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Dear Ms Norris,

NORTH LINCOLNSHIRE GREEN ENERGY PARK PROJECT
THE PLANNING ACT 2008
THE INFRASTRUCTURE PLANNING (EXAMINATION PROCEDURE) RULES 2010

We write on behalf of the North Lincolnshire Green Energy Park Limited ('the Applicant') in response to the 'Rule 8' letter dated 23 November 2022 [PD-006] in which the Examining Authority has requested a number of documents to be submitted by Deadline 8.

Documents requested to be submitted at Deadline 8

The Applicant requests that the Examining Authority accepts the following documents submitted in advance of Deadline 8:

- Document 1.2 - Application Guide [Revision 9] (clean and tracked);
- Document 2.1 – draft DCO [Revision 6] (clean and tracked);
- Document 9.3 – Compulsory Acquisition Schedule [Revision 7] (clean and tracked);
- Document 9.10 - Status of Negotiations with Statutory Undertakers [Revision 6] (clean and tracked);
- Document 9.30 – Applicants responses to the third Written Questions [Revision 0];
- Document 9.31 – Applicant's responses to RIES dated 6 April 2023 [Revision 0];
- Document 9.32 – Applicants response to ExAs recommended amendments to the dDCO [Revision 0];
- Document 9.33 – Comments on submissions received at Deadline 7 [Revision 0].

Updated Guide to Application

All new and revised documents are referenced in the enclosed updated Application Guide (Document 1.2 – Application Guide [Revision 9]). A clean and tracked version has been provided for clarity. As requested by the Examining Authority, an additional column with the examination reference has been

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added to the document. Where a document is new and does not yet have an examination reference TBC has been used.

Updated dDCO

Following the ExAs recommended amendments to the dDCO, an updated dDCO has been submitted at this deadline. Changes to the dDCO are recorded both within Document 9.32 which covers changes resulting from the ExAs recommended amendments, and also Document 9.12 [Revision 4], which covers other changes to the document.

Additional Documents Submitted

In addition to the documents requested by the Examining Authority to be submitted at Deadline 8, the following updated documents are also being submitted:

- Document 6.2.7 - ES Chapter 7: Noise [Revision 2] (clean and tracked);
- Document 6.2.19 - ES Chapter 19: Mitigation [Revision 2] (clean and tracked);
- Document 6.3.8 – Annex 8: Operational Environmental Management Plan [Revision 2] (clean and tracked);
- Document 8.1 – Statement of Commonality [Revision 5] (clean and tracked);
- Document 8.2.5 – Draft Statement of Common Ground with North Lincolnshire Council [Revision 4]
- Document 9.12 – Draft Development Consent Order: Schedule of drafting Changes [Revision 4];
- Document 9.34 – The Applicant's Case under Section 127 and 138 Planning Act 2008 – Statutory Undertakers' Land [Revision 0]; and
- Document 9.35 – Outline Employment Skills Policy [Revision 0].

ES Chapters 7 and 19 and Annex 8: OEMP

The Applicant has accepted the ExA's recommendation for a noise requirement. In support of this, the text in the noise chapter (REP7-014), mitigation chapter (REP7-016) and Operational Environmental Management Plan (OEMP, REP7-020) have been updated to remove the two tables of noise limits (Tables A and B) and instead reference the noise limits in the noise requirement. All other commitments, to mitigate and minimise noise as far as reasonably practicable and to demonstrate compliance with the noise requirement, have been retained.

The Applicant's Case under Section 127 and 138 Planning Act 2008 – Statutory Undertakers' Land

At CAH1 the ExA asked the Applicant to provide an update on the position with statutory undertakers by Deadline 8. This document sets out the latest position and where the Applicant has reached agreement with statutory undertakers. This document also sets out the Applicant's position in relation to sections 127 and 138 of the Planning Act 2008 in respect of statutory undertaker's land affected by the Scheme, where the Applicant has not been able to reach agreement.

Anglian Water

The Applicant has been made aware of the submissions made by Anglian Water for Deadline 8. The Applicant did provide information requested by Anglian Water on 28 February, following a call on 23 February, and to-date has not received any feedback or commentary on the information submitted, despite repeated requests for this. Notwithstanding this the Applicant will be preparing the Technical Summary requested and will look to meet with Anglian Water before the close of the Examination to resolve any outstanding issues as soon as possible.

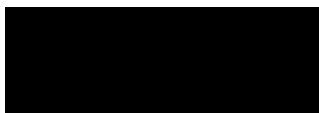
Outline Employment Skills Policy

The Outline Employment and Skills Policy sets out the approach that will be adopted by the Applicant to promote local employment opportunities and ensure the economic benefits of the Project are maximised locally. The outline policy will form the basis for a final Employment and Skills Plan, which will be prepared and submitted by the Applicant prior to the commencement of the NLGEP development. It has been developed in conjunction with the Economic and Employment Group which has been established for the project to help ensure that the economic benefits of the Project are maximised locally. The group includes various regional stakeholders, such as North Lincolnshire Council, Department for Work and Pensions North Lincolnshire, Hull and Humber Chamber of Commerce, North Lindsey College, CATCH, Greater Lincolnshire Local Enterprise Partnership ('Greater Lincolnshire LEP'), Humberside Engineering Training Association ('HETA'), STEM Learning, Engineering UTC Northern Lincolnshire, and Lincolnshire Chamber of Commerce.

dDCO Validation Report

The Applicant is preparing the validation report for the draft DCO, yet this is yet to be received and will be submitted as a late submission once finalised and received.

Yours faithfully,



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For and on behalf of North Lincolnshire Green Energy Park Limited