



15 April 2021

The Planning Inspectorate
National Infrastructure Directorate
Temple Quay House
Temple Quay
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Dear Sirs

**East Anglia TWO Limited (the “Applicant”)
The Proposed East Anglia TWO Offshore Windfarm Order
Application Ref. EN010078**

Deadline 9 Submissions

We refer to the Planning Inspectorate’s Rule 8(3) letter dated 1 April 2021 (the “**Rule 8 Letter**”). In accordance with the deadlines at Annex A of the Rule 8 Letter, we enclose the following documents in response to the 15 April 2021 Deadline:

1. Guide to the Application;
2. Comments on Natural England’s Deadline 8 Submissions;
3. Comments on Natural England’s Deadline 8 Risk and Issues Log;
4. Comments on East Suffolk Council’s Deadline 8 Submissions;
5. Comments on Suffolk County Council’s Deadline 8 Submissions;
6. Comments on Marine Management Organisation’s Deadline 8 Submissions;
7. Comments on Royal Society for the Protection of Birds’ Deadline 8 Submissions;
8. Comments on Substation Action Save East Suffolk’s (SASES) Deadline 8 Submissions;
9. Comments on Suffolk Energy Action Solutions’ (SEAS) Deadline 8 Submissions;
10. Comments on SEAS’ Complaint;
11. Comments on The Wildlife Trusts’ Deadline 8 Submissions;
12. Comments on Therese Coffey’s Deadline 8 Submissions;
13. Comments on Snape Parish Council’s Deadline 8 Submissions;
14. Comments on Marlesford Parish Council’s Deadline 8 Submissions;
15. Comments on Tessa Wojtczak’s Deadline 8 Submissions;
16. Comments on Jane Rossin’s Deadline 8 Submissions;
17. Comments on William Halford’s Deadline 8 Submissions;
18. Comments on Michael Mahony’s Deadline 8 Submissions;
19. Statement of Commonality;
20. The Statements of Common Ground (SoCGs) listed in Annex A to this letter; and

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21. The additional submissions listed in Annex B to this letter.

Statements of Common Ground

Procedural Decision 7 contained within the Rule 6 Letter dated 21 February 2020 requested SoCGs with the Interested Parties and Other Parties listed in Annex G. Procedural Decision 15 contained within the Rule 6 Letter dated 16 July 2020 requested SoCGs with additional Interested Parties listed therein.

Signed versions of SoCGs in negotiation during the Examination and not previously signed have been submitted at this deadline, save for East Suffolk Council and Suffolk County Council. The Applicant hopes to submit the signed version of the SoCG with East Suffolk Council and Suffolk County Council soon.

Table 1 in Annex A to this letter contains the full list of Interested Parties and Other Parties for which a SoCG has been submitted at this deadline.

Table 2 in Annex A to this letter provides a list of the Interested Parties and Other Parties identified in Procedural Decision 7 and Procedural Decision 15 contained within the Rule 6 Letter for which a draft SoCG has not been provided, together with brief details of the status of the SoCG.

Table 3 in Annex A to this letter provides a list of the Interested Parties and Other Parties for which a draft SoCG was submitted at a previous deadline and a signed SoCG has not been provided at this deadline, together with brief details of the status of the SoCG.

Table 4 in Annex A to this letter provides a list of Interested Parties and Other Parties for which a signed SoCG was submitted at a previous deadline and therefore an updated SoCG will not be provided.

Additional Submissions

Annex B to this letter contains a list of additional submissions that are being made by the Applicant at this 15 April 2021 deadline. The Applicant considers that these provide information, clarifications and updates useful to both the Examining Authority and Interested Parties.

The Applicant has not provided an updated version of **ExQ1.3.3 Crown Land and Consent** (document reference REP1-123) in accordance with ExQ1.3.3 which states “*If at any given deadline an empty table is provided, a revised table need not be provided at any subsequent deadlines unless the Applicant becomes aware that the data and assumptions on which the empty table was provided have changed*”. An empty table was submitted by the Applicant at Deadline 1 on 2 November 2020 and the Applicant is not aware of any changes which require an updated table to be submitted.

Comments on Rule 8 Letter

The Applicant notes the amended Examination timetable in Annex A of the Rule 8 Letter and would request that the ExA’s commentary on and/or schedule of changes to the dDCO and the ExA’s Further Written Questions (ExQ3) are published earlier than 20 May 2021 if at all possible. This would provide the Applicant and Interested Parties with additional time to review and provide detailed responses in advance of Deadline 11 on 7 June 2021 noting that one week of hearings are provisionally scheduled during the week commencing 24 May. It would also provide those that are participating in the hearings on Tuesday 25 to Thursday 27 May time to consider the ExA’s comments on the DCO in advance of the DCO hearing on Friday 28 May 2021 where such parties are also required to prepare for and participate in the other hearings that week.

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Notice of intention to request a change to the Order Limits

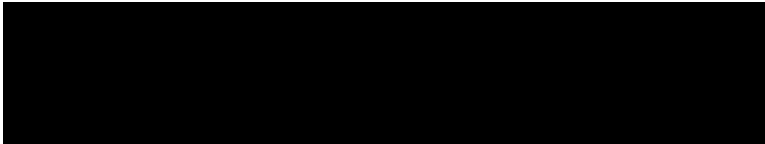
The Applicant wishes to provide advance notice that following further engagement with Interested Parties (including the Wardens Trust and Natural England), the Applicant intends to submit a request to amend the Order limits for Work No. 9 at Plot 13 to increase the distance between the onshore cable corridor and receptors to the east.

The Applicant is currently preparing the material to support this change request and is consulting with relevant Interested Parties and Affected Persons (noting that the change does not give rise to any new Interested Parties or Affected Persons). The Applicants propose to submit the request to the ExA on 22 April 2021. This will set out full details of the proposed change, and will be accompanied by supporting documentation.

All of the documents enclosed with this submission are designed to be viewed electronically.

We would be grateful if you could kindly acknowledge safe receipt of this letter and the enclosures.

Yours faithfully



Richard Morris, Senior Project Manager
East Anglia TWO Limited

Enclosures



ANNEX A

Table 1: Interested Parties and Other Parties identified in Procedural Decisions 7 and 15 for which a SoCG has been submitted at Deadline 9

Interested Party	Status of SoCG
National Air Traffic Services	Fourth draft submitted.
Substation Action Save East Suffolk	Signed version submitted.

Table 2: Interested Parties and Other Parties identified in Procedural Decisions 7 and 15 for which a draft SoCG has not yet been provided

Interested Party	Status of SoCG
Cadent Gas Limited	Cadent Gas have not requested a SoCG and have withdrawn their representations.
Network Rail Infrastructure Limited	Network Rail have not requested a SoCG and therefore no SoCG will be submitted.
Pilotage	No Relevant Representations have been received from pilotage stakeholders and at this stage the Applicant does not anticipate there to be any need for a SoCG with any pilotage stakeholders.
Port Authorities and Operators	No Relevant Representations have been received from port authorities or port operators and at this stage the Applicant does not anticipate there to be any need for a SoCG with any port authorities or port operators.
Suffolk Wildlife Trust	Suffolk Wildlife Trust advised the Applicant that they do not intend to participate in the Examination of the Project.
UK Power Networks	UK Power Networks did not submit a Relevant Representation and have not requested a SoCG therefore no SoCG will be submitted.

Table 3: Interested Parties and Other Parties identified in Procedural Decision 7 and 15 for which a signed SoCG has not been provided at Deadline 9

Interested Party	Status of SoCG
East Suffolk Council and Suffolk County Council	The Applicant hopes to provide a signed version soon.

Table 4: Interested Parties and Other Parties identified in Procedural Decision 7 for which a signed SoCG has already been submitted

Interested Party	Status of SoCG
Anglian Water Services Limited	Signed and submitted at Deadline 8
Chamber of Shipping	Signed and submitted at Deadline 8
Civil Aviation Authority	Signed and submitted at Deadline 8
Commercial Fisheries Working Group	Signed and submitted at Deadline 8
Diamond Transmission Partners Galloper Limited	Signed and submitted at Deadline 1
East Anglia ONE Limited	Signed and submitted at Deadline 8
East Anglia THREE Limited	Signed and submitted at Deadline 4
East Suffolk Internal Drainage Board	Signed and submitted at Deadline 8
Eastern Inshore Fisheries Conservation Authority	Signed and submitted at Deadline 8
EDF Energy Nuclear Generation Limited	Signed and submitted at Deadline 8

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Environment Agency	Signed and submitted at Deadline 8
Greater Gabbard OFTO	Signed and submitted at Deadline 1
Highways England	Signed and submitted at Deadline 8
Historic England	Signed and submitted at Deadline 8
Marine Management Organisation	Signed and submitted at Deadline 8
Maritime and Coastguard Agency	Signed and submitted at Deadline 8
Ministry of Defence	Signed and submitted at Deadline 8
National Federation of Fishermen's Organisations/VisNED	Signed and submitted at Deadline 8
National Grid Electricity - System Operator	Signed and submitted at Deadline 8
National Grid Electricity - Transmission	Signed and submitted at Deadline 8
National Grid Ventures	Signed and submitted at Deadline 8
Natural England	Signed and submitted at Deadline 8
NNB Generation Company (SZC) Limited	Signed and submitted at Deadline 8
Nuclear Decommissioning Authority/Magnox Sizewell A	Signed and submitted at Deadline 8
Office for Nuclear Regulation	Signed and submitted at Deadline 8
Rijkswaterstaat	Signed and submitted at Deadline 8
Royal Society for the Protection of Birds	Signed and submitted at Deadline 8
Suffolk Coasts and Heaths AONB	Signed and submitted at Deadline 8
Suffolk Preservation Society	Signed and submitted at Deadline 8
The Wildlife Trust	Signed and submitted at Deadline 8
Trinity House	Signed and submitted at Deadline 8



ANNEX B

Additional submissions submitted at Deadline 9 by the Applicant

1. Deadline 9 Topic Position Statements;
2. Beneficiary Position on Protective Provisions (version 2);
3. Layout Principles Statement (version 2);
4. Layout Principles Statement (tracked);
5. Outline Construction Traffic Management Plan (version 5);
6. Outline Construction Traffic Management Plan (tracked);
7. Outline Access Management Plan (version 5);
8. Outline Access Management Plan (tracked);
9. Outline Travel Plan (version 5);
10. Outline Travel Plan (tracked);
11. EA2 Schedule of CA and TP objections (version 9)
12. EA2 Schedule of CA and TP objections (tracked)
13. EA2 PA2008 s127 statutory undertakers' land or rights (version 9)
14. EA2 PA2008 s127 statutory undertakers' land or rights (tracked)
15. EA2 PA2008 s138 Statutory undertakers apparatus etc (version 9)
16. EA2 PA2008 s138 Statutory undertakers apparatus etc (tracked)