

Planning Act 2008 – section 93

EN010088

Application by EDF Energy (Thermal Generation) Limited for an Order Granting Development Consent for the West Burton power station

Agenda for Open Floor Hearing (OFH)

The Examining Authority (ExA) notified Interested Parties (IPs) on 16 December 2019 of the decision to hold an OFH:

Hearing	Date and time	Venue
OFH	Tuesday 21 January 2020 Seating available from 5:30pm. The OFH will start at 6:00pm.	Best Western West Retford Hotel, 24 North Road, Retford DN22 7XG

Access and Parking

There is free parking available at the venue. Retford train station is approximately a mile from the venue.

Participation, conduct and management of OFH

The ExA has received a request from two IPs to speak at the OFH. However, all IPs are welcome to attend the OFH. The purpose of the OFH is to offer the opportunity for people to bring to the attention of the ExA issues of concern to them. The amount of time permitted for IPs to make oral representations will depend on the number of people present wishing to speak. Oral representations for IPs should be based on their Relevant Representations and Written Submissions.

All IPs who wish to make oral representations are invited to participate in the OFH. However, the OFH does not have a subject matter-controlled agenda and participants may bring up any matter arising from the application that is also important and relevant to a decision taken under the Planning Act 2008 (as amended) (PA2008). Participation is therefore of most relevance to IPs who wish to raise matters that are not addressed in the agenda for an Issue Specific Hearing (ISH).

The ExA requests that EDF Energy (Thermal Generation) Limited (the Applicant) attends the OFH. The Applicant will be given the opportunity to respond to IPs oral cases before the close of the OFH.

Participants may be legally represented if they wish, but the OFH will not be adversarial and no cross examination shall take place.

If the ExA has any questions to ask at the OFH, these are likely to be for clarification purposes only.



The agenda may be amended by the ExA at the start of the hearing session.

Participation is subject to the ExA's power to control the OFH.

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The Planning Inspectorate

Item	Matters
1.	Welcome, introductions and arrangements for the OFH
2.	Representations from Interested Parties (IPs) who requested to be heard
3.	Representations from any other IPs
4.	Review of issues and actions arising
5.	Next Steps
6.	Close of the OFH

Please note: The OFH will close at the conclusion of business. IPs who have registered to speak in advance will be provided with a table and microphone. Individuals who have not registered in advance may participate at the discretion of the ExA.