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Date: 6 June 2022
Your ref: 342777.000125
Our ref: EDGEWOC\342777-000125

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Dear Sirs

Keadby 3 Low Carbon Gas Power Station Project ("the Project")

Rule 17 - Request for further information – Deadline 7a

Responses by National Grid Electricity Transmission Plc (NGET) and National Grid Gas Plc (NGG)

We write on behalf of National Grid Electricity Transmission Plc (NGET) and National Grid Gas Plc (NGG) in connection with the above named Project and submit the following response to the Rule 17 request for further information dated 26 May 2022:

3. The response of NGET, prepared by Eversheds Sutherland (International) LLP, submitted at Deadline 7 and dated 24 May 2022 [REP7-017], clearly sets out the letter represents the 'Responses by NGET'. However, within the letter it states:

"...it is agreed that the protective provisions for electricity and gas in Schedule 10 of the dDCO adequately match the standard protective provisions of National Grid Electricity Transmission plc and National Grid Gas plc subject to..."

Bearing the above in mind, the ExA would ask whether the above-mentioned letter from NGET is also a response authorised and made on behalf of NGG?

We confirm that NGG are also content with the form of Protective Provisions (as amended by the Promoter in accordance with our response dated 24th May) at Schedule 10 of the dDCO.

4. The ExA would invite all Interested Parties to whom this question is directed to summarise their position at Deadline 7a (12.00pm (noon) on Monday 6 June 2022), especially in regard to:

- i) any outstanding objection(s);**
- ii) protective provisions;**
- iii) compulsory acquisition/ temporary possession; and**
- iv) the status of any side agreement, interface agreement or other relevant agreements they consider necessary to provide relevant protections or mitigations from the Proposed Development.**

NGET and the Promoter have agreed the terms of a Side Agreement, which has been executed by the Promoter, and will be sealed and completed by NGET during the course of today (6th June 2022). On completion of the Side Agreement, NGET and NGG will withdraw their objection.

Please do not hesitate to contact the writer should you require further information.

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Yours faithfully



Eversheds Sutherland (International) LLP