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Dear Mr Harrold,

**Planning Act 2008, Infrastructure Planning (Compulsory Acquisition) Regulations 2010 -  
Regulations 9a and 9b, and Schedules 3 and 4  
Application by Drax Power Limited for an Order Granting Development Consent for the Drax  
Bioenergy with Carbon Capture and Storage Project  
Document Reference 8.2.12 (Cover Letter 13)**

On behalf of Drax Power Limited, please find enclosed the following documents, submitted in relation to above application for a Development Consent Order:

- **Notice** - in accordance with regulation 9(a) and Schedule 3 to the Infrastructure Planning (Compulsory Acquisition) Regulations 2010, notification to the Secretary of State of the persons who, following the Applicant's diligent inquiry, have been identified as having an interest in the additional land; and
- **Certificate** - in accordance with regulation 9(b) and Schedule 4 to the Infrastructure Planning (Compulsory Acquisition) Regulations 2010 certifying to the Secretary of State of its compliance with regulation 7 of those regulations.

Drax Power Limited notes that, as shown on the Certificate, one party (North Yorkshire County Council - a Regulation 7(1)(a) authority) was missed and did not receive the Notification as intended. North Yorkshire County Council subsequently confirmed to the Applicant on following up on this matter verbally on 16<sup>th</sup> February, and in writing on 20<sup>th</sup> February that they had no representations to make concerning the land acquisition relating to the change application. They also confirmed that the Authorities (NYCC and SDC) have been fully aware of the change application and have had opportunities to comment regardless of the oversight. Selby District Council received the notification as scheduled and the Authorities have responded to the application jointly. NYCC note that they and SDC also worked closely with the Applicant's team in the lead up to the submission of the change application. NYCC is in ongoing discussions with the Applicant, which has been the case from the early pre-application stage as set out in the SoCG



with NYCC and SDC (REP-018). Importantly, the Applicant notes that NYCC has no interest in the additional land.

As Development Director, I have signed the certificates on behalf of Drax Power Limited.

Yours sincerely,



**David Ball**  
Development Director  
Drax Power Limited

Enclosed: Signed, dated, Regulation 9(a) Notice and 9(b) Certificate.