



**TOWN & COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 2008 AND THE
INFRASTRUCTURE PLANNING (EXAMINATION PROCEDURE)
RULES 2010**

PLANNING INSPECTORATE REFERENCE NUMBER: 20022837

**Written Representations regarding the Application by EDF
Energy (Thermal Generation) Limited for an order for
Development Consent for the West Burton C power station**

WRITTEN REPRESENTATIONS BY ANGLIAN WATER SERVICES LIMITED

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1. Introduction

- 1.1 Anglian Water Services Limited ("Anglian Water") is appointed as the water and sewerage undertaker for the Anglian region, by virtue of an appointment made under the Water Industry Act ("WIA") 1991. Anglian Water is a wholly owned subsidiary of AWG plc. The principal duties of a water and sewerage undertaker are set out in the WIA.
- 1.2 Anglian Water is considered a statutory consultee for the proposed power station under section 42 of the Planning Act (2008) and Regulation 3 of the Infrastructure Planning (Applications: Prescribed Forms and Procedures) Regulations 2009.
- 1.3 Anglian Water is the appointed water undertaker for the development.
- 1.4 Anglian Water has engaged as an Interested Party in the Examination in order to ensure adequate provisions are included within any final Development Consent Order to protect Anglian Water's existing and future assets and Anglian Water's ability to perform its statutory duties.
- 1.5 Anglian Water is in principle supportive of the development.

2. Anglian Water’s Interests and Assets affected

Existing Assets Affected

- 2.1 There is no existing water infrastructure in Anglian Water’s ownership within the boundary of the above project as shown on our statutory asset plans. We are not aware of a need for any requirement for diversion(s) or mitigation to protect existing infrastructure to enable the proposed development.

Groundwater sources

- 2.2 There is an existing borehole known as Humble Carr used by Anglian Water to supply potable clean water located 2km to the north east of the proposed site. It is essential to protect aquifers and Anglian Water’s existing assets from contamination from any activities that might cause pollution. In this case there is 220m of mudstone overlying the aquifer. As such Anglian Water does not have any concerns relating to the development of the above site for this groundwater source.

Connections to the water supply network

- 2.3 Anglian Water is not aware of any water requirements made upon them for the development.
- 2.4 Should a water supply service be required and once agreement has been reached, there are a number of applications required to deliver the necessary infrastructure. These are outlined below:
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Provision of infrastructure:

Water	Section 51a Water Industry Act 1991
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3. Draft Development Consent Order

- 3.1 Anglian Water normally requests protective provisions specifically for its benefit where existing infrastructure is located within the redline boundary of DCO applications. As set above there is no water infrastructure within the site boundary. Therefore in this instance we are not seeking protective provisions specifically for Anglian Water.