

# West Burton Solar Project

## The Applicant's Response to Procedural Deadline B

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Dear Louise,

**Planning Act 2008 - Application for a Development Consent Order for West Burton Solar Project.**  
**Application Ref: EN010132**

This letter sets out West Burton Solar Project's ('the Applicant's') response to the Examining Authority's (ExA's) Rule 6 letter dated 11 October 2023 in respect of Procedural Deadline B.

**Requests to be Heard Orally**

The Applicant would like the opportunity to speak at the Preliminary Meeting, Open Floor Hearing 1 and Issue Specific Hearing 1 when and as appropriate. The attendees from the Applicant's team are as follows:

**Preliminary Meeting, Open Floor Hearing 1 and Issue Specific Hearing 1**

- Eve Browning, Island Green Power (speaker);
- Dave Elvin, Island Green Power (speaker);
- Claire Brodrick, Pinsent Masons LLP (speaker);
- Gareth Phillips, Pinsent Masons LLP (speaker);
- Ruth Taylor, Pinsent Masons LLP (observer);
- Jane Crichton, Lanpro (speaker);
- Tara Sethi, Lanpro (speaker);
- Si Gillett, Humbeat (speaker)

- Chris Jackson, Lanpro (speaker);
- Wendy Wright, Lanpro (attending virtually);
- Harry Fox, Clarkson & Woods (speaker);
- Joel Wright Clarkson & Woods (speaker);
- Daniel Baird, Daniel Baird Soil Consultancy Ltd (speaker)
- Mitchell Pollington, Lanpro (speaker);
- Alice James, Lanpro (speaker);
- Emily Mercer, Lanpro (speaker); and
- Robert Roughan, Transport Planning Associates (speaker).

### **Examination Timetable**

The Applicant notes the draft Examination Timetable as set out in Annex C of the ExA's Rule 6 letter dated 11 October 2023 and would like to make the following comments on it:

- 1) The Applicant has sought to secure the Lincolnshire Showground for Item number 13 of the draft Examination Timetable (being time reserved for hearings and an Accompanied Site Inspection week commencing 22 January 2024). The Lincolnshire Showground has no availability that week. The Applicant is investigating the options of availability at other nearby venues for that week which include the Hilton Doubletree, Lincoln; Thonock Park, Gainsborough and Hemsell Court, Gainsborough.
- 2) Alternatively, the Lincolnshire Showground has availability from Wednesday 31 January until Friday 2 February 2024. The Applicant has provisionally booked these dates.

Yours sincerely,



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