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1. Introduction

1.1 Background

- 1.1.1 This Statement of Commonality for the Statements of Common Ground ('Statement of Commonality') has been prepared on behalf of Rampion Extension Development Ltd (RED) (hereafter referred to as 'the Applicant').
- 1.1.2 Rampion Extension Development Limited (hereafter referred to as 'RED') (the 'Applicant') is developing the Rampion 2 Offshore Wind Farm Project ('Rampion 2') located adjacent to the existing Rampion Offshore Wind Farm Project ('Rampion 1') in the English Channel.
- 1.1.3 Rampion 2 will be located between 13km and 26km from the Sussex Coast in the English Channel and the offshore array area will occupy an area of approximately 160km². A detailed description of the Proposed Development is set out in **Chapter 4: The Proposed Development, Volume 2** of the **Environmental Statement (ES)**, submitted with the Development Consent Order (DCO) Application.
- 1.1.4 Further detail regarding the onshore and offshore aspects of the Proposed Development are provided within **Chapters 6 to 29, Volume 2**, of the **ES**.

1.2 Purpose of this Document

- 1.2.1 This Statement of Commonality has been prepared at the request of the Examining Authority in the Rule 6 Letter dated 14 December 2023 (**PD-006**). As requested, it uses a traffic light system to summarise the status of the various matters that are covered in the Statement of Common Grounds (SoCGs) as follows (this colour-coding is not the same as in the SoCGs):

	All matters agreed
	Some matters agreed / some matters under discussion
	All matters under discussion
	Some matters under discussion / some matters not agreed
	All matters not agreed
	Some matters agreed, some matters not agreed
	Some matters agreed, some matters not agreed, some matters under discussion

- 1.2.2 This Statement of Commonality is intended to act as a summary of the progress of the various SoCGs. However, the SoCGs remain the primary record of the status of discussion the various issues that they address. It should be noted that where a broad topic applies to more than one SoCG party the detailed matters discussed within that topic may not be directly comparable or related.

- 1.2.3 The issues outlined in this document have primarily been taken from the Principal Areas of Disagreement Summary Statements issued by the stakeholders, along with additional issues raised in the Relevant Representations submissions as well as other submissions made to the examination at subsequent deadlines.
- 1.2.4 The Applicant has agreed with stakeholders that the submitted SoCGs which underpin this document are up to date as Deadline 6 with all exceptions covered in **Table 1-1**.

1.3 List of Meetings

- 1.3.1 Appendix B contains all meetings and correspondence with each stakeholder.

1.4 List of Statements of Common Ground

- 1.4.1 **Table 1-1**, below lists the other parties that the Applicant is progressing a SoCG with. This list is the same as the one provided by the Examining Authority in the Rule 9 Letter **[PD-005]** other than that the Applicant is now progressing SoCG with Aquind Ltd and NATS.

Table 1-1 List of Statements of Common Ground

Document Reference	Other Party to the Statement of Common Ground	Status
8.1	Arun District Council	Final Version Signed 08/07/24 – submitted at Deadline 5.
8.2	Horsham District Council	Final Version Signed 31/07/24 – submitted at Deadline 6.
8.3	Mid Sussex District Council	Final Version Signed 08/07/24 – submitted at Deadline 5.
8.4	South Downs National Park Authority	Final Version Signed 01/08/24 – submitted at Deadline 6.
8.5	West Sussex County Council	Final Version Signed 31/07/24 – submitted at Deadline 6.
8.6	Environment Agency	Final Version Signed 03/06/24 – submitted at Deadline 5.
8.7	Historic England	Final Version signed for Deadline 6
8.8	Natural England	Final Version Signed 01/08/24 – submitted at Deadline 6.
8.9	National Highways	Signed Version submitted at Deadline 5, no sign off from stakeholder at Deadline 6.

Document Reference	Other Party to the Statement of Common Ground	Status
8.10	Civil Aviation Authority	First Draft issued, no response from stakeholder.
8.11	Shoreham Airport	Final Version Signed 05/07/24 – submitted at Deadline 5.
8.12	Marine Management Organisation	Final Version Signed 01/08/24 – submitted at Deadline 6.
8.13	Maritime and Coastguard Agency	Final Version Signed 09/07/24 – submitted at Deadline 5.
8.14	Trinity House	Final Version Signed 08/07/24 – submitted at Deadline 5.
8.15	UK Chamber of Shipping	Final Version Signed 23/07/24 to be submitted at Deadline 6.
8.16	Marine Aggregates	Final Version Signed 06/06/24- submitted at Deadline 5.
8.17	Sussex Inshore Fisheries and Conservation Authority	Final Version Signed 31/07/24 – submitted at Deadline 6.
8.19	National Grid Electricity Transmission	Final Version Signed 01/08/24 – submitted at Deadline 6.
8.20	AQUIND Ltd	Final Version Signed 01/08/24 – submitted at Deadline 6.
8.26	NATS	Final Version Signed 09/07/24- submitted at Deadline 5.

1.4.2 **Table 1-2** provides a summary of principal issues covered in the SoCGs and demonstrates where there is commonality in the topics or matters.

Table 1-2 Status of Statements of Common Ground

Ref	Party	Alternatives	Coastal Processes	Other Marine Users	Fish/Shellfish Ecology	Benthic/Subtidal/Intertidal Ecology	Marine Mammals	Offshore and Intertidal Ornithology	Shipping and Navigation	Civil and Military Aviation	Seascape, Landscape and Visual Impact	Marine Archaeology	Socio Economics	Landscape and Visual Impact	Air Quality	Noise and Vibration	Terrestrial Ecology/Nature Conservation	Transport	Ground Conditions	Historic Environment	Water Environment	Habitats Regulations Assessment	Public Health	Principle of Development	DCO and Securing Mechanisms	
8.1	Arun District Council	Red				Green					Brown		Brown	Green		Green	Green	Green		Green	Green			Green	Red	
8.2	Horsham District Council												Green	Green	Green	Brown	Green	Green			Green					Brown
8.3	Mid Sussex District Council													Green		Green	Green	Green		Brown	Green				Green	Green
8.4	South Downs National Park Authority										Brown		Red	Brown		Red	Brown	Brown	Green	Brown					Green	Green
8.5	West Sussex County Council	Green									Brown		Red	Green		Green	Green	Brown	Green	Brown	Green		Green	Green	Brown	
8.6	Environment Agency		Green		Green	Green											Green		Green		Green			Green		

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8.10	Civil Aviation Authority ³																								
8.11	Shoreham Airport																								

¹ Natural England has confirmed in its Response to the Rule 6 Letter that it will submit its own Risk and Issues log to sit beside the Applicants SoCG and Statement of Commonality of SoCGs. The updated Risk and Issues log will be provided at all Deadlines (1-6) by Natural England. The Applicant has updated the initial SoCG status in line with their submitted ratings as part of their Deadline 3 submissions, and seeks mutual agreement with Natural England on what is to be reported in the Statement of Commonality for future deadlines.

² Natural England requested that it be shown where the assessment methodology and baseline data has been agreed separately to the topic. The solid green circles shown in table 1-2 represent where the methodology has been agreed.

³ The Civil Aviation Authority were contacted on 13/09/2023 for their thoughts on the topic areas, however they have been unresponsive. Additional emails have been sent on 14/09/2024, 21/09/2023, 06/02/2024 and 13/06/2024, please see Appendix A. It has been assumed given the lack of response that the Civil Aviation Authority have no objections or concerns to the scheme.

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Appendix A – Correspondence with the Civil Aviation Authority

Appendix B – List of all correspondence and meetings

Below is a list of all the meetings that have taken place with stakeholders:

- AQUIND
 - 17 August 2021 – Rampion 2 and AQUIND projects updates and discussion on potential interaction between both projects
 - 16 November 2023 – Rampion 2 and AQUIND projects updates and discussion on potential interaction between both projects
 - 15 February 2024 – Page Turn meeting to discuss Rev A of the Statement of Common Ground, and propose position on discussion matters now responses have been provided to initial concerns
 - 4 March 2024 – Legal discussion on initial Rampion 2 and AQUIND redline boundary comparison including co-operation agreement precedent.
 - 20 May 2024 – Outline discussion for co-operation agreement between Rampion 2 and AQUIND
 - 6 June 2024 – Further legal discussions between both parties pertained to specific clauses within the co-operation agreement, specifically Proximity and Crossing Agreements.
 - 12 June 2024 – Call outlining outstanding issues of the Cooperation Agreement between both parties.
 - 27 June 2024 - Technical team call to understand the project specific challenges regarding the separation zone and resulting proximity agreement.
 - 31 July 2024 – Technical and legal team call regarding the progress of agreement of proximity limits to be included in the Cooperation Agreement between AQUIND, RED and the Crown Estate.
- Arun District Council
 - 6 May 2020 – Email from RED to ADC with project update with specific reference to historic environment assessment.
 - 12 May 2020 – Email from RED to ADC Environmental Health Team for information gathering on key constraints and local sensitivities.
 - 26 May 2020 – Email from RED to ADC regarding EIA scoping information for the Proposed Development and including air quality query.
 - 5 June 2020 – Email from RED to ADC covering data requests for information on existing private water supply (PWS) information.
 - 11 June 2020 – RED Project Call. ADC (and Chichester District Council (CDC) at the request of ADC) and Horsham District Council (HDC). To introduce the Proposed Development and the approach to environmental impact assessment (EIA) scoping. Key items covered included an overview of baseline sources, brief characterisation of

the historic environment, mitigation approach and planned surveys and likely significant effects.

- 15 September 2020 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – SLVIA/LVIA, Onshore and Offshore Archaeology and Cultural Heritage
- 10 November 2020 – Technical Note from RED Dated 10 November 2020. LVIA Study Area and viewpoint selection was undertaken in November and December 2020 with the South Downs National Park Authority (SDNPA), Natural England (NE), West Sussex County Council (WSSCC), HDC, ADC and Mid Sussex District Council (MSDC).
- 4 December 2020 – Technical Note from RED Dated 4 December 2020. LVIA Study Area and viewpoint selection was undertaken in November and December 2020 with the SDNPA, NE, WSSCC, HDC, ADC and MSDC.
- 27 October 2020 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – Transport, Air quality, Noise, Health and Socio-economics
- 16 March 2021 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – Traffic, Air Quality, Noise and Socio-economics
- 18 March 2021 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – SLVIA/LVIA, Onshore and Offshore Archaeology and Cultural Heritage
- Statutory consultation response 2021 – RED Targeted Onshore Cable Route Consultation. Response from ADC dated 14 September 2021 including key topics: Site Selection/Alternatives, SLVIA, Socio-economics & Tourism, Cultural Heritage, biodiversity net gain (BNG), LVIA, Traffic & Transport and Community Liaison.
- 4 November 2021 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – Traffic, Air Quality, Noise and Socioeconomics Meeting
- 4 November 2021 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – SLVIA/LVIA, Onshore and Offshore Archaeology and Cultural Heritage
- Statutory Consultation carried out under Section 42 of the Planning Act 2008 (18 October to 29 November 2022) – Rampion 2 Offshore Wind Farm Supplementary Consultation Response from ADC confirmed no further comments raised beyond the 2021 statutory consultation response.
- 17 June 2022 – Rampion 2 Expert Topic Group meeting – Targeted SLVIA Meeting
- 17 November 2022 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – Noise & Vibration and Air Quality
- 22 November 2022 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – Water environment [Onshore]
- 25 November 2022 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – Traffic and Socioeconomics
- 1 March 2023 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – Landscape and Visual and Historic Environment
- 2 March 2023 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – Noise and Vibration, Air Quality, Soils and Agriculture and Ground Conditions
- 7 March 2023 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – Terrestrial Ecology and Water Environment

- 13 April 2023 – Email communication with ADC regarding the methodology and scope for construction noise monitoring.
- 14 June 2023 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – Landscape and Visual Impact Assessment and Historic Environment
- 16 June 2023 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – Air Quality, Noise & Vibration, Soils & Agriculture and Ground Conditions
- 20 June 2023 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – Transport and Socio-Economics Discussion
- 22 June 2023 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – Terrestrial Ecology and Water Environment
- 13 February 2024 – Statement of Common Ground Page Turn Review between RED and ADC
- 15 March 2024 – Rampion 2 Expert to Expert Meeting- Noise discussion ADC-R2
- 18 March 2024 – Rampion 2 Expert to Expert BNG Meeting
- 19th April 2024 Expert to Expert Meeting – Rampion 2 Expert to Expert Meeting- Socio Economics
- Environment Agency
 - 17 September 2020 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – Methodology for Physical Processes, Water Framework Directive (WFD), Benthic ecology, Fish & Shellfish Ecology and Nature Conservation
 - 2 December 2020 – Email from RED to Environment Agency including a data request for the Adur Eastern Branch climate change data email exchange between environment agency West Sussex office.
 - 28 October 2020 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – Onshore Ecology, Hydrology and Nature Conservation
 - 23 March 2021 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – Onshore Ecology, Hydrology and Nature Conservation
 - 24 March 2021 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – Methodology for Physical Processes, WFD, Benthic ecology, Fish & Shellfish Ecology and Nature Conservation
 - Statutory Consultation carried out under Section 42 of the Planning Act 2008 (14 July to 16 September 2021) – Response from Environment Agency dated 14 September 2021 including key aspects: Ground Conditions, Water Environment, Flood Risk, Marine Licence, Biodiversity
 - 3 November 2021 – Rampion 2 ETG Meeting – Onshore Ecology, Hydrology & Nature Conservation
 - 21 December 2021 – Meeting with Environment Agency and Southern Water to discuss constraints at Warningcamp to New Down Local Wildlife Site (LWS) regarding source protection zones and proposed onshore cable re-routes.
 - 15 February 2022 – Additional targeted Offshore Cable Corridor meeting

- 03 March 2022 – Additional Targeted WFD Meeting
- 22 March 2022 – Meeting with Environment Agency to discuss flood risk and activities within the floodplain.
- 5 May 2022 – Meeting with Southern Water and the Environment Agency to discuss constraints in relation to potential route changes
- 26 May 2022 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – Methodology for Physical Processes, WFD, Benthic ecology, Fish & Shellfish Ecology and Nature Conservation
- 14 September 2022 – Meeting with Southern Water and the Environment Agency to discuss monitoring proposals for groundwater levels and ground investigation works.
- Statutory Consultation carried out under Section 42 of the Planning Act 2008 (18 October to 29 November 2022) – Rampion Offshore Wind Farm Supplementary Consultation. Response from the Environment Agency including key aspects: Groundwater and contaminated land, flood risk, biodiversity and the landfall at Climping.
- 8 November 2022 – Rampion 2 ETG Meeting – Terrestrial ecology and nature conservation
- 21 November 2022 – Rampion 2 ETG Meeting – Soils & agriculture and Ground conditions
- 22 November 2022 – Rampion 2 ETG Meeting – Water environment [Onshore]
- Statutory Consultation carried out under Section 42 of the Planning Act 2008 (4 February – 27 March 2023) - Rampion 2 Offshore Wind Farm Further Supplementary Consultation. Response from the Environment Agency including key aspects: Flood risk, ecology, groundwater and contaminated land.
- 2 March 2023 – Rampion 2 ETG Meeting – Noise and Vibration, Air Quality, Soils and Agriculture and Ground Conditions
- 7 March 2023 – Rampion 2 ETG Meeting – Terrestrial Ecology and Water Environment
- Statutory Consultation carried out under Section 42 of the Planning Act 2008 (28 April – 30 May 2023) – Rampion 2 Offshore Wind Farm Bolney Substation extension Consultation. No objection response from Environment Agency
- 22 June 2023 – ETG meeting for water environment to discuss progress since March 2023, EIA considerations for the final onshore cable route, and outstanding ETG actions.
- 15 February 2024 – Page Turn meeting to discuss Rev C of the Statement of Common Ground, and propose clarify positions on discussion matters now responses have been provided to initial concerns.
- 18 March 2024 – Rampion 2 Expert to Expert BNG Meeting
- 09 May 2024 – Rampion 2 Expert to Expert Meeting about cable laying in SPZ2 and Kitpease Copse
- 20 May 2024 – Rampion 2 Co-Ordination Meeting in Preparation for Deadline 4

- Historic England

- 27 May 2020 – To introduce the Proposed Development and the approach to scoping. Key items covered included an overview of baseline sources, brief characterisation of the historic environment, mitigation approach and planned surveys and likely significant effects
- 09 September 2020 – Steering Group Meeting to introduce the Proposed Development.
- 15 September 2020 – SLVIA/LVIA, Onshore and Offshore Archaeology and Cultural Heritage
- 16 March 2021 – Steering group meeting to provide an update on the Proposed Development and activities undertaken to date.
- 18 March 2021 – SLVIA/LVIA, Onshore and Offshore Archaeology and Cultural Heritage
- Statutory Consultation carried out under Section 42 of the Planning Act 2008 (14 July to 16 September 2021) – RED Targeted Onshore Cable Route Consultation. Response from Historic England dated 15 September 2021 including key topics: Design Envelope, Historic Seascape Character, Terrestrial Heritage assets, Marine Outline Scheme of Archaeology, Commitments Register
- 1 November 2021 – Rampion 2 Steering Group Meeting
- 4 November 2021 – SLVIA/LVIA, Onshore and Offshore Archaeology and Cultural Heritage
- 10 November 2021 – Rampion 2 Expert Topic Group (ETG) Meeting – Historic Environment and Landscape and Visual Impact Assessment (LVIA)
- 22 March 2022 – Additional targeted Marine Archaeology Meeting.
- Statutory Consultation carried out under Section 42 of the Planning Act 2008 (18 October to 29 November 2022) – Rampion Offshore Wind Farm Supplementary Consultation (RED) – onshore cable corridor. Response from Historic England, dated 29th November 2022 including key topics: Requirement for surveys, impacts on buried archaeology, impacts on heritage assets and setting
- 10 November 2022 – ETG Meeting to discuss Historic Environment and Landscape and Visual Impact.
- Statutory Consultation carried out under Section 42 of the Planning Act 2008 (4 February – 27 March 2023) – Rampion Offshore Wind Farm (RED) Further Supplementary Consultation - Targeted Onshore Consultation (1d). Response from Historic England dated 27th March 2023 including key topics: Potential for impacts on buried archaeology, requirement for survey
- Statutory Consultation carried out under Section 42 of the Planning Act 2008 (28 April – 30 May 2023) – Rampion Offshore Wind Farm (RED) Bolney Substation extension Consultation. Response from Historic England dated 25th May 2023. No objection.

- 12 June 2023 – Project Update, Review of consultations, Onshore Update Offshore Update, and establishing the DCO timetable and need for Statements of Common Ground.
- 14 June 2023 – Rampion 2 Expert Topic Group (ETG) Meeting – Landscape and Visual Impact Assessment and Historic Environment
- 15 February 2024 – Statement of Common Ground Page-Turn meeting to review Revision B of the SoCG as previously issued to Historic England within the meeting, and create the new Revision C.
- 8 March 2024 – Meeting to discuss the Written Scheme of Investigation proposed within the DCO suite of documentation.
- 3 June 2024 – Response from Historic England on documents submitted by the Applicant at Deadline 3 (25th April 2024) and in reference to matters addressed at the Issue Specific Hearing held on 16th May.
- Horsham District Council
 - 26 March 2020 – Meeting with local authorities to introduce Project areas of search, engagement and consultation plans alongside broad timetable.
 - 12 May 2020 – Email to HDC Environmental Health Team for information gathering on key constraints and local sensitivities.
 - 5 June 2020 – This principally covered data requests for information on existing private water supply (PWS) information and land contamination records.
 - 15 September 2020 – Rampion 2 ETG Meeting – Seascape, Landscape, Archaeology, Marine Archaeology and Cultural Heritage
 - 10 November 2020 – RED Technical Note dated 10 November 2020. LVIA Study Area and viewpoint selection was undertaken in November and December 2020 with the South Downs National Park Authority (SDNPA), Natural England (NE), West Sussex County Council (WSSCC), HDC, Arun District Council (ADC) and Mid Sussex District Council (MSDC).
 - 4 and 11 December 2020 – LVIA Study Area and viewpoint selection was undertaken in November and December 2020 with the SDNPA, NE, WSSCC, HDC, ADC and MSDC.
 - 18 March 2021 – Rampion 2 ETG – Meeting to discuss Seascape, Landscape and Visual Impact Assessment (SLVIA)/LVIA, Onshore and Offshore Archaeology and Cultural Heritage Historic environment, Terrestrial ecology and nature conservation and water environment.
 - 04 November 2021 – Rampion 2 ETG – SLVIA/LVIA, Onshore and Offshore Archaeology and Cultural Heritage
 - 20 April 2022 – Email from RED to HDC Environmental Health Team consulting on the proposed onshore substation noise monitoring.
 - 29 June 2022 – Email from RED to HDC Environmental Health Team addressing low frequency noise concerns associated with substation operational noise.

- 10 August 2022 – Email from HDC Environmental Team to RED to confirm an objective assessment of the tonal noise should form part of the noise assessment if BS 4142 Noise Assessment of 50 Hertz (Hz) and possibly lower were used and if the Proposed Development were likely to produce ground borne low frequency noise, then BS 4142 should not be used to assess the impact from this noise source.
- 22 November 2022 – Rampion 2 ETG Meeting – Water environment [Onshore]
- Statutory Consultation carried out under Section 42 of the Planning Act 2008 (18 October to 29 November 2022) – Rampion 2 Offshore Wind Farm Supplementary Consultation. Response from HDC on 28 November 2022 including key aspects, amongst other topics, these being: Socio-economics, landscape and visual impact, terrestrial ecology and historic environment.
- Statutory Consultation carried out under Section 42 of the Planning Act 2008 (4 February – 27 March 2023) – Rampion 2 Offshore Wind Farm Further Supplementary Consultation. Response from HDC including key aspects, amongst other topics, these being: Socio-economics, terrestrial ecology, landscape and visual impact, historic environment, air quality, soils, noise and vibration.
- 13 April 2023 – Rampion 2 Construction noise monitoring consultation
- 16 June 2023 – Rampion 2 ETG Meeting – Air Quality, Noise & Vibration, Soils & Agriculture and Ground Conditions
- 29 June 2023 – Meeting with Horsham District Council to discuss the Air Quality Mitigation Strategy
- 23 January 2024 – Rampion 2 ETG Meeting- LVIA (Areas North of SDNP)
- 13 February 2024 – Rampion 2 SoCG Page Turn Review with HDC- Draft Revision C
- 20 February 2024 – Rampion 2 Expert to Expert Meeting on Noise and Vibration
- 26 February 2024 – Oakendene substation – Flood Risk Assessment and evidence base
- 18 March 2024 – Rampion 2 Expert to Expert BNG Meeting
- 30th April 2024 – Flood Risk and Drainage Expert to Expert Meeting
- 1st May 2024 – Water Neutrality Expert to Expert Meeting
- 5th June 2024 – Rampion 2 SoCG Page Turn with HDC- Revision D
- 25th June 2024 – Rampion 2 SoCG Final Page Turn with HDC- Revision E
- 25th June 2024 – LVIA Expert to Expert Meeting
- 19th July 2024 – Air Quality Expert to Expert Meeting
- 23rd July 2024 – Air Quality Expert to Expert Meeting
- 23rd July 2024 – Rampion 2 SoCG Final Page Turn with HDC- Revision G
- 23rd July 2024 – S-106 Meeting
- Marine Aggregates

- 23 February 2021 – Hazard Workshop to discuss with local users the hazards associated with shipping and navigation including what risk those hazards may pose and related environmental measures.
- 6 September 2022 – A post S42 consultation aggregates meeting with Marine Aggregate Companies.
- 25 May 2023 – Stakeholder Meeting Marine Aggregate Companies
- 5 June 2023 – Email received on behalf of Tarmac Marine, Cemex UK Marine and Heidelberg Aggregates Marine confirming that the proposed safety buffer zone is sufficient.
- 1 March 2024 – Page-Turn Meeting with Tarmac Marine, Cemex UK Marine and Heidelberg Aggregates in order to review Statement of Common Ground and Statement of Commonality.
- Marine Management Organisation
 - 04 August 2020 – Draft Terms of Reference sent to MMO for review.
 - 09 September 2020 – First Steering Group Meeting to discuss the EPP.
 - 14 September 2020 – MMO provides comments on draft Terms of Reference (TOR).
 - 17 September 2020 – First ETG Meeting to discuss the methodology for Physical Processes, the Water Framework Directive (WFD), Benthic Ecology, Fish & Shellfish Ecology and Nature Conservation
 - 18 September 2020 – First ETG Meeting to discuss the methodology for Offshore Ornithology.
 - 13 October 2020 – Additional One-to-One ETG Meeting.
 - 13 October 2020 – Document 1: Rampion 2 Characterisation Surveys: Subtidal Habitats Survey: TOR received by the MMO.
 - 21 October 2020 – Evidence Plan Process (EPP) Steering Group meeting to discuss updates for the Proposed Development and activities undertaken.
 - 30 October 2020 – Rampion 2 ETG Response Received from MMO
 - 04 November 2020 – MMO provides comments of Document 1
 - 06 November 2020 - The following documents received by the MMO: Document 2: Rampion 2 Letter response MMO Benthic ToR_061120, Document 3: GBERAM0919_Rampion2_Existing_Benthic_Dataset_V02.jpg and Document 4: GBERAM0919_Rampion2_Sampling Array_V02.jpg
 - 30 November 2020 – Natural England, MMO and Cefas discussed literature, data and publications presented for fisheries and fish ecology for the purpose of the EIA.
 - 11 February 2021 – MMO and scientific advisors from Centre for Environment, Fisheries and Aquaculture Science (Cefas) provide comments on Documents 1-4.
 - 16 March 2021 – EPP Update

- 18 March 2021 – Second ETG Meeting to discuss SLVIA and Marine Archaeology methodology.
- 24 March 2021 – Second ETG Meeting to discuss the methodology for Physical Processes, the Water Framework Directive (WFD), Benthic Ecology, Fish & Shellfish Ecology and Nature Conservation
- 26 March 2021 – Second ETG Meeting to discuss the methodology for Offshore Ornithology.
- 14 July 2021 – Early engagement notifying the MMO of RED's intention to submit an application for development consent under the Planning Act 2008 for the construction, operation and maintenance and associated facilities of a new OWF. Consultation documents included the Preliminary Environmental Information Report (PEIR).
- 15 September 2021 – Section 42 Consultation Response received from MMO by The Applicant.
- 02 November 2021 – Third ETG Meeting to discuss the methodology for Offshore Ornithology.
- 03 November 2021 – Third ETG Meeting to discuss the methodology for Physical Processes, the Water Framework Directive (WFD), Benthic Ecology, Fish & Shellfish Ecology and Nature Conservation
- 04 November 2021 – Third ETG Meeting to discuss Marine Archaeology methodology.
- 15 November 2021 – MMO provides some preliminary initial comments in respect to the DCO application.
- 15 February 2022 – Additional Targeted Offshore Cable Corridor Meeting.
- 24 February 2022 – Additional targeted Underwater Noise (UWN) mitigation meeting.
- 12 April 2022 – Fourth ETG Meeting to discuss the methodology for Offshore Ornithology.
- 26 May 2022 – Fourth ETG Meeting to discuss the methodology for Physical Processes, the Water Framework Directive (WFD) and Benthic Ecology.
- 16 June 2022 – Fourth ETG Meeting to discuss Marine Archaeology methodology.
- 12 September 2022 – Underwater noise Black Bream.
- 14 October 2022 – Statutory consultation carried out pursuant to Section 42 of the Planning Act 2008 notifying the MMO of RED's request for a consultation response of the potential amendments to the onshore cable corridor.
- 21 November 2022 – MMO comment on the potential amendments to the onshore cable corridor noting that the modifications proposed are onshore and terrestrial in nature, thus fall outside of the MMOs jurisdiction.
- 30 March 2023 – Underwater noise in Black Bream
- 15 May 2023 – Alderney Wildlife trust and State of Guernsey project update.

- 23rd February 2024 – Rampion 2 Statement of Common Ground Page Turn Meeting with MMO- Draft A
- 19th April 2024 – Expert to Expert Underwater Noise Meeting
- 24th June 2024 – Expert to Expert Underwater Noise Meeting
- 4th July 2024 – Rampion 2 Statement of Common Ground Page Turn Meeting with MMO- Draft B
- Maritime and Coastguard Agency
 - 02 July 2020 – Agreement on Survey requirements
 - 29 July 2020 – Scoping Response
 - 05 August 2020 – Introduction to Rampion 2 and overview of the methodologies being used for the vessel traffic survey and Navigational Risk Assessment (NRA).
 - 23 February 2021 – Hazard Workshop to discuss with local users the hazards associated with shipping and navigation including what risk those hazards may pose and related environmental measures.
 - 21 September 2021 – Section 42 Response
 - 20 December 2021 – Discussion around the feedback from the MCA and Trinity House to Section 42 consultation phase.
 - 01 February 2022 – Agreement on implementation of a suitable traffic corridor.
 - 04 March 2022 – Discussion of the Rampion 2 site boundary and use of a navigation corridor / Helicopter Refuge Area (HRA).
 - 06 September 2022 – Second Hazard Workshop to discuss with local users the hazards associated with shipping and navigation including any changes following amendments to the Development Consent Order (DCO) Limits.
 - 21 February 2024 – Joint Page Turn meeting to discuss Rev A of all three Statements of Common Ground, and propose clarified positions on discussion matters now responses have been provided to initial concerns.
 - 18 March 2024 – Meeting to discuss MCA response to Rule 6 Letter. This included agreement that the MCA feedback received in relation to emergency response and search and rescue will feed into the SAR Checklist undertaken post consent.
- Mid Sussex District Council
 - 12 May 2020 – Email from RED to MSDC Environmental Health Team for information gathering on key constraints and local sensitivities.
 - 18 May 2020 – MSDC combined meeting with noise and vibration.
 - 2 June 2020 – This has principally covered data requests for information on existing private water supply (PWS) information.
 - 9 June 2020 – Water attenuation and flood risk.
 - 23 July 2020 – This has principally covered data requests for information on existing private water supply (PWS) information and land contamination records.

- 10 August 2020 – Follow up email from RED to MSDC with minutes from call held on 18 May 2020.
- 9 September 2020 – Email from MSDC to RED confirming minutes from Microsoft Teams call 18 May 2020.
- 15 September 2020 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – Seascape, Landscape, Archaeology, Marine Archaeology and Cultural Heritage
- 27 October 2020 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – Transport, Air quality, Noise, Health and Socio-economics
- 10 November 2020 – LVIA Study Area and viewpoint selection was undertaken in November and December 2020 with the South Downs National Park Authority (SDNPA), Natural England (NE), West Sussex County Council (WSCC), Horsham District Council (HDC), Arun District Council (ADC) and MSDC.
- 4 December 2020 – LVIA Study Area and viewpoint selection was undertaken in November and December 2020 with the SDNPA, NE, WSCC, HDC, ADC and MSDC.
- 16 March 2021 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – Traffic, Air Quality, Noise and Socio-economics
- 23 March 2021 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – Onshore ecology, Hydrology and Nature Conservation (onshore)
- Statutory Consultation carried out under Section 42 of the Planning Act 2008 (14 July to 16 September 2021) – RED Targeted Onshore Cable Route Consultation Response from MSDC dated 15 September 2021 including key aspects: Socio-economics, LVIA, Air quality, Soils and agriculture, Noise and vibration, Terrestrial ecology and nature conservation, Transport, Ground conditions, Historic environment and Water environment.
- 3 November 2021 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – Onshore Ecology, Hydrology & Nature Conservation
- 4 November 2021 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – Traffic, Air Quality, Noise and Socioeconomics Meeting. Rampion 2 ETG – SLVIA/LVIA, Onshore and Offshore Archaeology and Cultural Heritage
- 20 April 2022 – Email from RED to MSDC Environmental Health Team consulting on the proposed onshore substation noise monitoring.
- 23 May 2022 – Email from RED to MSDC Environmental Health Team addressing low frequency noise concerns associated with onshore substation operational noise.
- 15 June 2022 – Email from RED to MSDC Environmental Health Team addressing further low frequency noise concerns associated with onshore substation operational noise.
- 17 November 2022 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – Noise & Vibration and Air Quality
- 22 November 2022 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – Water environment [Onshore]
- 1 March 2023 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – Landscape and Visual and Historic Environment

- 7 March 2023 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – Terrestrial Ecology and Water Environment
- 22 June 2023 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – Terrestrial Ecology and Water Environment
- 21 February 2024 – Rampion 2 SoCG Page Turn Review with MSDC- Draft C
- National Air Traffic Systems
 - 7 September 2021 – NATS confirmed that their technical assessment concurred with modelling undertaken of potential impacts on the Pease Pottage radar and that their controllers had expressed concern about the levels of predicted clutter. NATS stated that mitigation was likely to be possible, but that they were unsure as to its scope.
 - 16 February 2022 – NATS confirmed that their Safeguarding Team was exploring issues with ATC and Safeguarding and will be in touch to discuss options and look to progress the matter forward.
 - 11 October 2022 – NATS re-confirmed their objection and stated that further effort is still required on their part to look into the most suitable mitigation options.
 - 14 December 2023 – NATS confirmed there is now a signed off internally Radar Mitigation Scheme available for Rampion 2.
 - 23 February 2024 – Page Turn meeting to discuss Rev A of the Statement of Common Ground, and propose clarified positions on discussion matters now responses have been provided to initial concerns.
 - May - June 2024 – Ongoing discussions with RWE legal representation and JMW (NATS legal representative) on the development and implementation of large radar blanking solution for Pease Pottage.
- National Highways
 - 4 November 2021 – Meeting to discuss the methodology for Traffic/transport. The topic of focus was the use of Crew Support Vessels. A request for more details has been made by National Highways on onshore traffic.
 - 4 November 2021 – Meeting to discuss the methodology for Traffic/transport. The topic of focus was the A27 Arundel Bypass Scheme. Outcome of this topic review was an acknowledgement of the need to consider any design and construction implications on the A27 Arundel Bypass Scheme
 - 4 November 2021 – Meeting to discuss the methodology for Traffic/transport. The topic of focus being the need for an Outline Travel Plan. There was an acknowledgement that the plan needs to encourage sustainable transport options during the construction phase.
 - 20 June 2023 – Rampion 2 Expert Topic Group (ETG) Meeting – Transport and Socio-Economics Discussion
 - 29 June 2023 – Air Quality Mitigation Strategy Discussion. The purpose of the meeting was to discuss the Air Quality Mitigation Strategy including a consideration of the approach to assessment of air quality and a discussion of the data sources used to develop mitigation measures for the proposed development.

- 7 July 2023 – Arboricultural Assessment Discussion The purpose of the meeting was to discuss the arboricultural method, with particular relevance to veteran trees, ancient trees and areas of ancient woodland less than 2 hectares in size.
- 13 July 2023 – Transport Targeted Engagement Meeting 1. Purpose of the meeting was the discussion of the outline Construction Transport Management Plan (CTMP) and the outline Public Rights of Way Management Plan (PRoWMP)
- 20 July 2023 – Transport Targeted Engagement Meeting 2
- 19th July 2024 – National Highways Update Meeting
- 29th July 2024 – National Highways Update Meeting
- Natural England
 - 22 April 2020 – Early engagement was undertaken with Natural England as part of the terrestrial ecology and nature conservation aspect
 - 18 June 2020 – RED project call – South Down National Park Authority (SDNPA) and Natural England
 - 09 September 2020 – Rampion 2 Steering Group – evidence plan process
 - 15 September 2020 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – Seascape, Landscape and Visual Impact Assessment (SLVIA) / Landscape and Visual Impact Assessment (LVIA), Onshore and Offshore Archaeology and Cultural Heritage
 - 17 September 2020 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – methodology for Benthic Ecology, Fish and Shellfish Ecology and Nature Conservation
 - 18 September 2020 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – methodology for Offshore Ornithology, Marine Mammals, and the Habitats Regulations Assessment (HRA)
 - 13 October 2020 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting - additional one-to-one meeting
 - 21 October 2020 – EPP Steering Group meeting to discuss updates for the Proposed Development and activities undertaken.
 - 28 October 2020 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – Onshore Ecology, Hydrology and Nature conservation
 - 10 November 2020 – LVIA study area and viewpoint selection was undertaken in November and December 2020 with the SDNPA, Natural England, West Sussex County Council (WSSCC), Horsham District Council (HDC), Arun District Council (ADC) and Mid-Sussex District Council (MSDC)
 - 27 November 2020 – Rampion 2 additional ETG meeting - Natural England comments.
 - 4 December 2020 – LVIA study area and viewpoint selection was undertaken in November and December 2020 with the SDNPA, Natural England, WSSCC, HDC, ADC and MSDC
 - 7 December 2020 – Email from RED to Natural England - LVIA viewpoint selection
 - 25 February 2021 – Progress meeting with Natural England on SLVIA and Benthic methodology.

- 16 March 2021 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – Traffic, Air Quality, Noise and Socio-economics
- 18 March 2021 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting - SLVIA/LVIA, Onshore and Offshore Archaeology and Cultural Heritage
- 23 March 2021 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – Onshore Ecology, Hydrology and Nature Conservation
- 24 March 2021 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting - methodology for Benthic Ecology, Fish and Shellfish Ecology and Nature Conservation
- 26 March 2021 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – Methodology for Offshore Ornithology, Marine Mammals, and the Habitats Regulations Assessment (HRA)
- 6 April 2021 – RED project update – Proposed survey observations shared with Natural England to confirm the proposed locations and density
- Statutory Consultation carried out under Section 42 of the Planning Act 2008 (14 July to 16 September 2021) - Response from Natural England dated 16 September 2021 including key topics: SLVIA, MCZ, Fish and Shellfish, Benthic Ecology, Coastal Processes, Offshore Ornithology, Marine Mammals, Onshore Ecology, RIAA, LVIA and Soils
- 01 November 2021 – EPP Steering Group meeting to discuss updates on the Proposed Development and activities undertaken.
- 02 November 2021 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – methodology for Offshore Ornithology, Marine Mammals and the HRA
- 03 November 2021 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting - methodology for Benthic Ecology, Fish and Shellfish Ecology and Nature Conservation
- 04 November 2021 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – SLVIA, Cultural heritage and marine archaeology methodology.
- 15 February 2022 – Additional targeted offshore cable corridor meeting
- 24 February 2022 – Additional targeted Underwater Noise (UWN) mitigation meeting
- 02 March 2022 – Additional targeted SLVIA ETG meeting.
- 12 April 2022 – Rampion 2 Expert Topic Group meeting – Methodology for Offshore Ornithology, Marine Mammals and the HRA
- 26 May 2022 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting - methodology for Benthic Ecology, Fish and Shellfish Ecology and Nature Conservation
- 17 June 2022 – Additional targeted SLVIA ETG meeting
- 12 September 2022 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting Underwater noise Black Bream
- 22 September 2022 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting Kittiwake strategic compensation meeting
- 08 November 2022 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – Terrestrial ecology

- 01 March 2023 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – Landscape and visual and Historic Environment
- 07 March 2023 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – Terrestrial ecology and Water environment
- 30 March 2023 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – Underwater noise in Black Bream
- 14 June 2023 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – LVIA and Historic environment
- 16 June 2023 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – Air quality, Noise & vibration, Soils & agriculture and Ground conditions.
- 14 July 2024 – Rampion 2 Wind Farm Piling Noise and Black Seabream – Further information and Response Paper
- 15 February 2024 – Landscape and Visual Assessment - Expert to Expert session
- 15 February 2024 – Rampion 2 Page Turn meeting to discuss Rev A of the Statement of Common Ground, and propose clarified positions on discussion matters now responses have been provided to initial concerns.
- 26 March 2024 – Natural England and RED Rampion 2 Co-Ordination Call
- 17 April 2024 – Meeting to discuss compensation options for kittiwake, razorbill and guillemot.
- 11 June 2024 – Rampion 2 Co-Ordination Meeting (Deadline 5)
- 28 June 2024 – Terrestrial Ecology Expert to Expert Meeting
- 28 June 2024 – Underwater Noise & MEEB Expert to Expert Meeting
- 02 July 2024 – SOCG Page Turn Meeting
- National Grid
 - 16/09/21 – NGET wish to express their interest in further consultation while the impact on our assets is still being assessed. In respect of existing NGET infrastructure, both will require appropriate protection for retained apparatus including compliance with relevant standards for works proposed within close proximity of its apparatus; providing that the order affects NGET apparatus in any way. NGET assets affected by the proposed Order: 4VF Over Head Line (400kV) BOLNEY 400kV substation Where the Promoter intends to acquire land, extinguish rights, or interfere with any of NGET's apparatus, both will require appropriate protection and further discussion on the impact to its apparatus and rights.”
 - 21/09/22 – Matters discussed focused on project introduction and update.
 - 06/05/22, 08/07/22, 14/10/22, 09/05/23, 09/08/23 – Engineering technical design meetings to consider the connection of the Rampion 2 project to the national transmission network.
 - 14/10/22 – Matters discussed focused on consideration of Multiple Parties at Bolney.
 - 29/11/22 – S42 Consultation response on PEIR SIR

- 27/03/23 – Matters discussed include project update, consenting strategy for DCO and land constraints.
- 30/05/23 – S42 Consultation response on PEI Bolney – Matters discussed include project update, background to Mod Offer, Engineering Exchange and Bolney Strategy
- 08/06/23 Modification Application Meeting – Matters discussed include project update, background to Mod Offer, Engineering Exchange and Bolney Strategy
- 03/08/23 NGET Land and Property Meeting – Matters discussed include consenting and land transaction.
- 17/08/23 NGET Asset Protection Information – Asset protection profile drawings provided by NGET Asset Management
- 12/10/23 – Matters Discussed include a project update, Engineering Exchange, Consents Exchange and Land Exchange.
- 09/11/23 – NGET Statement of Common Ground Meeting
- 21/11/23 – Statement of Common Ground Meeting
- 12/12/23 NGET – Statement of Common Ground Meeting
- 25/01/24 – NGET Update on ‘Masterplan for the substation’
- 14/02/24 – Heads of Terms status update
- 07/03/24 – NGET Update on ‘Masterplan for the substation’
- 02/05/24 – NGET Update on ‘Masterplan for the substation’
- 23/05/24 – Status Update on Heads of Terms
- 01/07/24 – Land agreement meeting to be attended by NGET and RED team.
- Shoreham Airport
 - 11/05/2022 – Targeted Civil and Military Aviation meeting with Shoreham Airport to discuss: Timescales for consultation agreed; Results of preliminary Instrument Flight Procedure (IFP) analysis; and the proposal to increase the Terminal Arrival Altitude from 2,000 ft to 2,200 ft to support a turbine tip height of up to 370.5 m.
 - 5/12/2023 – Targeted Civil and Military Aviation meeting with Shoreham Airport to discuss: Project update and consenting timeline, Timescales for updates to the Shoreham Airport Instrument Flight Procedures.
 - 21/02/2024 – Page Turn meeting to discuss Rev A of the Statement of Common Ground.
- South Downs National Park Authority
 - 12 May 2020 – Email from RED to South Downs National Park Authority Planning Enquiries Team for information gathering on key constraints and local sensitivities.
 - 31 July 2020 – RED and SDNPA – Project Update
 - 04 August 2020 – EIA Scoping Consultation response

- 09 September 2020 – Rampion 2 Steering Group Meeting
- 15 September 2020 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – SLVIA/LVIA, Onshore and Offshore Archaeology and Cultural Heritage
- 27 October 2020 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – Transport, Air quality, Noise, Health and Socio-economics
- 28 October 2020 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – Onshore Ecology, Hydrology and Nature Conservation
- 10 November 2020 – LVIA Study Area and viewpoint selection was undertaken in November and December 2020 with the South Downs National Park Authority (SDNPA), Natural England (NE), West Sussex County Council (WSCC), Horsham District Council (HDC), Arun District Council (ADC) and MSDC.
- 18 November 2020 – Terrestrial ecology and Nature Conservation
- 23 November 2020 – RED and SDNPA discussions regarding onshore LVIA.
- 04 December 2020 – LVIA Study Area and viewpoint selection was undertaken in November and December 2020 with the SDNPA, NE, WSCC, HDC, ADC and MSDC.
- 16 March 2021 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – Traffic, Air Quality, Noise and Socio-economics
- 18 March 2021 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – SLVIA/LVIA, Onshore and Offshore Archaeology and Cultural Heritage
- 23 March 2021 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – Onshore ecology, Hydrology and Nature Conservation (onshore)
- 28 April 2021 – Targeted meeting – Additional Seascape ETG Meeting
- Statutory Consultation carried out under Section 42 of the Planning Act 2008 (14 July to 16 September 2021) – Policy, SLVIA, Socio-economics, LVIA, Soils & Agriculture, Noise & Vibration, Ecology & Nature Conservation, Transport, Ground Conditions, Historic Environment, and Method of Construction (Onshore).
- 01 November 2021 – Rampion 2 EPP Steering Group Meeting
- 03 November 2021 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – Onshore Ecology, Hydrology & Nature Conservation
- 04 November 2021 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – Traffic, Air Quality, Noise and Socioeconomics Meeting
- Statutory Consultation carried out under Section 42 of the Planning Act 2008 (18 October to 29 November 2022) – Rampion 2 Offshore Wind Farm Supplementary Consultation. Response from SDNPA including key topics: Development in a National Park; LVIA and Viewpoints; Ecology and Ancient Woodland; and Recreation and Access.
- 02 November 2022 – Rampion 2 meeting with SDNPA and WSCC to discuss survey progress from November 2021 to date.

- 08 November 2022 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting - Terrestrial Ecology
- 09 November 2022 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – Terrestrial ecology and nature conservation
- 10 November 2022 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – Historic Environment and Landscape and Visual Impact Assessment (LVIA)
- 25 November 2022 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – Traffic and Socioeconomics
- 28 November 2022 – Rampion 2 ETG Meeting – Transport and socio-economics
- Statutory Consultation carried out under Section 42 of the Planning Act 2008 (4 February – 27 March 2023) – Rampion 2 Offshore Wind Farm Further Supplementary Consultation. Response from SDNPA (C4-071) including key topics: LVIA and Viewpoints; Cultural Heritage and Historic Environment; Supplemental comments on archaeological finds; Recreation and Access; and Approach to Alternative Routes.
- 21 February 2023 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – Transport and Socio-economics
- 01 March 2023 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – LVIA and Historic environment
- 02 March 2023 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – Noise and vibration, Air quality, Soils and agriculture and Ground conditions.
- 07 March 2023 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – Terrestrial ecology and Water environment
- 13 April 2023 – Email communication with SDNPA regarding the methodology and scope for construction noise monitoring.
- 14 June 2023 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – Landscape and Visual Impact Assessment and Historic Environment
- 16 June 2023 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – Air Quality, Noise & Vibration, Soils & Agriculture and Ground Conditions
- 20 June 2023 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – Transport and Socio Economics
- 22 June 2023 – Rampion 2 ETG meeting – Terrestrial Ecology and Water Environment
- 13 July 2023 – Further engagement with West Sussex County Council, Horsham District Council, SDNPA and National Highways regarding traffic modelling methodology, access numbering and visibility splays.
- 20 July 2023 – Further engagement with West Sussex County Council, and SDNPA to discuss access numbering, traffic data, survey and provision of further information.
- 25 January 2024 – Rampion 2 Expert to Expert Meeting- LVIA
- 01 February 2024 – Follow up Rampion 2 Expert to Expert Meeting- LVIA
- 15th February 2024 – Rampion 2 Expert to Expert Meeting- LVIA regarding areas within the National Park

- 11th March 2024 – Rampion 2 Statement of Common Ground Page Turn Meeting- Rev C
- 19th March 2024 – Rampion 2 Expert to Expert BNG Meeting
- 28th March 2024 – Rampion 2 Expert to Expert SLIVA/LVIA Meeting
- 17th April 2024 – Rampion 2 SDNPA Expert to Expert Terrestrial Ecology Meeting
- 31/05/24 – Rampion 2 Statement of Common Ground Page Turn Meeting- Rev D
- 26/06/24 – Rampion 2 Statement of Common Ground Page Turn Meeting and Section 106 discussion- Rev F
- 28th March 2024 – Rampion 2 Expert to Expert SLIVA/LVIA Meeting
- 17th April 2024 – Rampion 2 SDNPA Expert to Expert Terrestrial Ecology Meeting
- 31/05/24 – Rampion 2 Statement of Common Ground Page Turn Meeting- Rev D
- 26/06/24 – Rampion 2 Statement of Common Ground Page Turn Meeting and Section 106 discussion- Rev F
- 25/07/24 – Rampion 2 Statement of Common Ground Final Page Turn Meeting and Close Out
- Sussex Inshore Fisheries and Conservation Authority House
 - 17/09/2020 – Rampion 2 Expert Topic Group Meeting - Fish and Shellfish Ecology methodology.
 - 24/03/2021 – Rampion 2 Expert Topic Group Meeting - Fish and Shellfish Ecology methodology.
 - 03/11/2021 – Rampion 2 Expert Topic Group Meeting - Fish and Shellfish Ecology methodology.
 - 24/02/2022 – Underwater Noise Mitigation Targeted Meeting
 - 12/09/2022 – Underwater Noise Black Bream Survey Queries Meeting
 - 30/03/2023 – Underwater Noise and Impacts on Fish Receptors
 - 19/02/2024 – Rampion 2 SoCG Page Turn Review with SxIFCA- Draft Revision A
 - 02/07/24 – Rampion 2 SoCG Page Turn Review with SxIFCA- Draft Revision B
- Trinity House
 - 02 July 2020 – Agreement on Survey requirements
 - 05 August 2020 – Introduction to Rampion 2 and overview of the methodologies being used for the vessel traffic survey and Navigational Risk Assessment (NRA).
 - 23 February 2021 – Hazard Workshop to discuss with local users the hazards associated with shipping and navigation including what risk those hazards may pose and related environmental measures.
 - 16 September 2021 – Section 42 Response

- 20 December 2021 – Discussion around the feedback from the MCA and Trinity House to Section 42 consultation phase.
- 06 September 2022 – Second Hazard Workshop to discuss with local users the hazards associated with shipping and navigation including any changes following amendments to the Development Consent Order (DCO) Limits.
- 21 February 2024 – Joint Page Turn meeting to discuss Rev A of all three Statements of Common Ground, and propose clarified positions on discussion matters now responses have been provided to initial concerns.
- 11 June 2024 – Trinity House response via email confirming agreement to the drafting the DCO/DMLs, with minor requested changes.
- UK Chamber of Shipping
 - 10 August 2020 – Rampion 2 kick-off meeting
 - 23 February 2021 – Hazard Workshop to discuss with local users the hazards associated with shipping and navigation including what risk those hazards may pose and related environmental measures.
 - 21 September 2021 – Section 42 Response
 - 25 January 2022 – Opportunity to discuss the UK Chamber of Shipping’s Section 42 response and introduce the indicative Assessment Boundary for the Environmental Statement (ES).
 - 13 April 2022 – Response to Rampion 2 meeting minutes
 - 06 September 2022 – Second Hazard Workshop to discuss with local users the hazards associated with shipping and navigation including what risk those hazards may pose and related environmental measures.
 - 21 February 2024 – Joint Page Turn meeting to discuss Rev A of all three Statements of Common Ground, and propose clarified positions on discussion matters now responses have been provided to initial concerns.
- West Sussex County Council
 - 25/08/2020 – Discussion of Terrestrial ecology and nature conservation, sensitive sites and WSCC enhancement comments.
 - 09/09/2020 – Steering group meeting to discuss the Project background, activities undertaken to date and key offshore and onshore issues from the Scoping Report.
 - 15/09/2020 – First ETG Meeting to discuss SLVIA, LVIA, Archaeology and Cultural Heritage.
 - 28/10/2020 – ETG meeting to discuss Onshore ecology, hydrology and nature conservation.
 - 29/10/2020 – ETG meeting to discuss Transport, Air quality, Noise and Vibration, Health and Socio-economics.
 - 15/03/2021 – Meeting to discuss WSCC comments on Socio-economic and Tourism method statement.

- 16/03/2021 – Steering group meeting to discuss updates on the Proposed Development, offshore and onshore activities and informal consultation.
- 16/03/2021 – ETG meeting to discuss Traffic, Air quality, Noise and vibration and Socio-economics.
- 18/03/2021 – ETG Meeting to discuss SLVIA, LVIA, Onshore archaeology and Cultural heritage and Marine archaeology.
- 23/03/2021 – ETG meeting to discuss Onshore ecology, Hydrology and Onshore nature conservation.
- 28/04/2021 – Additional Targeted SLVIA ETG Meeting.
- 18/08/2021 – Update meeting for Terrestrial ecology and nature conservation.
- Statutory Consultation carried out under Section 42 of the Planning Act 2008 (14 July to 16 September 2021) – Response from WSCC dated 16 September 2021 including key aspects: Air quality; Ground conditions; Soils and agriculture; Historic environment; Seascape, Landscape and Visual Impacts; Terrestrial ecology and nature conservation; Socio-economics; Water environment; and Transport.
- 14/10/2021 – Engagement with WSCC regarding Traffic and transport.
- 01/11/2021 – Steering group meeting to discuss updates on the Proposed Development and S42 consultation.
- 03/11/2021 – ETG meeting to discuss Onshore Ecology, Hydrology and Nature conservation.
- 04/11/2021 – ETG meeting to discuss SLVIA, LVIA, Cultural heritage and Archaeology.
- 04/11/2021 – ETG meeting to discuss Traffic, Air quality, Noise and vibration and Socio-economics.
- 06/02/2022 – Fifth Steering Group Meeting.
- 23/02/2022 – Update meeting regarding onshore historic environment geophysical survey.
- 02/03/2022 – Additional Targeted SLVIA ETG Meeting.
- 01/04/2022 – Targeted meeting to discuss local sources of flood risk.
- 16/06/2022 – ETG Meeting to discuss Marine Archaeology methodology.
- 02/08/2022 – Meeting with SDNPA and WSCC to discuss survey progress since November 2021.
- 05/09/2022 – Steering Group Meeting.
- 10/11/2022 – ETG meeting to discuss LVIA and Terrestrial ecology.
- Statutory Consultation carried out under Section 42 of the Planning Act 2008 (18 October to 29 November 2022) – Rampion 2 Offshore Wind Farm Supplementary Consultation. Response from WSCC dated 29 November 2022 including key topics:

Arboriculture; Biodiversity; Cultural Heritage; Landscape and Visual Impact (LVIA); Public Rights of Way (PRoW); and Traffic and Transport.

- 17/11/2022 – ETG meeting to discuss Noise and vibration and Air quality.
- 21/11/2022 – ETG meeting to discuss Soils and agriculture and Ground conditions
- 22/11/2022 – ETG meeting to discuss Water environment.
- 28/11/2022 – ETG meeting to discuss Transport and Socio-economics.
- 21/02/2023 – ETG meeting to discuss Transport and Socio-economics
- 26/02/2023 – Discussion of the scope of onshore Historic environment geophysical surveys with WSCC County Archaeologist.
- Statutory Consultation carried out under Section 42 of the Planning Act 2008 (4 February – 27 March 2023) – Rampion 2 Offshore Wind Farm Further Supplementary Consultation. Response from WSCC dated 27 March 2023 including key topics: Cultural Heritage; Traffic and Transport; Arboriculture; Biodiversity; and Public Rights of Way.
- 01/03/2023 – ETG meeting to discuss LVIA and Historic environment.
- 02/03/2023 – ETG meeting to discuss Noise and vibration, Air quality, Soils and agriculture and Ground conditions.
- 07/03/2023 – ETG meeting to discuss Terrestrial ecology and Water environment.
- 21/03/2023 – ETG meeting to discuss LVIA and Historic environment
- 19/04/2023 – Targeted meeting with WSCC Highways officers regarding transport.
- 12/06/2023 – Steering Group Meeting.
- 14/06/2023 – ETG meeting to discuss LVIA and Historic environment.
- 16/06/2023 – ETG meeting to discuss Air Quality, Noise and vibration, Soils and agriculture and Ground conditions.
- 20/06/2023 – ETG meeting for Transport and Socio-economics
- 13/07/2023 – Meeting with SDNPA and WSCC to discuss access numbering, traffic data, survey and further information.
- 20/07/2023 – Meeting with WSCC to discuss initial concerns and potential scope of site access Road Safety Audits and speed survey requirements.
- 25/01/2024 – LVIA Expert to expert meeting
- 21/03/2024 – LVIA Expert to Expert Meeting
- 15/02/2024 – LVIA Expert to Expert Meeting
- 27/02/2024 – Oakendene substation – Flood Risk Assessment and evidence base
- 14/03/2024 – Statement of Common Ground Page Turn Meeting to discuss Rev A and address outstanding concerns and close out any ongoing points of discussion
- 18/03/2024 – Rampion 2 Expert to Expert BNG Meeting

- 17/04/2024 – Rampion 2 ETG Meeting- Socio-Economics WSCC-R2
- 23/04/2024 – Mineral Resource Assessment
- 25/04/2024 – Biodiversity Net Gain
- 30/04/2024 – Water Environment Meeting- Flood Risk
- 30/05/2024 – Statement of Common Ground Page Turn Meeting to discuss Rev D and address outstanding concerns and close out ongoing points of discussion
- 25/06/24 – LVIA and Noise Expert to Expert Meeting
- 26/06/24 – Terrestrial Ecology Expert to Expert Meeting
- 27/06/24 – Statement of Common Ground Page Turn Meeting to discuss Rev E and address outstanding concerns and close out ongoing points of discussion
- 02/07/24 – Transport Expert to Expert Meeting
- 02/07/2024 – Historic Environment Expert to Expert Close Out Meeting
- 19/07/24 – Minerals Expert to Expert Meeting
- 22/07/2024 – Terrestrial Ecology Expert to Expert Meeting
- 29/07/2024 – Historic Environment Expert to Expert Meeting
- 30/07/2024 – Traffic and Transport Expert to Expert Meeting



Appendix A – Correspondence with the Civil Aviation Authority

Valentine, Callum

From: Milititsky, Maria da Assuncao
Sent: 14 September 2023 09:25
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: Rampion 2 statement of common ground template
Attachments: Rampion 2 SoCG_Template V1.0_GENERAL.docx

To the Civil Aviation Authority,

On behalf of the offshore wind farm project Rampion 2, I am glad to share with the Civil Aviation Authority the news that Rampion 2 application has been accepted for examination by the Planning Inspectorate. Following acceptance and in preparation for examination, we would like to share with you a template we have drafted for the statements of common ground (SoCG) we are to progress with relevant stakeholders. We would like to have your views on the attached template, ideally by **COB 22nd of September**.

Once we finalise the template and following the relevant representations period we will populate each SoCG with the relevant information and progress the development of each SoCG in collaboration with the respective stakeholder.

All Rampion 2 application documents are now available on the Planning Inspectorate website using the following link [Documents | Rampion 2 Offshore Wind Farm \(planninginspectorate.gov.uk\)](https://www.planninginspectorate.gov.uk/Documents/Rampion2OffshoreWindFarm).

Please let me know if I should be using an alternative contact email for such matters otherwise looking forward to hearing from you.

Kind regards,

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Valentine, Callum

From: Milititsky, Maria da Assuncao
Sent: 21 September 2023 08:49
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: Rampion 2 relevant representations period

Dear Barry and Civil Aviation Authority,

Our section 56 notices have been going out this week announcing our relevant representations period running from 20 September to 4 November. All of our application documents have been published on [Rampion 2 Offshore Wind Farm | National Infrastructure Planning \(planninginspectorate.gov.uk\)](#), and PINS have also created a library to aid navigation [EN010117-000419-Rampion 2 Exam Library.pdf \(planninginspectorate.gov.uk\)](#).

We thought it would be useful to arrange a quick call next month, once you've had a chance to review the application documents. We are keen to signpost information within the documents, or answer queries arising, so that your representations to PINS can be focussed on the main issues. We could also use the call to arrange further bilateral engagement on identified topics if needed. We also thought it would be helpful to address jointly CAA and Brighton City Airport but it can be arranged separately as well.

If you find this would be useful could you let us know your team's availability on 17 and 18 October, so that we can schedule a 45 min call.

Kind regards,

Maria

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From: Milititsky, Maria da Assuncao
Sent: 06 February 2024 12:49
To: [REDACTED]
Cc: Lomas, Ellie; Carney, Matt
Subject: FW: Draft Statement of Common Ground with Rampion 2
Attachments: Rampion 2 SoCG CAA Rev A 18.01.24.docx; Rampion 2 SoCG CAA Rev A 18.01.24.pdf; 8.21 Rampion 2 Statement of Commonality for Statements of Common Ground Rev A.pdf

Good afternoon,

Are you and/or colleagues available to meet after the hearings to progress the SoCG? We've suggested w/c 12 Feb below, so please let me know if you have availability that week and when might suit you best. (A couple of options would be very helpful please).

The purpose of the meeting will be to do a page turn of the SOCG to check that we have captured your Relevant Reps and that we have understood your issues correctly. The SOCG status ratings for each item need a check between us too – as these are what has fed into the Statement of Commonality – and we are open to amending them and reissuing to PINs for deadline 1.

We can answer any initial queries you may have to our responses as well, and are open to arranging expert to expert discussions which may ultimately be needed to take them forward.

We can also discuss if there are any points to also capture from the hearing as an update to the SOCG.

Kind regards,

Maria

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From: Milititsky, Maria da Assuncao
Sent: Thursday, January 18, 2024 7:06 PM

To: [Redacted]
Cc: [Redacted]

Subject: Draft Statement of Common Ground with Rampion 2

Good afternoon,

Please find attached the first version of the Statement of Common Ground Rampion 2 would like to progress with CAA. Although CAA has not raise any objection or concerns to date we would like to progress a Statement of Common Ground as to inform the Examining Authority of the current status, even if just to confirm CAA has no concerns with the project.

We welcome your review and comments – please use tracked changes and comment boxes if possible. In the first instance, please confirm that the opening positions we have captured are a true reflection of your current position.

The way we are working with other stakeholders is to work through the issues to seek to resolve as many of them as possible during the course of the examination, and to facilitate that we would like to facilitate expert to expert discussions as and when needed, and will convene a SOCG page-turn meeting ahead of each of the PINs deadlines to see if the positions on either side can be amended until hopefully all matters are closed.

We will issue calendar invitations for the page turns shortly to secure time for our discussions. We will seek to find a time in the broad windows below that work for you:

PINS Deadline 1	20 th of February	Call: week commencing 12 th February
PINS Deadline 2	29 th of February	No call needed prior to this deadline for you to submit written representations. However, you can use the SOCG from the 20 th Feb to inform your position.
PINS Deadline 3	15 th of March	Call: week commencing 26 th of Feb/4 th of March
PINS Deadline 4	18 th of April	Call: between 25 th March and 11 th of April (flexibility to find a date around Easter)
PINS Deadline 5	3 rd of June	Call: week commencing 6 th /13 th of May.
PINS Deadline 6	9 th of July	Call: week commencing 10 th /24 th June

For reference the full PINS timetable is available here in the PINs Rule 6 letter: [EN010117-000494-Rampion 2 Rule 6 Letter.pdf \(planninginspectorate.gov.uk\)](#).

PINs have not requested submission of the Statements of Common Ground at this stage – and only formally request a submission at the final deadline 6. Instead PINs have requested a high level tracker – called the Statement of Commonality - which you can also find in attachment. We have been working to a tight deadline to produce this and while we have submitted it to PINs to meet their Procedural Deadline A of the 16th January; we would like to ensure you agree with the status reported and will submit any amendments we agree between us for Deadline 1 – the 20th of February.

Please don't hesitate to get in touch.

Kind Regards,

Maria

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Valentine, Callum

From: Davies, Tomos [REDACTED]
Sent: 13 June 2024 13:19
To: [REDACTED]
Cc: Matt Burling; Lomas, Ellie; Milititsky, Maria da Assuncao
Subject: CAA - Request for Response on Rampion 2 Application Documents
Attachments: Draft Statement of Common Ground with Rampion 2 (2.48 MB); Rampion 2 statement of common ground template (1.64 MB); FW: Draft Statement of Common Ground with Rampion 2 (2.49 MB)

Dear Civil Aviation Authority,

I hope this message finds you well. I am writing to inform you that all application documents pertaining to the Rampion 2 project are now accessible on the Planning Inspectorate website. You can find these documents under the following link: "[Documents | Rampion 2 Offshore Wind Farm](#)" on the Planning Inspectorate's website.

We have yet to receive any communication or response from the CAA regarding the "Statements of Common Ground" document, which is due for submission at Deadline 5 (July 9th). For your convenience, I have attached our previous communications sent to the CAA for your reference.

If there is an alternative email address that we should be using for such matters, kindly inform us. Otherwise, we look forward to your response.

Best regards,

Tomos Davies
Offshore Consents Manager

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