

The Drax Power (Generating Stations) Order

Land at, and in the vicinity of, Drax Power Station, near Selby, North Yorkshire

Environmental Statement

Appendix 16.2 - External Influencing Factors



The Planning Act 2008
The Infrastructure Planning (Applications: Prescribed Forms and Procedure)
Regulations 2009 – Regulation 5(2)(a)

Drax Power Limited

Drax Repower Project

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6.2.16.2 Environmental Statement – Volume 2 - Appendix 16.2 External Influencing Factors

The table below identifies the potential external influencing factors within 5 km of the Power Station Site and Gas Pipeline.

External Influencing Factor	Distance & Direction from Existing Drax Power Station Complex / Proposed Gas Pipeline (m)
COMAH Sites	None within 3 miles of the Existing Drax Power Station Complex (other than the Existing Drax Power Station Complex)
Hazardous Substance Consent Sites	None within 1 km of pipeline construction area and part of Existing Drax Power Station Complex (other than the Existing Drax Power Station Complex)
Significant Surface Watercourses	<p>River Ouse approximately 1.5 km NE of Existing Drax Power Station Complex and approximately 0.75km N of the proposed Gas Pipeline route.</p> <p>River Aire approximately 4km SE of Existing Drax Power Station Complex and approximately 1.1km S of the proposed Gas Pipeline route.</p>
Flood Zones	<p>Most of the Power Station Site in flood zone 1 (low probability) but some areas of flood zone 2 (medium probability) and 3 (high probability).</p> <p>Route of Gas Pipeline is flood zones 2 and 3.</p>
Agricultural Activities	Immediately above and surrounding the proposed Gas Pipeline route.