring.
 - Wording of Requirement(s) and, or Conditions
 - Other Matters as Required
- 15. Further SoCGs have been prepared with relevant parties based on information in their relevant representations and/or topics raised during consultation.
- 16. The following sections provide further detail on the status of agreements in relation to the above items for each topic using the following colour code:

All matters agreed.
Some matters agreed. Remaining matters unable to be agreed.
All matters not agreed.
Topic not relevant to the stakeholder or deferred.





3.2 Site Selection and Assessment of Alternatives

Topic	Environment Agency	National Grid Electricity Transmission plc	National Grid Electricity System Operator	National Grid Ventures
Development of the Proposed Onshore Development Area				
Landfall Site Selection and Alternatives				
Onshore Cable Corridor				
Onshore Substation and National Grid Substation Location				
Mitigation				
Wording of Requirement(s)				

3.3 Marine Geology, Oceanography and Physical Processes

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Topic	ммо	Natural England	EDF Energy Nuclear Generation Limited (Sizewell B)	NNB Generation Company (SZC) Limited (Sizewell C)
EIA Existing Environment				
EIA Assessment Methodology				
EIA Assessment Conclusions				
Mitigation				
Wording of Requirement(s) and, or Conditions				





3.4 Marine Water and Sediment Quality

Topic	ммо
EIA Existing Environment	
EIA Assessment Methodology	
EIA Assessment Conclusions	
Mitigation	
Wording of Requirement(s) and, or Conditions	

3.5 Benthic Ecology

Topic	Eastern IFCA	ммо	Natural England
EIA Existing Environment			
EIA Assessment Methodology	Eastern IFCA do however defer to Natural England to provide formal advice on the approach to Sabellaria spinulosa and the presence of the species in the project area.		
EIA Assessment Conclusions	All agreed, except for the findings of the Cumulative Impact Assessment, which is not agreed		
Mitigation			
Wording of Requirement(s) and, or Conditions			
Site Characterisation Report			





Topic	Eastern IFCA	ммо	Natural England
Outline OOMP			
IPMP			
Outline <i>Sabellaria</i> Reef Management Plan			

3.6 Fish and Shellfish Ecology

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Topic	Eastern IFCA	ММО	Natural England
EIA Existing Environment			
EIA Assessment Methodology			
EIA Assessment Conclusions			
Mitigation			
Wording of Requirement(s) and, or Conditions			

3.7 Marine Mammals (EIA)

Topic	ммо	Natural England	The Wildlife Trusts
EIA Existing Environment			
EIA Assessment Methodology			
EIA Assessment Conclusions			
Mitigation			
Wording of Requirement(s) and, or Conditions			
Draft MMMP			
In Principle SNS SAC SIP			





3.8 Marine Mammals (Information to Support Appropriate Assessment)

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Topic	Natural England	The Wildlife Trusts
HRA Existing Environment		
HRA Assessment Methodology		
HRA Assessment Conclusions		
Mitigation		
Wording of Requirement(s) and, or Conditions		
Other matters as required		

3.9 Offshore Ornithology (EIA)

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Topic	Natural England	Rijkwaterstaat	RSPB
EIA Existing Environment		n/a outwith RWS remit however agree with two years of survey data being collected.	
EIA Assessment Methodology			
EIA Assessment Conclusions			
Mitigation			
Wording of Requirement(s) and, or Conditions			





3.10 Offshore Ornithology (Information to Support Appropriate Assessment)

Topic	Natural England	RSPB
HRA Existing Environment		
HRA Assessment Methodology		
HRA Assessment Conclusions		
Mitigation		
Wording of Requirement(s) and, or Conditions		

3.11 Commercial Fisheries

Topic	CFWG	Eastern IFCA	ммо	NFFO and ViSNED
EIA Existing Environment				
EIA Assessment Methodology				Not agreed, however, the NFFO and VisNed acknowledge that the Applicants have followed the industry standard methodology.
EIA Assessment Conclusions		All agreed, except for the findings of the Cumulative Impact Assessment, which is not agreed		
Access to fishing grounds				With regard to the assumption that beam trawling can





Topic	CFWG	Eastern IFCA	ммо	NFFO and ViSNED
				resume, the Applicants and NFFO and VisNed are Not Agreed on the basis of the worst case scenario of minimum spacing of wind turbines
CIA Assessment Conclusions				Not agreed, however the NFFO and VisNed acknowledge that the Applicants have followed the current industry standard methodology
Communication				
Mitigation				
Wording of Requirement(s) and, or Conditions				

3.12 Shipping and Navigation

Topic	Chamber of Shipping	MCA	Trinity House
EIA Existing Environment			
EIA Assessment Methodology			
EIA Assessment Conclusions			
Mitigation			
Wording of Requirement(s) and, or Conditions			





Topic	Chamber of Shipping	MCA	Trinity House
Other matters as required			

3.13 Civil and Military Aviation and Radar

Topic	CAA	NATS	MOD
EIA Existing Environment			
EIA Assessment Methodology			
EIA Assessment Conclusions			
Mitigation			
Communication			
Wording of Requirement(s) and, or Conditions			

3.14 Infrastructure and Other Users

Topic	0,5	NNB Generation Company (SZC) Limited (Sizewell C)
Mitigation		

3.15 Marine Archaeology and Cultural Heritage

Topic	Historic England
EIA Existing Environment	
EIA Assessment Methodology	
EIA Assessment Conclusions	
Cumulative Impact Assessment	





Topic	Historic England
Mitigation	
Wording of Requirement(s) and, or Conditions	

3.16 Ground Conditions and Contamination

Topic	Environment Agency	ESC & SCC
EIA Existing Environment		
EIA Assessment Methodology		
EIA Assessment Conclusions		
Mitigation		
Wording of Requirement(s)		
Outline Code of Construction Practice		

3.17 Air Quality

Topic	ESC & SCC
EIA Existing Environment	
EIA Assessment Methodology	
EIA Assessment Conclusions	
Mitigation	
Wording of Requirement(s)	
Other matters as required	





3.18 Water Resources and Flood Risk

Topic	East Suffolk IDB	Environment Agency	ESC & SCC	SASES
EIA Existing Environment				
EIA Assessment Methodology				
EIA Assessment Conclusions				
Mitigation				
Wording of Requirements				
Other matters as required				
Licensed Agricultural Abstraction				
Water Framework Directive				
Surface Water Drainage				
Existing Compensation Drainage				

3.19 Land Use and Agriculture

Topic	ESC & SCC
EIA Existing Environment	
EIA Assessment Methodology	
EIA Assessment Conclusions	
Mitigation	





Topic	ESC & SCC
Wording of Requirement(s)	

3.20 Onshore Ecology

Topic	Environment Agency	ESC & SCC	Natural England
EIA Existing Environment			
EIA Assessment Methodology			
EIA Assessment Conclusions			
Mitigation			
Wording of Requirement(s)			
Other matters as required			

3.21 Onshore Ornithology (EIA)

Topic	ESC & SCC	Natural England	RSPB
EIA Existing Environment			
EIA Assessment Methodology			
EIA Assessment Conclusions			
Mitigation			
Wording of Requirement(s)			
Other matters as required			





3.22 Onshore Ornithology (Information to Support Appropriate Assessment)

Topic	Natural England	RSPB
HRA Existing Environment		
HRA Assessment Methodology		
HRA Assessment Conclusions		
Mitigation		
Wording of Requirement(s)		
Other matters as required		

3.23 Onshore Archaeology and Cultural Heritage (Unknown Heritage Assets)

Topic	ESC & SCC	Historic England	SPS	SASES
EIA Existing Environment				
EIA Assessment Methodology				
EIA Assessment Conclusions				
Mitigation				
Wording of Requirement(s)				
Other matters as required				





3.24Onshore Archaeology and Cultural Heritage Setting of Heritage Assets)

Topic	ESC & SCC	Historic England	SPS	SASES
EIA Existing Environment				
EIA Assessment Methodology				
EIA Assessment Conclusions				
Mitigation				
Wording of Requirement(s)				
Other Matters as required				

3.25 Noise and Vibration (Operation Phase)

Topic	ESC & SCC	SASES
EIA Existing Environment		
EIA Assessment Methodology		
EIA Assessment Conclusions		
Mitigation		
Wording of Requirement(s)		
Other matters as required		





3.26 Noise and Vibration (Construction Phase)

Topic	ESC & SCC	SASES
EIA Existing Environment		
EIA Assessment Methodology		
EIA Assessment Conclusions		
Mitigation		
Wording of Requirement(s)		
Other matters as required		

3.27 Traffic and Transport

Topic	ESC & SCC	Highways England	EDF Energy Nuclear Generation Limited (Sizewell B)	NNB Generation Company (SZC) Limited (Sizewell C)
EIA Existing Environment				
EIA Assessment Methodology				
EIA Assessment Conclusions				
Mitigation				
Wording of Requirement(s)				
Outline Access Management Plan				
Outline Construction Management Plan				





Topic	ESC & SCC	Highways England	EDF Energy Nuclear Generation Limited (Sizewell B)	NNB Generation Company (SZC) Limited (Sizewell C)
Outline Traffic Plan				
Outline Sizewell Gap Construction Method Statement				

3.28 Offshore Seascape Landscape and Visual Impact Assessment

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Topic	ESC & S	SCC	Natural England		SPS		Suffolk Coast and Heaths AONB Partnership	
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EIA Existing Environment					Deferre other p			
EIA Assessment Methodology								
EIA Assessment Conclusions								
Mitigation								
Wording of Requirement(s)								
Other matters as required								

3.29 Landscape and Visual Impact Assessment

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Topic	ESC & SCC	Natural England	SPS	Suffolk Coast and Heaths AONB Partnership	SASES
EIA Existing Environment					
EIA Assessment Methodology					





Topic	ESC & SCC	Natural England	SPS	Suffolk Coast and Heaths AONB Partnership	SASES
EIA Assessment Conclusions					
Mitigation					
Wording of Requirement(s)					
Other matters as required					

3.30 Socio-Economics

Topic	ESC & SCC
EIA Existing Environment	
EIA Assessment Methodology	
EIA Assessment Conclusions	
Mitigation	
Other matters as required	

3.31 Tourism

Topic	ESC & SCC
EIA Existing Environment	
EIA Assessment Methodology	
EIA Assessment Conclusions	
Mitigation	
Other matters as required	





3.32 Recreation (PRoW)

Topic	ESC & SCC
EIA Existing Environment	
EIA Assessment Methodology	
EIA Assessment Conclusions	
Mitigation	
Wording of Requirement(s)	
Other matters as required	

3.33 Human Health

Topic	ESC & SCC							
EIA Existing Environment								
EIA Assessment Methodology								
EIA Assessment Conclusions								
Mitigation								
Wording of Requirement(s)								
Other matters as required								





3.34 Energy Stakeholders

Topic	National Grid Electricity Service Operator	National Grid Electricity Transmission	National Grid Ventures	EDF Energy Nuclear Generation Limited (Sizewell B)	NNB Generation Company (SZC) Limited (Sizewell C)	Magnox & NDA
DCO Articles, Interpretations and Requirements						
General						

3.35 Nuclear Safety and Security

Topic	EDF Energy Nuclear Generation Limited (Sizewell B)	NNB Generation Company (SZC) Limited (Sizewell C)	ONR	Magnox & NDA
Interaction with Sizewell A				
Interaction with Sizewell B				
Interaction with Sizewell C				
Interaction with Suffolk Joint Emergency Planning Unit				
Nuclear Security				





3.36 Ongoing Coordination and Cooperation

Topic	Interconnector (UK) ⁵	Diamond Transmission Partners	National Grid Electricity Transmission	National Grid Electricity System Operator	National Grid Ventures	East Anglia ONE ⁶	East Anglia THREE	EDF Energy Nuclear Generation Limited	NNB Generation Company (SZC) Limited	Greater Gabbard OFTO	Anglian Water
Notification and liaison											
Crossing agreement											
Protective provisions											
Connections to Public Sewerage											

The SoCG with this party is relevant to the East Anglia ONE North Project only
 The SoCG with this party is relevant to the East Anglia TWO Project only