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Dear Sir / Madam

Planning Act 2008 (as amended) - Section 55

Application by Drax Power Limited for an Order Granting Development Consent for the Drax Re-Power Project

Adequacy of consultation request

Thank you for your letter dated 30 May 2018 which provides the opportunity for Wakefield Council to comment upon the adequacy of the consultation carried out by the applicant at the pre-application stage of the above scheme for the purposes of meeting the following duties:

Duty to consult – PA 2008 – section 42 Duty to consult the local community – PA 2008 – section 47 Duty to publicise – PA 2008 – section 48

Wakefield Council is of the view that officers have been given the opportunity to comment upon the scheme and are satisfied with the level of involvement the Council has had during the pre-application stage.

Wakefield Council does not therefore offer any objections to the application being accepted should PINS determine to do so.

Should you require any further information which would assist you in your decision as to whether to accept the application for examination, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours faithfully

Ian Pollard Team Leader – District Team Wakefield Council Development Management



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