



COVER LETTER (2)

Drax Bioenergy with Carbon Capture and Storage

Planning Act 2008

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The Planning Act 2008 – section 51 ‘Advice following issue of decision to accept the application for examination’

The Drax Power Station Bioenergy with Carbon Capture and Storage Extension Order

Dear Mr Harrold,

1. With reference to the above and following the receipt of the advice provided under section 51 of the Planning Act 2008 (‘PA 2008’), including the section 55 checklist, following the Secretary of State’s decision to accept the application (‘the Application’) from Drax Power Limited (‘the Applicant’) for a Development Consent Order (‘DCO’) on 20 June 2022, we write to provide a response to the advice.

Notification of consultees identified on a precautionary basis

2. The Applicant notes the advice to adopt a precautionary approach to consultation, and will serve notice of the accepted application under section 56(2)(a) and (aa) of the PA2008 to all the parties identified in Box 6 of the section 55 checklist, as set out below:
 - The Maritime and Coastguard Agency
 - Sheffield City Region Integrated Transport Authority
 - Network Rail Ltd
 - The Humber Bridge Board
 - Last Mile Gas Ltd
 - Murphy Gas Networks Ltd
 - Murphy Power Distribution Ltd
 - Squire Energy Ltd

- Southern Gas Networks Plc
 - Northern Gas Networks Ltd
 - Drax Pumped Storage Ltd
 - Drax Power Ltd
 - Forbury Assets Ltd
 - Indigo Power Ltd
 - Last Mile Electricity Ltd
 - Northern Powergrid (Northeast) Ltd
 - Northern Powergrid (Yorkshire) Plc
 - National Grid Electricity System Operator
 - The Marine Management Organisation
3. In addition, the Applicant will ensure that the North York Moors National Park Authority and the Yorkshire Dales National Park Authority are consulted as 'D' authorities only (rather than 'A' and 'D' authorities as previously consulted for the s42 consultation).
4. For all future publicity required regarding this Application, the Applicant confirms that it will ensure that publicity material will invite recipients to request consultation information in other languages or formats, should this be required to facilitate access to documents.

Category 3 Affected Person potentially omitted from list of prescribed consultees

5. The Applicant notes the advice to ensure consultation with all Category 3 Affected Persons identified in the Book of Reference ((Document 4.3) as identified in Box 10 of the section 55 checklist, and will serve notice of the accepted application under section 56(2)(d) of the PA2008 to all Affected Persons.

Plans

6. In response to the section 51 advice, the Applicant has updated the Works Plans (document reference 2.3, Rev P02, July 2022) and the Indicative Plans and Elevations (document reference 2.5, Rev P02, July 2022) to show the direction of North on each sheet, and ensure sheet numbers are included , where appropriate. The Applicant confirms that there was no necessity to update the Plans to refer to limits of deviation for each numbered work, and the Draft DCO (document reference 3.1, Rev 02, July 2022) has been updated accordingly. (Please see paragraph 7 below).

Minor Errors and Omissions

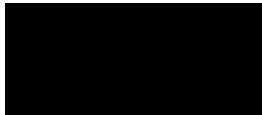
7. The Applicant has updated a number of documents to address other minor errors and omissions identified in the section 51 advice and in Box 30 of the section 55 checklist. The full list of updated documents submitted in response to the advice, and accompanying this cover letter (2) (document reference 8.2.1), is provided below:

Document Reference	Document Name	Revision	Date
1.4	Application Document Tracker	02	July 2022
1.5	Electronic Application Index	02	July 2022

2.3	Works Plans	P02	July 2022
2.5	Indicative Plans and Elevations	P02	July 2022
3.1	Draft Development Consent Order	02	July 2022
3.2	Explanatory Memorandum	02	July 2022
4.1	Statement of Reasons	02	July 2022
6.3.5.1	Outline Construction Traffic Management Plan	02	July 2022

8. We enclose with this letter the updated Application documents (as listed at paragraph 7 above) via WeTransfer, as agreed with PINS via email on 06 July 2022.
9. We trust the information submitted in response to the section 51 advice and section 55 checklist are helpful, and will assist any future Examining Authority.
10. Please do not hesitate to contact me should you have any queries regarding this response. We look forward to receiving acknowledgement of the receipt of this response, and hopefully, in due course, confirmation of its acceptance in to the Examination.

Yours sincerely



Jim Doyle
Environmental Consents Officer

