

**APPLICATION BY ECOTRICITY (HECK FEN SOLAR) LTD FOR AN ORDER GRANTING DEVELOPMENT CONSENT FOR THE PROPOSED HECKINGTON FEN SOLAR PROJECT**

**Issue Specific Hearing 2 (ISH2)**

**Date:** Wednesday 20 September 2023

**Venue:** Boston United Football Ground and MS Teams

**Action Points**

No	Party	Action	Deadline
ISH2 – AP1	Black Sluice Internal Drainage Board (IDB)	<b>Change Application</b> IDB to submit a summary/ further information on the potential plantation scheme to offset loss of trees near the Bicker Fen substation.	D1
ISH2- AP2	Applicant	<b>Planning Policy and guidance</b> Update to planning/need statement in the form of an addendum to reflect any changes to policy/guidance that arises during the Examination.	At each Deadline as necessary
ISH2- AP3	Applicant	<b>Generating and Storage Capacity, Electricity Export</b> Submit explanation of difference in ranges dependent on worst case assessments. Review existing documents and make clear the reason for the different ranges.	D1
ISH2 – AP4	Applicant	<b>Need and Benefits</b> Provide an explanation why some socio-economic benefits (e.g. accommodation demand) are only attributed to North Kesteven and not Boston.	D1
ISH2- AP7	Applicant	<b>Cumulative Assessment</b> Update short list/long list of projects in cumulative assessment. Interrelationship with other Nationally Significant Infrastructure Projects (NSIPs) report to include additional NSIPs and other planning applications for solar parks as agreed with relevant planning authorities(RPAs).	D2

No	Party	Action	Deadline
ISH2-AP8	Applicant	<b>Habitats Regulations Assessment (HRA)</b> HRA methodology – confirm if scope agreed with Natural England	D2
ISH2-AP9	Applicant	<b>In-combination effects</b> Ensure table 3 of section 8 is updated in the next version of the HRA so that it is consistent with additional projects considered for cumulative effects.	D2
ISH2 – AP10	Applicant	<b>European Sites</b> Provide a summary table of all European sites in the next version of the HRA in accordance with PINS advice note 10 section 6.	D2
ISH2-AP11	All RPAs	<b>Accompanied Site Inspection (ASI)</b> RPAs to suggest locations/viewpoints for the ASI	D1