



Examination Deadline 2 for EN010117 – Rampion 2 Offshore Wind Farm

Protect Coastal Sussex submitted three separate Written Representations for Deadline 1 which have been placed together in one large file in the EN010117 Library under REP1-145. This comment will help navigate it.

WR.1: Local Impact Assessment - 250 pages

Focuses on the objectives of NPS EN-1 and EN-3 and ensuring sustainable development as a balance of Economy, Environment and Social Community, with chapters that consider: Relevant Policy, Planning and Legislation; Seascape, Landscape and Visual Impacts; Social Effects on local residents and communities; Tourism Economy, other socio-economic and national-to local economic impacts; Environment, Biodiversity and Ecosystem Impacts, and; Landscape and Underwater Noise Effects.

WR.2: Due Diligence - 42 pages

Reviews the Applicant's claims about performance, benefits, and adverse impacts of Rampion 2. It highlights how those claims contributed to a "chilling effect" in the planning context. It aims to inform the key policy judgments the ExA will make on whether the "adverse impacts of Rampion 2 outweigh its national benefits"

WR.3: Consideration of Alternatives - 72 pages

The Project physically and visually impacts Nationally Designated Landscapes (including SDNP) creating a policy requirement to consider low emission alternatives in the Rampion 2 Examination. To support the required assessment of alternatives this WR benchmarks Rampion 2 against three critical national priority (CNP) alternatives for low emission generation and compares the National Benefits of each with Rampion 2.

Comment on three Written Representations under Deadline 1 (REP1-145) for the Rampion 2 Windfarm Examination (Project Reference: EN010117)

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