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1 Introduction

1.1 Purpose of this document

- 1.1.1 This document sets out the changes that have been made to the documents submitted by Cottam Solar Project Limited (the 'Applicant') for a Development Consent order on 12 January 2023.
- 1.1.2 For each of the other revised documents submitted during the pre-examination period and at each of the Examination Deadlines, the Tables in Section 2 provide a summary of the changes, the reason for the changes and the references for both the previous version and the new version of the document.
- 1.1.3 The Tables in Section 3 set out the detailed changes made to the draft Development Consent Order. The Tables in Section 4 provide detail of changes to the Land Plan, while the Tables in Sections 5 and 6 relate to the Book of Reference.



2 Schedule of Changes to Previously Submitted Documents

Table 2.1: Schedule of Changes Made during the Pre-Examination Period

	Submitted Document Reference	Revision and New Reference	Date	Change	Reason for Change
C1.3 Guide to the Application	[APP-003]	Revision A [AS-005]	24 April 2023	Guide to the Application updated to reflect revised documents and additional documents.	To provide an overview of the submitted documents and to keep track of document references.
C2.2 Land Plan	[APP-006]	Revision A [AS-006]	24 April 2023	and to correctly identify rights being sought to ensure consistency with the Draft Development Consent Order, Book of	Section 51 (PA2008) or to comments provided
C2.4 Works Plan	[APP-007]	Revision A [AS-007]	24 April 2023	the Draft Development Consent Order. Missing labels have been added to all works areas, and erroneous inclusion of works have been amended.	In response to advice issued by PINS under Section 51 (PA2008) or to comments provided by PINS within the section 55 checklist relating to the application. Please refer to C8.1.1 Cottam Solar Project Pre-Examination Response to S51 Advice Cover Letter [AS-004].
C2.5 Public Rights of Way Plan	[APP-008]	Revision A [AS-008]	24 April 2023		In response to advice issued by PINS under Section 51 (PA2008) or to comments provided by PINS within the section 55 checklist relating to the application. Please refer to C8.1.1 Cottam Solar Project Pre-Examination Response to S51 Advice Cover Letter [AS-004].



Document Name	Submitted Document Reference	Revision and New Reference	Date	Change	Reason for Change
C2.12 Crown Land Plan	[APP-014]	Revision A [AS-009]	24 April 2023	increase the font size of plot descriptions.	In response to advice issued by PINS under Section 51 (PA2008) or to comments provided by PINS within the section 55 checklist relating to the application. Please refer to C8.1.1 Cottam Solar Project Pre-Examination Response to S51 Advice Cover Letter [AS-004].
C2.13 Streets Plan	[APP-015]	Revision A [AS-010]	24 April 2023	reference points 19c, 19d, 19e, and 19f, and offset away from the road for clarity.	In response to advice issued by PINS under Section 51 (PA2008) or to comments provided by PINS within the section 55 checklist relating to the application. Please refer to C8.1.1 Cottam Solar Project Pre-Examination Response to S51 Advice Cover Letter [AS-004].
C3.1 Draft Development Consent Order	[APP-018]	Revision A [AS-013]	24 April 2023	erroneous information have been corrected.	In response to advice issued by PINS under Section 51 (PA2008) or to comments provided by PINS within the section 55 checklist relating to the application. Please refer to C8.1.1 Cottam Solar Project Pre-Examination Response to S51 Advice Cover Letter [AS-004].
C4.1 Statement of Reasons	[APP-018]	Revision A [AS-013]	24 April 2023	erroneous plot numbers have been corrected.	In response to advice issued by PINS under Section 51 (PA2008) or to comments provided by PINS within the section 55 checklist relating to the application. Please refer to C8.1.1 Cottam Solar Project Pre-Examination Response to S51 Advice Cover Letter [AS-004].



	Document	and New	Deadline and Date Submitted	Change	Reason for Change
C4.3 Book of Reference	[APP-020]	Revision A [AS-015]	·	interested party contact information have been made. Changes to plot information as a result of description changes, additional,	Section 51 (PA2008) or to comments provided by PINS within the section 55 checklist

Table 2.2: Schedule of Changes Made at Deadline 1

Document Updated	Document	New Document Reference	Deadline and Date Submitted	Change	Reason for Change
C1.3_A Guide to the Application	[AS-005]	Revision B [EX1/C1.3_B]	17 October		To provide an overview of the submitted documents and to keep track of document references.
C2.2_A Land Plan	[AS-006]	Revision B [EX1/C2.2_A]	Deadline 1 17 October 2023	See Table 4.1 below.	See Table 4.1 below.
C2.13_A Streets Plan	[AS-010]	Revision B [EX1/C2.13_B]	17 October	show private access to be temporarily	ExA Request ISH1. To identify private roads that might be affected by Article 12.



Updated	Submitted Document Reference	Document	Deadline and Date Submitted	Change	Reason for Change
				private access subject to traffic regulation measures.	
C3.1_A Draft Development Consent Order	[AS-012]	[EX1/C3.1_B]	Deadline 1 17 October 2023	See Table 3.1 below.	See Table 3.1 below.
C4.3_A Book of Reference	[AS-016]	[EX1/C4.3_B]	Deadline 1 17 October 2023	See Tables 5.1 and 6.1 below.	See Tables 5.1 and 6.1 below.
C6.2.4 ES Chapter 4: Scheme Description	_	Revision A [EX1/C6.2.4_A]	2023	Paragraph 4.5.52 updated to increase the minimum distance of launch and reception pits from 10m to 16m in response to Environment Agency's request. Amendments to document references.	At EA's Request to comply with FRA 3. To reflect the latest document references.
C6.2.7 ES Chapter 7: Climate Change	[APP-042]	Revision A [EX1/C6.2.7_A]	Deadline 1 17 October 2023	Paragraph 7.8.54 amended for the replacement rate of PVs from 0.04% to 0.4%. Amendments to document references and figures/tables within the document.	To correct a typo. To reflect the latest document references and correct figures/table references within the document.
C6.2.19 ES Chapter 19: Soils and Agriculture	[APP-054]	[EX1/	Deadline 1 17 October 2023	Sections 19.3, 19.7 and 19.9 and Table 19.2 revised to clarify that land will be restored after decommissioning without permanent	To reflect the Agricultural Land Classification use of the land that was identified as permanently lost.



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				loss and to clarify the extent of agricultural use during operation.	
C6.2.22 ES Chapter 22: Mitigation Schedule	[APP-057]	Revision A [EX1/ C6.2.22_A]	Deadline 1 17 October 2023	Risk and Drainage ES Chapter for Operational phase of the development	For precision and to reflect the location of sensitive electrical equipment as set out in the Flood Risk Assessment and Drainage Strategy [APP-090].
C6.3.8.2 ES Appendix 8.2 Assessment of Potential Landscape Effects	[APP-074]	Revision A [EX1/ C6.3.8.2_A]	2023		Pages missing from the submission version of the document have been added.
C6.3.9.7 Great Crested Newts Survey Report	[APP-084]	Revision A [EX1/ C6.3.9.7_A]	2023	Paragraphs 3.2.6, 4.1.2, 4.1.5, 4.1.7, 4.2.4 and Tables 7, 12 updated to include 2023 Great Crested Newts Survey.	To provide information on the likely presence or likely absence of Great Crested Newts for 6 additional ponds along the cable corridors where access had not been previously arranged and of a further three ponds which were previously found to be dry.
C6.3.14.2 Construction Traffic Management Plan	[APP-135]	Revision A [EX1/ C6.3.14.2_A]	Deadline 1 17 October 2023	S	ExA Request ISH1 and to address the British Horse Society's Relevant Representation [RR- 023].



Document Updated	Submitted Document Reference	Document	Deadline and Date Submitted	Change	Reason for Change
				Addition of indicative construction access drawings for the Sites and the Cable Route Corridor.	To identify private roads that might be affected by Article 12. Details for construction access added in response to comments raised at ISH1.
C6.3.14.3 Public Rights of Way Management Plan	[APP-136]	[EX1/		Public Rights of Way Management Plan updated to take equestrians into account. Paragraph 3.17 updated to confirm that advance notice of closures will be provided. Paragraph 4.3 has been added to deal with the repair of damage to any PRoW used during operation. Paragraph 14.3 added to clarify the Scheme's impact on existing PRoWs.	To address the British Horse Society Relevant Representation [RR-023] and comments raised at ISH1.
C6.4.8.16.1 to C6.4.8.16.10 Landscape and Ecology Mitigation and Enhancement Plans	[APP-305 to APP-315]	[EX1/	Deadline 1 17 October 2023	Correction of typos, to show additional hedgerows to be removed and to provide clarity of IDB Drain locations.	Minor editorial changes for clarity.
C6.5 ES Non- Technical Summary	[APP-336]	Revision A [EX1/C6.5_A]	Deadline 1 17 October 2023	Paragraphs 6.3.14 to 6.3.16, and 6.3.20 to 6.3.21, updated clarifying as to which part of the Site, and which assessment period the effects relate to.	To provide clarity and consistency and minor feditorial changes.



Document Updated	Submitted Document Reference	New Document Reference	Deadline and Date Submitted	Change	Reason for Change
				Paragraph 6.9.9 updated to reflect amendments to include for equestrian traffic and PRoW users in revisions to the CTMP and PRoWMP.	
				Paragraph 6.14.8 updated to ensure consistency with the revised Soils and Agriculture ES Chapter.	
C7.1 Outline Construction Environmental Management Plan	[APP-337]	Revision A [EX1/C7.1_A]	2023	Table 3.11 updated to include 'Discovery Strategy' and clarify that the Environment Agency's and Local Planning Authority's review will be sought should contamination on site be discovered.	To address the Environment Agency's Relevant Representation [RR-026].
C7.3 Outline Landscape and Ecological Management Plan	[APP-339]	Revision A [EX1/C7.3_A]		Paragraph 1.1.5 added to clarify the approach to be adopted in relation to the proposed minor hedgerow removal works.	To address the Environment Agency's Relevant Representation [RR-026].
C7.5 Planning Statement	[APP-341]	Revision A [EX1/C7.5_A]	Deadline 1 17 October 2023	Updated document and appendices to reflect the recent changes in policy as set out in: Overarching National Policy Statement for Energy (EN-1), March 2023; and	To present the most up to date policy position and planning history.



Document Updated	Submitted Document Reference	New Document Reference	Deadline and Date Submitted	Change	Reason for Change
C7.15 Concept Design Parameters	[APP-352]	Revision A [EX1/C7.15_A]	Deadline 1 17 October 2023	 National Policy Statement for Renewable Energy Infrastructure (EN-3), March 2023. Central Lincolnshire Local Plan (CLLP), April 2023; Superseded Central Lincolnshire Local Plan 2012-2036 (SLLP), 2017; National Planning Policy Framework (NPPF), September 2023. Updated planning history. Table 2.1 updated to include the position of electrical infrastructure associated with the panels. Table 2.1: Conversion Units: Design Parameter amended to remove reference to unless sited within a higher risk flood zone, in which case it could be up to 4.5 m in height. Table 2.6 updated to specify minimum drilling, boring depth under the River Trent to be 5 meters. 	For consistency with ES Chapter 22: Mitigation Schedule [C6.2.19_A] and Flood Risk Assessment and Drainage Strategy [APP-090]. Raised at ISH1.



Document Updated	Submitted Document Reference		Deadline and Date Submitted	Change	Reason for Change
C7.17 Crossing Schedule	[APP-354]		17 October 2023	Station. Sheet 19 – additional of 2no. water services (blue line) to the west and south of Cottam Power Station, to the north of Torksey Ferry Road. Appendix 1 updated to include the additional crossings.	To identify missing crossing location. Services identified by Uniper to be included on the Crossing Schedule to ensure they are suitably crossed by cable works. For clarity and consistency. Minor editorial changes for clarity.
C7.21 Water Framework Directive Assessment	[APP-358]	Revision A [EX1/C7.21_A]	17 October	Paragraph 9.1.5 added to clarify that there is negligible risk of physical impacts to rivers.	To address the Environment Agency's Relevant Representation [RR-026].



Table 2.3: Schedule of Changes Made at Deadline 2

Document Updated	Submitted Document Reference	New Document Reference	Deadline and Date Submitted	Change	Reason for Change
C1.3_B Guide to the Application (Revision B)	[REP-001]	Revision C [EX2/C1.3_C]	Deadline 2 21 November 2023	Guide to the Application updated to reflect revised documents and additional documents.	To provide an overview of the submitted documents and to keep track of document references.
C2.5_A Public Rights of Way Plan (Revision A)	[AS-008]	Revision B [EX2/C2.5_B]	Deadline 2 21 November 2023	Added information about Definitive Map Modification Order (DMMO) applications and proposed temporary stops and diversion areas.	To respond to information received regarding Definitive Map Modification Order applications.
C2.6 Access Plan	[APP-009]	Revision A [EX2/C2.6_A]			To align with Gate Burton Energy Park access locations where feasible within the shared cable route corridor.



Document Updated	Submitted Document Reference	New Document Reference	Deadline and Date Submitted	Change	Reason for Change
				Cottam: AC110 Moved to the west to accord with Gate Burton.	
C3.1_B Draft Development Consent Order (Revision B)	[REP-006]	Revision C [EX2/C3.1_C]	Deadline 2 21 November 2023	See Table 3.1 below.	See Table 3.1 below.
C4.3_B Book of Reference (Revision B)	[REP-008]	Revision C [EX2/C4.3_C]	Deadline 2 21 November 2023	See Tables 5.1 and 6.1 below.	See Tables 5.1 and 6.1 below.
C6.2.8 Environmental Statement Chapter 8: Landscape and Visual Impact	[APP-043]	Revision A [EX2/C6.2.8_A]	Deadline 2 21 November 2023	Clarifications and corrections.	Following identification of typographical errors within the main ES Chapter 8:LVIA [C6.2.8_A].
C6.2.23 Environmental Statement Chapter 23: Summary of Significant Effects	[APP-058]	Revision A [EX2/C6.2.23_A]	Deadline 2 21 November 2023	Clarifications and corrections in Schedule of Significant Effects Table 23.1	To address inconsistencies identified in ExA FWQ 1.2.32 between a number of topic specific ES Chapters and Chapter 23. In response to ExA FWQ 1.2.25 regarding assessment of 60 year time limit.



Document Updated	Submitted Document Reference	Document	Deadline and Date Submitted	Change	Reason for Change
C6.3.8.3 ES Appendix 8.3 Assessment of Potential Visual Effects	[APP-075]	[EX2/ C6.3.8.3_A]	Deadline 2 21 November 2023	Receptors VP06, VP56, VP58 and VP61 updated to take account of LCC LIR LVIA Anomalies. Receptors VP20 and T099 updated to take account of panel area correction.	To address anomalies identified in the Lincolnshire Local Impact Report [REP-085].
C6.3.14.1 ES Appendix 14.1 Transport Assessment	[APP-134]	[EX2/C6.3.14.1_A]	Deadline 2 21 November 2023	Amendments to the shared cable route access points and updated indicative access plans.	To align with Gate Burton Energy Park access points where possible to reduce impact of construction accesses.
C6.3.14.2_A ES Appendix 14.2 Construction Traffic Management Plan (Revision A)	[REP-016]	[EX2/C6.3.14.2_B]	Deadline 2 21 November 2023	amendments re shared cable route access points and updated indicative access plans. Text re removal of any temporary accesses and the restoration of the affected land added.	To align with Gate Burton Energy Park access points where possible to reduce impact of construction accesses. Temporary access reinstatement added in response to ExA FWQ
C6.3.14.3_A ES Appendix 14.3 Public Rights of Way Management Plan (Revision A)	[REP-018]	[EX2/C6.3.14.3_A]	Deadline 2 21 November 2023	updates to add references to identified DMMO routes and update to Appendix B plan to include DMMO routes.	In response to application made to Lincs CC for Denfinitive Map Modification Order (DMMO).
C6.3.19.2 ES Appendix 19.2 Outline Soils Management Plan	[APP-146]	[EX2/C6.3.19.2_A]	Deadline 2 21 November 2023	Insertion of new paragraph 3.1.4	In response to Natural England request to ensure no degradation of the baseline ALC grade following decommissioning work.



Updated	Submitted Document Reference	Document	Deadline and Date Submitted	Change	Reason for Change
C6.5_A Environmental Statement Volume 4: Non-Technical Summary (Revision A)	[REP-035]	[EX2/C6.5_B]	Deadline 2 21 November 2023	Clarifications and corrections	To address inconsistencies identified in ExA FWQ 1.2.32 between a number of topic specific ES Chapters and Chapter 23. Non-Technical Summary updated for consistency. And to ensure consistency with updates to ES Chapter 8: LVIA [EX2/C6.2.8_A]
C7.1_A Outline Construction Environmental Management Plan (Revision A)	[REP-037]	[EX2/C7.1_B]	Deadline 2 21 November 2023	Text added re rainwater harvesting Text added re potential night time construction noise. Text added re HDD spillages. Text added re land drain avoidance, rerouting and reinstatement. Text added to Commit to no bank holiday, public holiday construction activities.	At request of Anglian Water
C7.3_A Outline Landscape and Ecological Management Plan (Revision A)	[REP-045]	[EX2/C7.3_B]	Deadline 2 21 November 2023	Text added to address management prescriptions	requested by ExA FWQs WQ1 1.5.9



Document Updated	Submitted Document Reference	New Document Reference	Deadline and Date Submitted	Change	Reason for Change
C7.5_A Planning Statement (Revision A)	[REP-047]	Revision B [EX2/C7.5_B]	21 November 2023	Statement to capture new policy docs. Additions to Appendix 2 to capture 1/22/01031/CDM. Amendment to Appendix 4 to remove reference to superseded Lincolnshire local plan and include additional neighbourhood plan policy assessment. Amendment to para 5.4.9 of planning statement to remove NPS EN-3 Amendment to Section 6.6 to clarify	Requested by ExA FWQs 1.2.1 Requested by ExA FWQs 1.2.11 Requested by ExA FWQs 1.2.2 and 1.2.7 Requested by ExA FWQs 1.2.13 Requested by ExA FWQs 1.2.3
C7.9 Outline Battery Storage Safety Management Plan C7.16 Outline Operational	[APP-348] [APP-353]	Revision A [EX2/C7.9_A] Revision A [EX2/C7.16_A]	21 November 2023		To reflect updated guidance and best practice e.g PPG Renewable and Low Carbon Energy and National Fire Chief Council Guidance. At request of Anglian Water
Environmental Management Plan		[[[]	2023		



Document Updated	Submitted Document Reference	New Document Reference	Deadline and Date Submitted	Change	Reason for Change
C8.1.7 Schedule of Changes	[REP-053]	Revision A [EX2/C8.1.7_A]	Deadline 2 21 November 2023	n/a	n/a
C8.1.8 Report on the Interrelationship with other NSIPs	[REP-054]	Revision A [EX2/C8.1.8_A]	Deadline 2 21 November 2023	Updates relating to the mitigation proposed by Gate Burton Energy Park.	In responses to the ExA's request in the Rule 6 letter [PD-006].
C8.1.9 Statement of Commonality	[REP-055]	Revision A [EX2/C8.1.9_A]	Deadline 2 21 November 2023	Updates on progress of discussions.	In responses to the ExA's request in the Rule 6 letter [PD-006].
C8.1.11 Schedule of progress regarding objections and agreements in relation to Compulsory Acquisition, Temporary Possession, other land rights, and blight	[REP-057]	Revision A [EX2/C8.1.11_A]	Deadline 2 21 November 2023	Updates on progress	In responses to the ExA's request in the Rule 6 letter [PD-006].
C8.1.12 Schedule of Negotiations	[REP-058]	Revision A [EX2/C8.1.12_A]	Deadline 2	Updates on negotiations	In responses to the ExA's request in the Rule 6 letter [PD-006].



Document Updated	Submitted Document Reference	New Document Reference	Deadline and Date Submitted	Change	Reason for Change
			21 November 2023		
C8.1.13 Schedule of progress regarding Protective Provisions and Statutory Undertakers	[REP-059]	Revision A [EX2/C8.1.13_A]	Deadline 2 21 November 2023	Updates on progress	In responses to the ExA's request in the Rule 6 letter [PD-006].
C8.2.2 Supplementary Visual Effects Tables	[REP-061]	Revision A [EX2/C8.2.2_A]	21 November	Receptors VP36 and VP37 updated to take account of LCC LIR Anomalies. Receptors VP20 and T099 updated to take account of panel area correction.	To address anomalies identified in the Lincolnshire Local Impact Report [REP-085].
C8.3.1 Nottinghamshire County Council & Bassetlaw District Council SoCG (Draft)	[REP-062]	Revision A [EX2/C8.3.1_A]	Deadline 2 21 November 2023	Updates on progress of discussions.	In responses to the ExA's request in the Rule 6 letter [PD-006].
C8.3.2 Lincolnshire County Council SoCG (Draft)	[REP-063]	Revision A EX2/C8.3.2_A	Deadline 2 21 November 2023	Updates on progress of discussions.	In responses to the ExA's request in the Rule 6 letter [PD-006].



Document Updated	Submitted Document Reference	New Document Reference	Deadline and Date Submitted	Change	Reason for Change
C8.3.11 Natural England SoCG (Draft)	[REP-072]	Revision A [EX2/C8.3.11_A]	Deadline 2 21 November 2023	Updates on progress of discussions.	In responses to the ExA's request in the Rule 6 letter [PD-006].
C8.3.13 Gate Burton Energy Park, Tillbridge Solar Project and West Burton Solar Project SoCG (Draft))	[REP-074]	Revision A [EX2/C8.3.13_A]	Deadline 2 21 November 2023	Provision of a signed version.	In responses to the ExA's request in the Rule 6 letter [PD-006].
EX1/C8.3.14 Anglian Water SoCG (Draft)	[REP-075]	Revision A [EX2/C8.3.14_A]	Deadline 2 21 November 2023	Provision of a signed version.	In responses to the ExA's request in the Rule 6 letter [PD-006].
EX1/C8.4.17.2 Air Quality Impact Assessment of Battery Energy Storage Systems (BESS) Fire	[REP-079]	Revision A [EX2/C8.4.17.2_A		Updates to assessment based on the latest LFP BESS fire test data and information (available in October 2023).	To reflect updated guidance and best practice



3 Schedule of Changes to the Draft Development Consent Order

Table 3.1: Schedule of Changes Made to the Draft Development Consent Order during the Pre-Examination Period

Location	Request	Rationale	Summary of Change	Relevant doc version
Article 2(1) – definitions	Examining Authority (ExA) and the Applicant	Corrected definition to reflect correct document title. Reordered and clarified definitions.	"date of decommissioning" means in respect of each part of the authorised development the date notified under requirement 21 that that part of the authorised development has permanently ceased to generate electricity on a commercial basis. [] "outline soils soil management plan" means the document of that name identified in the table at Schedule 14 (documents and plans to be certified) and which is certified by the Secretary of State as the outline soils soil management plan for the purposes of this Order;	В
Article 6(1)(h)	Environment Agency and Canal & River Trust	Clarification that the disapplication of the Environmental Permitting Regulations is in respect of flood risk activity only as agreed with the Environment Agency. Clarification that the disapplication of local legislation does not affect the ability of the Canal & River Trust to operate and maintain	(h) regulation 12 (requirement for environmental permit) of the Environmental Permitting (England and Wales) Regulations 2016 in respect of a flood risk activity only; (i) the legislation listed in Schedule 3 (legislation to be disapplied) in so far as the provisions still in force are incompatible with the powers contained within this Order and do not impact on the operation or maintenance of the river Trent as a navigable river; and	В



		the river Trent as a navigable river as agreed with the Canal & River Trust.		
Article 9(4)	Local Authorities	Amended at the request of local authorities to be clear that consent may be in a form reasonably required by them.	The powers conferred by paragraph (2) may not be exercised without the consent of the street authority, such consent to be in a form reasonably required by the street authority.	В
Article 20 (compulsory acquisition of land)	ExA	Amendment of article 20 for clarity. This drafting has precedent in the Drax Power (Generating Stations) Order 2019.	 20.—(1) The undertaker may— (a) acquire compulsorily so much of the Order land as is required for the authorised development or to facilitate, or as is incidental, to it; and (b) use any land so acquired for the purpose authorised by this Order or for any other purposes in connection with or ancillary to the undertaking authorised development. (2) This article is subject to paragraph (2) of article 22 (compulsory acquisition of rights) and article 29 (temporary use of land for constructing the authorised development). 	В
Article 23(2)(c) (private rights)	ExA	Amendments to ensure consistency between paragraphs (1) and (2). Drafting removed to be consistent with recently made DCOs.	23.—(1) Subject to the provisions of this article, all private rights and restrictive covenants over land subject to compulsory acquisition under this Order are extinguished— (a) from the date of acquisition of the land, or of the right, or of the benefit of the restrictive covenant by the undertaker, whether compulsorily or by agreement or through the grant of a lease of the land by agreement; or (b) on the date of entry on the land by the undertaker under section 11(1) (power of entry) of the 1965 Act; or.	В



			(c) on commencement of any activity authorised by this Order which interferes with or breaches those rights, whichever is the earliest. (2) Subject to the provisions of this article, all private rights or restrictive covenants	
			over land subject to the compulsory acquisition of rights or the imposition of restrictive covenants under article 22 (compulsory acquisition of rights) cease to have effect in so far as their continuance would be inconsistent with the exercise of the right or compliance with the restrictive covenant—	
			(a) as from the date of the acquisition of the right or imposition of the restrictive covenant by the undertaker (whether the right is acquired compulsorily, by agreement or through the grant of a lease of the land by agreement); or	
			(b) on the date of entry on the land by the undertaker under section 11(1) (power of entry) of the 1965 Act in pursuance of the right; or	
			(c) on commencement of any activity authorised by the Order which interferes with or breaches those rights, whichever is the earliest.	
Article 38 – Felling or lopping of trees and removal of hedgerows	Applicant	Amendments made to address concerns that all hedgerows listed in Schedule 13 could be removed.	(4) The undertaker may, for the purposes of the authorised development or in connection with the authorised development and subject to paragraph (2) remove part of the hedgerows specified in column 2 of the table in Part 1, column 2 of the table in Part 2 and column 2 of the table in Part 3 of Schedule 13 (hedgerows to be removed) to the extent set out in the landscape and ecological management plan approved pursuant to requirement 7 in Schedule 2 (requirements).	В
Article 40 – Certification of plans and documents, etc.	Applicant	New drafting to ensure that substitute and supplementary documents are incorporated in the documents to be certified before these are sent to the Secretary of State for certification.	 40.—(1) The undertaker must, as soon as practicable after the making of this Order, submit to the Secretary of State copies of all documents and plans listed in the table at Part 1 of Schedule 14 (documents and plans to be certified) for certification that they are true copies of the documents referred to in this Order. (2) Before submitting the documents and plans in accordance with paragraph (1), the undertaker must substitute or supplement, as the case may be, the documents listed in column 1 of the table at Part 2 of Schedule 14 with the documents listed in column 2 of that table. 	В



			(3) (1) A plan or document so certified is admissible in any proceedings as evidence of the contents of the document of which it is a copy.	
Article 46 – Procedure in relation to certain approvals etc.	Local planning authorities	Amendment of timeframe at the request of the relevant planning authorities and to be consistent with the Gate Burton project.	(4) Save for applications made pursuant to Schedule 17 (procedure for discharge of requirements) and where stated to the contrary if, within six-eight weeks (or such longer period as may be agreed between the undertaker and the relevant consenting authority in writing) after the application or request has been submitted to a consenting authority it has not notified the undertaker of its disapproval and the grounds of disapproval, it is deemed to have approved the application or request.	В
Schedule 1 – Authorised Development	Applicant	Added for clarity and to be consistent with the description of works 'comprising all or any' of the works.	The nationally significant infrastructure project comprises up to four generating stations with a gross electrical output capacity of over 50 megawatts comprising all or any of the work numbers in this Schedule or any part of any work number in this Schedule—	В
Schedule 1 – Authorised Development	Applicant	Expansion of the scope of laydown areas to include decommissioning consistently within this Schedule. This amendment reflects that the laydown areas may be required in order to decommission the authorised development, the environmental impacts having been assessed within the	[Wording added to Work Nos. 6A, 6B, 7A, 7B, 7C and 7D]	В



		Environmental Statement.		
Schedule 2 - Requirements	Applicant & ExA	Various amendments to Requirements to reflect changes agreed with the relevant planning authorities on the Gate Burton DCO, in order to ensure the Lincolnshire DCOs are consistent with each other. Requirement 3 has been redrafted to increase clarity, however the effect remains unchanged. Requirement 5(4) has been added to incorporate the commitment to HDD 5m under the River Trent, as agreed with the Canal & River Trust.	Interpretation 1. In this Schedule— "relevant planning authorities" means West Lindsey District Council and Bassetlaw District Council, as applicable, authority" means— (a) Lincolnshire County Council for the purposes of— (i) Requirement 6 (battery safety management); (ii) Requirement 11 (surface and foul water drainage); (iii) Requirement 15 (construction traffic management plan); (iv) Requirement 18 (public rights of way); (v) Requirement 19 (soils management); and (b) West Lindsey District Council and Bassetlaw District Council for the purposes of— (i) Requirement 3 (approved details and amendments to them); (ii) Requirement 4 (community liaison group); (iii) Requirement 5 (detailed design approval); (iv) Requirement 7 (landscape and ecological management plan); (v) Requirement 8 (ecological protection and mitigation strategy);	В
		been amended to address concerns raised regarding the	(vi) Requirement 9 (biodiversity net gain); (vii) Requirement 10 (fencing and other means of enclosure);	



authorised development being in situ in perpetuity. The decommissioning of the authorised development must take place within 60 years of the date of final commissioning.	(viii) Requirement 13 (construction environmental management plan); (ix) Requirement 14 (operational environmental management plan); (x) Requirement 16 (operational noise); (xi) Requirement 20 (skills, supply chain and employment); (xii) Requirement 21 (decommissioning and restoration); and "relevant planning authorities" and "relevant planning authority" means Lincolnshire County Council, West Lindsey District Council and Bassetlaw District Council, as applicable. Commencement of the authorised development 2. The authorised development must not be commenced after the expiration of five years from the date this Order comes into force.
	3. 3. With respect to the documents certified under article 40 (certification of plans and documents, etc) and any plans, details or schemes which have been approved pursuant to any requirement (together the "Approved Documents, Plans, Details or Schemes"), the undertaker may submit to the relevant planning authority or relevant planning authorities (as applicable), for approval any amendments to any of the Approved Documents, Plans, Details or Schemes and, following approval by the relevant planning authority or both relevant planning authorities (as applicable), the relevant Approved Documents, Plans Details or Schemes is to be taken to include the amendments as so approved pursuant to this paragraph. 3.—(1) The undertaker may submit any amendments to any of the Approved Document to the relevant planning authority for approval and, following approval, the relevant Approved Document is to be taken to include the amendments as approved under this paragraph.



(2) Approval under sub-paragraph (1) for the amendments to any of the Approved Documents, Plans, Details or Schemes Document must not be given except where it has been demonstrated to the satisfaction of the relevant planning authority or the relevant planning authorities (as applicable) that the subject matter of the approval sought is unlikely to give rise to any materially new or materially different environmental effects from those assessed in the environmental statement.

(3) In this paragraph, "Approved Document" means any document certified under article 40 (certification of plans and documents, etc) and any plans, details or schemes which have been approved under any Requirement.

Community liaison group

- **4.**—(1) Prior to the commencement of the authorised development the undertaker must submit to the relevant planning authorities for approval the terms of reference for a community liaison group whose aim is to facilitate liaison between representatives of people living in the vicinity of the Order limits and other relevant organisations in relation to the construction of the authorised development.
- (2) The community liaison group must be established prior to commencement of the authorised development and must be administered by the undertaker and operated in accordance with the approved terms of reference.
- (3) The community liaison group is to continue to meet until the date of final commissioning of the authorised development unless otherwise agreed with the relevant planning authorities.

Detailed design approval

- 5. No part of Work Nos. 1, 2, 3 or 4 may commence until details of—
 - (a) the layout;
 - (b) scale;
 - (c) proposed finished ground levels;
 - (d) external appearance;



(e) hard surfacing materials; and

- (f) vehicular and pedestrian access, parking and circulation areas;; and
- (g) refuse or other storage units, signs and lighting,

relating to that part have been submitted and approved in writing by the relevant planning authority for that part or, where the part falls within the administrative areas of multiple relevant planning authorities, each of the relevant planning authorities.

- (2) The details submitted must accord with the concept design parameters and principles.
- (3) The authorised development must be carried out in accordance with the approved details.
- (4) Work No. 6 must be carried out in accordance with the concept design parameters and principles.

Battery safety management

- **6.**—(1) Work Nos. 2 and 3 must not commence until a battery storage safety management plan has been submitted to and approved by the relevant planning authority.
- (2) The battery storage safety management plan must prescribe measures to facilitate safety during the construction, operation and decommissioning of Work No. 2 including the transportation of new, used and replacement battery cells both to and from the authorised development.
- (3) (1) The battery storage safety management plan must be substantially in accordance with the outline battery storage safety management plan.
- (4) (2) The relevant planning authority must consult with the Health and Safety Executive, West Lindsey District Council, Lincolnshire Fire and Rescue—, Nottinghamshire Fire and Rescue Service and the Environment Agency before determining an application for approval of the battery storage safety management plan.



(5) (3) The battery storage safety management plan must be implemented as approved and maintained throughout the construction, operation and decommissioning of the authorised development.

Landscape and ecological management plan

- 7.—(1) No part of the authorised development may commence until a written landscape and ecological mitigation plan has been submitted to and approved by the relevant planning authority for that part or, where the part falls within the administrative areas of multiple relevant planning authorities, each of the relevant planning authorities, in consultation with the Environment Agency.
- (2) The landscape and ecological mitigation plan must be substantially in accordance with the outline landscape and ecological mitigation plan.
- (3) The landscape and ecological mitigation plan must be implemented as approved and maintained throughout the operation of the relevant part of the authorised development to which the plan relates.
- (4) For the purposes of sub-paragraph (1), "commence" includes part (h) (site clearance ((including vegetation removal, demolition of existing buildings and structures)) of permitted preliminary works.

Ecological protection and mitigation strategy

- **8.**—(1) No part of the authorised development may commence until a written ecological protection and mitigation strategy has been submitted to and approved by the relevant planning authority for that part or, where the phase falls within the administrative areas of multiple relevant planning authorities, each of the relevant planning authorities, in consultation with the Environment Agency.
- (2) The ecological protection and mitigation strategy must be substantially in accordance with the outline ecological protection and mitigation strategy.
- (3) The ecological protection and mitigation strategy must be implemented as approved.



Biodiversity net gain

- **9.**—(1) No part of the authorised development may commence until a biodiversity net gain strategy has been submitted to and approved by the relevant planning authority, in consultation with the relevant statutory nature conservation body.
- (2) The biodiversity net gain strategy must be substantially in accordance with the outline landscape and ecological management plan and must be implemented as approved.

Fencing and other means of enclosure

- **10.**—(1) No part of the authorised development may commence until written details of all proposed temporary fences, walls or other means of enclosure, including those set out in the construction environmental management plan, for that part have been submitted to and approved by the relevant planning authority or, where the part falls within the administrative areas of multiple relevant planning authorities, each of the relevant planning authorities.
- (2) No part of the authorised development may commence until written details of all permanent fences, walls or other means of enclosure for that part have been submitted to and approved by the relevant planning authority or, where the part falls within the administrative areas of multiple relevant planning authorities, each of the relevant planning authorities.
- (3) For the purposes of sub-paragraph (1), "commence" includes any permitted preliminary works.
- (4) (2) The written details provided under sub-paragraph (2) must be substantially in accordance with the relevant concept design parameters and principles.
- (5) Any construction site must remain securely fenced in accordance with the approved details under sub-paragraph (1) or (2) at all times during construction of the authorised development.
- (6)Any temporary fencing must be removed on completion of the part of construction of the authorised development for which it was used.



Surface and foul water drainage

- 11.—(1) No part of the authorised development may commence until written details of the surface water drainage scheme and (if any) foul water drainage system for that part have been submitted to and approved by the relevant planning authority for that part, or where the part falls within the administrative areas of multiple relevant planning authorities, each of the relevant planning authorities.
- (2) The written details under sub-paragraph (1) must be substantially in accordance with the outline drainage strategy.
- (3) Before approving the written details under sub-paragraph (1) the relevant planning authority must consult with Anglian Water Services Limited or its successor in function as the relevant water undertaker.
- (4) Any approved scheme must be implemented as approved.

Archaeology

12. The authorised development must be implemented in accordance with the written scheme of investigation.

Construction environmental management plan

- 13.—(1) No part of the authorised development may commence until a construction environmental management plan for that part has been submitted to and approved by the relevant planning authority or, where the part falls within the administrative areas of multiple relevant planning authorities, each of the relevant planning authorities, in consultation with the relevant highway authority and the Environment Agency.
- (2) The construction environmental management plan must be substantially in accordance with the outline construction environmental management plan.



(3) All construction works associated with the authorised development must be carried out in accordance with the approved construction environmental management plan.

Operational environmental management plan

- **14.**—(1) Prior to the date of final commissioning for any part of the authorised development, an operational environmental management plan for that part must be submitted to and approved by the relevant planning authority or, where the part falls within the administrative areas of multiple relevant planning authorities, each of the relevant planning authorities, in consultation with the relevant highway authority and the Environment Agency.
- (2) The operational environmental management plan must be substantially in accordance with the outline operational environmental management plan.
- (3) The operational environmental management plan must be implemented as approved.

Construction traffic management plan

- **15.**—(1) No part of the authorised development may commence until a construction traffic management plan for that part must be submitted to and approved by the relevant planning authority or, where the part falls within the administrative areas of multiple relevant planning authorities, each of the relevant planning authorities.
- (2) The construction traffic management plan must be substantially in accordance with the outline construction traffic management plan.
- (3) Before approving the construction traffic management plan the relevant planning authority must consult with the relevant highway authority and West Lindsey District Council.
- (4) All construction works associated with the authorised development must be carried out in accordance with the approved construction traffic management plan.



Operational noise

- **16.**—(1) No part of Work Nos. 1, 2, 3, or 4 may commence until an operational noise assessment containing details of how the design of that numbered work has incorporated the operational mitigation measures set out in Section 15.6 of Chapter 15 of the environmental statement for that part has been submitted to and approved by the relevant planning authority for that part, or where the part falls within the administrative areas of multiple relevant planning authorities, each of the relevant planning authorities.
- (2) The design as described in the operational noise assessment must be implemented as approved and maintained throughout the operation of the relevant part of the authorised development to which the plan relates.

Permissive paths

- **17.**—(1) Work No. 11 must be provided and open to the public prior to the date of final commissioning of Work No. 1A.
- (2) The permissive path must be maintained and access by the public permitted for 364 days a year except where closure is required for maintenance or in an emergency until commencement the date of decommissioning of the authorised development pursuant to requirement 21.

Public rights of way

- **18.**—(1) No part of the authorised development may commence until a public rights of way management plan for any sections of public rights of way shown to be temporarily closed on the public rights of way plan for that part has been submitted to and approved by the relevant planning authority, or, where the part falls within the administrative areas of multiple relevant planning authorities, each of the relevant planning authorities.
- (2) The public rights of way management plan must be substantially in accordance with the outline public rights of way management plan.



- (3) Before approving the public rights of way management plan the relevant planning authority must consult with the relevant highway authority.
- (4) The public rights of way management plan must be implemented as approved unless otherwise agreed with the relevant planning authority in consultation with the highway authority.

Soils management

- **19.**—(1) No part of the authorised development may commence until a soils resource soil management plan for that part has been submitted to and approved by the relevant planning authority or, where the part falls within the administrative areas of multiple planning authorities, each of the relevant planning authorities.
- (3) (1) Any soils resource The soil management plan submitted in accordance with this paragraph must be substantially in accordance with the outline soils resource soil management plan as relevant to the activities to which it relates.
- (2) The soils resource soil management plan must be implemented as approved.

Skills, supply chain and employment

- **20.**—(1) No part of the authorised development may commence until a skills, supply chain and employment plan in relation to that part has been submitted to and approved by the relevant planning authority for that part or, where the part falls within the administrative areas of multiple planning authorities, each of the relevant planning authorities, in consultation with Lincolnshire County Council.
- (2) The skills, supply chain and employment plan must be substantially in accordance with the outline skills, supply chain and employment plan.
- (3) Any plan under this paragraph must identify opportunities for individuals and businesses to access employment and supply chain opportunities associated with that part of the authorised development and the means for publicising such opportunities.



(4) The skills, supply chain and employment plan must be implemented as approved.

Decommissioning and restoration

- **21.**—(1) The date of decommissioning must be no later than 60 years following the date of final commissioning.
- (2) Within 12 months of the date that Unless otherwise agreed with the relevant planning authority, no later than 12 months prior to the date the undertaker decides to decommission any part of the authorised development, the undertaker must submit to the relevant planning authority for that part a decommissioning plan for approval., the undertaker must notify the relevant planning authority of the intended date of decommissioning for that part of the authorised development.
- (3) Unless otherwise agreed with the relevant planning authority, within 12 months of the intended date of decommissioning of any part of the authorised development notified pursuant to sub-paragraph (2), the undertaker must submit to the relevant planning authority for that part a decommissioning plan for approval.
- (4) (1) Where the undertaker decides to decommission a part of the authorised development that falls within the administrative areas of multiple planning authorities, the decommissioning environmental management plan must be submitted to each relevant planning authority and the approval of all relevant planning authorities is required for the purposes of this paragraph.
- (5) (2) The decommissioning plan must be substantially in accordance with the outline decommissioning statement and must include a timetable for its implementation.
- (6) (3) No decommissioning works must be carried out until the relevant planning authority has approved the decommissioning plan submitted in relation to those works, in consultation with the Environment Agency.
- (7) (4) The decommissioning plan must be implemented as approved.
- (8) (5) This requirement is without prejudice to any other consents or permissions that may be required to decommission any part of the authorised development.



Schedule 4 – Streets subject to street works; Schedule 5 – Alteration of streets; Schedule 6 – Streets and public rights of way; Schedule 8 – Traffic regulation measures	ExA	Correction	All references to 'streets to be stopped up plan' amended to 'streets plan'	В
Schedule 10 – land in which only new rights etc. may be acquired	Applicant	Reference to new plot numbers included within the Book of Reference submitted at Deadline 1 due to new title numbers.	[Plots 18-385a, 18-385b, 18-385c, and 18-385d are now referred to]	В
Schedule 13 – Hedgerows to be removed	Applicant	Clarification to address concerns raised about the extent of the powers and to be consistent with the amendments to Article 38.	[In all instances, the extent of removal has been amended to read: Removal of part of approximately]	В
Schedule 14 – Documents and plans to be certified	Applicant	Clarification	[Not reproduced. The Schedule has been split into two parts. Part 1 contains the schedule of documents to be certified. Part 2 contains a list of substitute and supplementary documents to be incorporated into the documents to be certified, before these are presented to the Secretary of State in accordance with article 40]	В



Schedule 16 – Protective Provisions – Part 1 – For the protection of electricity, gas, water and sewerage undertakers	Applicant	Clarification that, where specific protective provisions are provided, these will take precedent over the generic provisions in Part 1.	1. For the protection of the utility undertakers referred to in this Part of this Schedule (save for any utility undertakers which are specifically protected by any other Part of this Schedule, which shall take precedence), the following provisions have effect, unless otherwise agreed in writing between the undertaker and the utility undertakers concerned.	В
Schedule 16 – Protective Provisions – Part 4 – National Grid Electricity Distribution (East Midlands) plc	Applicant and NGED	Revised protective provisions reflecting ongoing negotiations with NGED.	[Due to the extent of the amendments, these have not been reproduced here. Please refer to the tracked changes version of the draft DCO, provided at Deadline 1]	В
Schedule 16 – Protective Provisions – Part 5 – Protection of Northern Powergrid	Northern Powergrid	Revised protective provisions reflecting ongoing negotiations with Northern Powergrid.	[Due to the extent of the amendments, these have not been reproduced here. Please refer to the tracked changes version of the draft DCO, provided at Deadline 1]	В
Schedule 16 – Protective Provisions – Part 7 – Protection of Anglian Water	Anglian Water	Revisions to the protective provisions reflecting ongoing negotiations with Anglian Water.	(1) [Due to the extent of the amendments, these have not been reproduced here. Please refer to the tracked changes version of the draft DCO, provided at Deadline 1]	В



Schedule 16 – Protective Provisions – Part 8 – Protection of Internal Drainage Boards	Scunthorpe and Gainsborough Internal Drainage Board (SGIDB)	Correction to include SGIDB within the definition of the Board.	"the Board" means Scunthorpe and Gainsborough Internal Drainage Board, Upper Witham Internal Drainage Board or Trent Valley Internal Drainage Board (as applicable);	В
Schedule 16 – Protective Provisions – Part 9 – Protection of the Environment Agency	Environment Agency (EA)	Amendments made at the request of the EA during ongoing negotiations.	[Due to the extent of the amendments, these have not been reproduced here. Please refer to the tracked changes version of the draft DCO, provided at Deadline 1]	В
Schedule 16 – Protective Provisions – Part 13 – Protection of the Canal & River Trust	Canal & River Trust	Protective provisions added at the request of the Canal & River Trust.	[Protective Provisions not reproduced here; this is a wholly new Part of Schedule 16]	В
Schedule 16 – Protective Provisions – Part 14 – Protection of Uniper UK Limited	Uniper UK Limited	Protective provisions are currently being negotiated. The Applicant has agreed to provide protective provisions and a Part has been added to the draft DCO. The drafting of the protective provisions continues to be negotiated and will	[Not reproduced]	В



		be added to the draft DCO at a later revision once these are close to an agreed form.		
Schedule 16 – Protective Provisions – Part 14 – Protection of Exolum Pipeline System Limited	Exolum Pipeline System Limited	Protective provisions are currently being negotiated. The Applicant has agreed to provide protective provisions and a Part has been added to the draft DCO. The drafting of the protective provisions continues to be negotiated and will be added to the draft DCO at a later revision once these are close to an agreed form.	[Not reproduced]	В
Schedule 17 – Procedure for discharge of requirements	ExA and Applicant	Amendments made to this Schedule reflect the updated drafting on the Gate Burton draft DCO. This has been adopted in order to ensure the Lincolnshire DCOs are consistent with each other.	Interpretation 2. In this Schedule— "requirement consultee" means any body or authority named in a requirement as a body to be consulted by the relevant planning authority in discharging that requirement; and "start date" means the date of the notification given by the Secretary of State under paragraph 4(2)(b)-; and "working day" means any day other than a Saturday, Sunday or English bank or public holiday.	В



Applications made under requirement

- **3.**—(1) Where an application has been made to the relevant planning authority for any consent, agreement or approval required by a requirement the relevant planning authority must give notice to the undertaker of its decision on the application within a period of six weeks beginning with the later of—, the undertaker will also submit a copy of that application to any requirement consultee.
- (2) Subject to sub-paragraph (3), where an application has been made to the relevant planning authority for any consent, agreement or approval required by a requirement the relevant planning authority must give notice to the undertaker of its decision on the application within a period of eight weeks beginning with the later of—
 - (a) the day immediately following that on which the application is received by the authority;
 - (b) the day immediately following that on which further information has been supplied by the undertaker under paragraph 3; or
 - (c) such longer period that is agreed in writing by the undertaker and the relevant planning authority.
- (3) Where an application has been made to the relevant planning authority any consent, agreement or approval required by requirement 5, the relevant planning authority must give notice to the undertaker of its decision on the application within a period of ten weeks beginning with the later of—
- (4) (2) Subject to paragraph 4, in the event that the relevant planning authority does not determine an application within the period set out in sub-paragraph (1) (2) or (3), the relevant planning authority is to be taken to have granted all parts of the application (without any condition or qualification) at the end of that period.
- (5) (3) Any application made to the relevant planning authority pursuant to sub-paragraph (1) sub-paragraph (2) or (3) must include a statement to confirm whether it is likely that the subject matter of the application will give rise to any materially new or materially different environmental effects compared to those in the



environmental statement and if it will then it must be accompanied by information setting out what those effects are.

(6) (4)Where an application has been made to the relevant planning authority for any consent, agreement or approval required by a requirement included in this Order and the relevant planning authority does not determine the application within the period set out in sub-paragraph (1) sub-paragraph (2) or (3) and is accompanied by a report pursuant to sub-paragraph (3) (5) which states that the subject matter of such application is likely to give rise to any materially new or materially different environmental effects compared to those in the environmental statement then the application is to be taken to have been refused by the relevant planning authority at the end of that period.

Further information and consultation

- **3.**—(1) In relation to any application to which this Schedule applies, the relevant planning authority may request such reasonable further information from the undertaker as is necessary to enable it to consider the application.
- (2) In the event that the relevant planning authority considers such further information to be necessary and the provision governing or requiring the application does not specify that consultation with a requirement consultee is required, the relevant planning authority must, within 10-20 working days of receipt of the application, notify the undertaker in writing specifying the further information required.
- (3) If the provision governing or requiring the application specifies that consultation with a requirement consultee is required, the relevant planning authority must issue the consultation to the requirement consultee within five-10 working days of receipt of the application, and must notify the undertaker in writing specifying any further information the relevant planning authority considers necessary or that is requested by the requirement consultee within five-10 working days of receipt of such a request and in any event within five-10 working days of receipt of the application (or such other period as is agreed in writing between the undertaker and the relevant planning authority).

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			5.—(1) Where an application is made to the relevant planning authority for written consent, agreement or approval in respect of a requirement, the fee prescribed under regulation 16(1)(b) of the Town and Country Planning (Fees for Applications, Deemed Applications, Requires and Site Visits) (England) Regulations 2012 (as may be amended or replaced from time to time) is to apply and must be paid to the relevant planning authority for each application.	
			(2) Any fee paid under this Schedule must be refunded to the undertaker within four weeks of—	
			(a) the application being rejected as invalidly made; or	
			(b) the relevant planning authority failing to determine the application within the relevant period in paragraph 2(2) or 2(3) unless—	
			(i) within that period the undertaker agrees, in writing, that the fee is to be retained by the relevant planning authority and credited in respect of a future application; or	
			(ii) a longer period of time for determining the application has been agreed pursuant to paragraph 2(2) or 2(3) of this Schedule, as applicable.	
Article 2(1) - definitions	Examining Authority (ExA); Applicant	The definition of 'authorised development' has been amended to be	"authorised development" means the development <u>and associated development</u> described in Schedule 1 (authorised development) <u>and any other which is</u> development within the meaning of section 32 (meaning of "development") of the 2008 Act <u>authorised by this Order</u> ;	С
		consistent with the Longfield Solar Park Order 2023. The definition of 'date of	[] "date of decommissioning" means in respect of each part of the authorised development the date notified under requirement 21 that that part of the authorised development has permanently ceased to generate electricity on a commercial basis.	
		decommissioning' has been clarified.	[]	
		Definitions of 'definitive map and statement' and 'public right of way' have	"definitive map and statement" has the same meaning as in Part III of the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981; []	



		been added to reflect applications for definitive map modification orders (DMMO) in the area. The definition of 'Tillbridge Solar Project Order' relates to this project sharing the cable corridor in the vicinity of the River Trent.	"outline soils soil management plan" means the document of that name identified in the table at Schedule 14 (documents and plans to be certified) and which is certified by the Secretary of State as the outline soils soil management plan for the purposes of this Order; [] "public right of way" includes any public right of way that is added to the definitive map and statement after the making of the Order; [] "Tillbridge Solar Project Order" means a development consent order granted by the Secretary of State following an application by Tillbridge Solar Limited for the Tillbridge Solar Project:	
Article 11 – Temporary prohibition or restriction of use of streets and public rights of way	ExA	Amendments to avoid the use of the term 'stopping up' in respect of temporary prohibitions and restrictions, to avoid confusion with the permanent nature of stopping up under highways law. New Article (3)(d) to deal with the DMMO applications that the Applicant has recently been made aware of and are shown on the	Temporary stopping up prohibition or restriction of use of streets and public rights of way 11.—(1) The undertaker, during and for the purposes of constructing or maintaining the authorised development, may temporarily stop up, prohibit the use of, restrict the use of, authorise the use of, alter or divert any street or public right of way and may for any reasonable time— [] (2) The undertaker must provide reasonable access for pedestrians going to or from premises abutting a street or public right of way affected by the temporary stopping up, prohibition, restriction, alteration or diversion of a street or public right of way under this article if there would otherwise be no such access. (3) Without prejudice to the generality of paragraph (1), the undertaker may temporarily stop up, prohibit the use of, authorise the use of, restrict the use of, alter or divert— (a) the streets specified in column 2 of the table in Part 1 (temporary prohibition or restriction of the use of streets to be temporarily stopped	C



		updated Public Rights of Way Plan submitted at	up) of Schedule 6 (streets and public rights of way) to the extent specified in column 3 of that table;	
		Deadline 2.	(b) the public rights of way specified in column 2 of the table in Part 2 (temporary prohibition or restriction of public rights of way to be temporarily stopped up and diverted with diversion) of Schedule 6 (streets and public rights of way) to the extent specified in column 3 of that table; and	
			(c) the public rights of way specified in column 2 of the table in Part 3 (temporary prohibition or restriction of public rights of way—to—be—temporarily stopped up) of Schedule 6 (streets and public rights of way) to the extent specified in column 3 of that table; and	
			(d) the public rights of way specified in column 2 of the table in Part 4 (temporary prohibition or restriction of public rights of way with or without diversion) of Schedule 6 (streets and public rights of way) to the extent specified in column 3 of that table.	
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			(4) The undertaker must not temporarily stop up, prohibit the use of, authorise the use of, restrict the use of, alter or divert—	
			[]	
			(6) Without prejudice to the scope of paragraph (1), the undertaker may use any street or public right of way the use of which has been temporarily stopped up prohibited, restricted, altered or diverted under the powers conferred by this article and within the Order limits as a temporary working site.	
			[]	
			[Note: consequential amendments where references are made to article 11 have been made throughout the Order]	
Article 14(1) – Agreements with street authorities	Applicant	Removal of 'stopping up' of streets reflects that there is no power to	2.—(1) [] (b) any stopping up, prohibition, restriction, alteration or diversion of a street	С
			authorised by this Order;	



		permanently stop up streets included in the draft Order (only temporary prohibitions and restrictions).		
Article 16(1) – Discharge of water	Applicant	Correction	Discharge of water 16.—(1) Subject to paragraphs (3), (4) and (87) the undertaker may use any watercourse or any public sewer or drain for the drainage of water in connection with the construction or maintenance of the authorised development and for that purpose may lay down, take up and alter pipes and may, on any land within the Order limits, make openings into, and connections with, the watercourse, public sewer or drain.	С
Article 35(3) – Consent to transfer the benefit of the Order	Applicant	Addition of the undertaker of the Tillbridge Solar Project as a party that the powers under the Order may be transferred to, in respect of the shared cable corridor. All parties seeking to share the cable corridor below the River Trent are now listed.	 35.—(1) [] (3) The consent of the Secretary of State is required for the exercise of the powers of paragraph (1) except where— (a) the transferee or lessee is the holder of a licence under section 6 (licences authorising supply etc.) of the 1989 Act; (b) in respect of Work No. 6B, the transferee or lessee is the undertaker as defined in the Gate Burton Energy Park Order-or, the West Burton Solar Project Order, or the Tillbridge Solar Project Order; 	C
Article 42(2) - Arbitration	ExA	Added in response to the ExA's written questions.	42. —(1) []	С



			(2) Any matter for which the consent or approval of the Secretary of State or the Marine Management Organisation is required under any provision of this Order is not subject to arbitration. 43.	
Article 46(4) – Procedure in relation to certain approvals etc.	Applicant	Correction to align the timescales in article 46 with paragraph 2(3) of Schedule 17.	44.—(1) [] (4) Save for applications made pursuant to Schedule 17 (procedure for discharge of requirements) and where stated to the contrary if, within eight ten weeks (or such longer period as may be agreed between the undertaker and the relevant consenting authority in writing) after the application or request has been submitted to a consenting authority it has not notified the undertaker of its disapproval and the grounds of disapproval, it is deemed to have approved the application or request. 45.	С
Article 49(1) – Crown rights	The Crown Estate	Amendments as requested by the Crown Estate.	49. —(1) Nothing in this Order affects prejudicially any estate, right, power, privilege, authority or exemption of the Crown and in particular, nothing in this Order authorises the undertaker or any <u>transferee</u> , <u>lessee or licensee</u> to take, use, enter upon or in any manner interfere with any land or rights of any <u>description</u> <u>description (including any portion of the shore or bed of the sea or any river, channel, creek, bay or estuary)—</u>	C
Schedule 2 – Requirements – paragraph 7(1) – Landscape and ecological management	Applicant	Correction of document title	7.—(1) No part of the authorised development may commence until a written landscape and ecological mitigation management plan has been submitted to and approved by the relevant planning authority for that part or, where the part falls within the administrative areas of multiple relevant planning authorities, each of the relevant planning authorities, in consultation with the Environment Agency. (2) The landscape and ecological mitigation management plan must be	С
plan			substantially in accordance with the outline landscape and ecological mitigation management plan. (3) The landscape and ecological mitigation management plan must be implemented as approved. 8.	



Schedule 2 – Requirements – paragraph 14(1) – Operational environmental management plan	Lincolnshire County Council (LCC)	Added in response to a request from LCC to be consulted on Requirement 14 in its capacity as waste authority.	14. —(1) Prior to the date of final commissioning for any part of the authorised development, an operational environmental management plan for that part must be submitted to and approved by the relevant planning authority or, where the part falls within the administrative areas of multiple relevant planning authorities, each of the relevant planning authorities, in consultation with the relevant highway authority, the relevant waste authority and the Environment Agency. 15.	С
Schedule 2 – Requirements – paragraph 17 – Permissive path	Applicant	Correction	Permissive paths 16.[Requirement unchanged]	С
Schedule 2 – Requirements – paragraph 21(4) – Decommissioning and restoration	Applicant	Correction of document title	21.—(1) [] (2) Where the undertaker decides to decommission a part of the authorised development that falls within the administrative areas of multiple planning authorities, the decommissioning environmental management plan must be submitted to each relevant planning authority and the approval of all relevant planning authorities is required for the purposes of this paragraph.	С
Schedule 6 – Streets and Public Rights of Way – Part 1 – Temporary Prohibition or Restriction of the Use of Streets	ExA	Consequential amendments to avoid the use of the term 'temporary stopping up'.	PART 1 TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OR RESTRICTION OF THE USE OF STREETSTO BE TEMPORARILY STOPPED UP 4.	С



Schedule 6 – Streets and Public Rights of Way – Part 2 – Temporary Prohibition or Restriction of Public Rights of Way With Diversion	ExA	Consequential amendments to avoid the use of the term 'temporary stopping up'.	PART 2 TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OR RESTRICTION OF PUBLIC RIGHTS OF WAY TO BE TEMPORARILY STOPPED UP AND DIVERTED WITH DIVERSION	С
Schedule 6 – Streets and Public Rights of Way – Part 3 – Temporary Prohibition or Restriction of Public Rights of Way	ExA	Consequential amendments to avoid the use of the term 'temporary stopping up'.	PART 3 TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OR RESTRICTION OF PUBLIC RIGHTS OF WAYTO BE TEMPORARILY STOPPED UP	С
Schedule 6 – Streets and Public Rights of Way – Part 4 – Temporary Prohibition or Restriction of Public Rights of Way With or	Applicant	New Part to specifically manage the potential new public rights of way that may be created following determination of the recent applications for DMMOs.	PART 4 TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OR RESTRICTION OF PUBLIC RIGHTS OF WAY WITH OR WITHOUT DIVERSION [Addition of new table is not recreated here; please refer to the tracked copy of the Draft DCO provided at Deadline 2 for details.]	С



Without Diversion							
Schedule 7 – Access to Works	Applicant	Correction. Access AC104 has been removed to reflect its removal from the updated Access Plan provided at Deadline 2.	[All instances of "ac District of Bassetlaw	Cow Pasture Lane	The provision of a permanent means of access to the authorised development from the point marked AC104 on sheet 18 of the access plan.	'access plan'']	С
Schedule 9 – Deemed Marine Licence Under the 2009 Act – Part 1 – Licensed Marine Activities – paragraph 4(2)	Applicant	Correction	5.—(1) [] (2) The coordinates in paragraph (1)4 are defined in accordance with reference system WGS84 – World Geodetic System 1984.				С
Schedule 14 – Documents and Plans to Be Certified – Part 1 – Documents and Plans	Applicant	Updated to reflect Deadline 2 submissions.	80.[Due to the extent of the amendments, these have not been reproduced here. Please refer to the tracked changes version of the draft DCO, provided at Deadline 2]				С
Schedule 14 – Documents and Plans to Be Certified – Part 2 – Substitute and	Applicant	Updated to reflect Deadline 2 submissions.	_	Please refer to th	ndments, these have no ne tracked changes vers		С



Supplementary Documents				
Schedule 16 – Protective Provisions – Part 3 – For the Protection of National Grid Electricity Transmission PLC as Electricity Undertaker – paragraph 21(1) – Apparatus of National Grid in streets subject to temporary prohibition or restriction of use	ExA	Consequential amendments to avoid the use of the term 'temporary stopping up'	Apparatus of National Grid in streets subject to temporary stopping upprohibition or restriction of use 21.—(1) Where the use of any street or public right of way is stopped upprohibited or restricted under article 11 (temporary stopping up of street prohibition or restriction of use of streets and public rights of way), if National Grid has any apparatus in the street or accessed via that street National Grid must be entitled to the same rights in respect of such apparatus as it enjoyed immediately before the stopping up-prohibition or restriction of use and the undertaker must grant to National Grid, or must procure the granting to National Grid of, legal easements reasonably satisfactory to National Grid in respect of such apparatus and access to it prior to the stopping up-prohibition or restriction of use of any such street or highway but nothing in this paragraph affects any right of the undertaker or National Grid to require the removal of that apparatus under paragraph 24 or the power of the undertaker, subject to compliance with this sub-paragraph, to carry out works under paragraph 26. (2) Notwithstanding the temporary stopping up temporary prohibition or restriction of use under the powers of article 11 (temporary stopping up prohibition or restriction of use under the powers of article 11 (temporary stopping up prohibition or restriction of use of streets and public rights of way), National Grid must be at liberty at all times to take all necessary access across any such street and/or to execute and do all such works and things in, upon or under any such street as may be reasonably necessary or desirable to enable it to maintain any apparatus which at the time of the stopping up-prohibition or restriction of use or diversion was in that street. 82.	C
Schedule 16 – Protective Provisions – Part 4 – For the	Applicant	Correction	—(1) Subject to sub-paragraphs Error! Reference source not found. (2) to (3), if by reason or in consequence of the construction of any specified work or any subsidence resulting from any of those works any damage is caused to any	С



Protection of National Grid Electricity Distribution (East Midlands) PLC as Electricity Undertaker – paragraph 42(1)			apparatus or alternative apparatus (other than apparatus the repair of which is not reasonably necessary in view of its intended removal for the purposes of those works) or property of NGED the undertaker is to—	
Schedule 16 – Protective Provisions – Part 6 – For the Protection of Cadent Gas Limited – paragraph 64(1) – Apparatus of Cadent in stopped up streets	ExA	Consequential amendments to avoid the use of the term 'temporary stopping up'	Apparatus of Cadent in stopped up streets 64.—(1) Where any street or public right of way is stopped up subject to temporary prohibition or restriction of use under article 11 (temporary stopping up prohibition or restriction of use of streets and public rights of way), if Cadent has any apparatus in the street or accessed via that street Cadent is entitled to the same rights in respect of such apparatus as it enjoyed immediately before the stopping up prohibition or restriction of use and the undertaker must grant to Cadent, or procure the granting to Cadent of, legal easements reasonably satisfactory to Cadent in respect of such apparatus and access to it prior to the stopping up prohibition or restriction of use of any such street or highway, but nothing in this paragraph affects any right of the undertaker or of Cadent to require the removal of that apparatus under paragraph 67.	C
			(2) Notwithstanding the temporary alteration, diversion or restriction of use of any street under the powers of article 11 (temporary stopping up-prohibition or restriction of use of streets and public rights of way), Cadent will be at liberty at all times to take all necessary access across any such street and to execute and do all such works and things in, upon or under any such street as it would have been entitled to do immediately before such temporary alteration, diversion or restriction in respect of any apparatus which at the time of the stopping up-prohibition or restriction of use or diversion was in that street.	



Schedule 16 – Protective Provisions – Part 7 – For the Protection of Anglian Water Services Limited– paragraph 80(1) – Apparatus in	ExA	Consequential amendments to avoid the use of the term 'temporary stopping up'	Apparatus in stopped up streets 65.—(1) Where any street or public right of way is stopped up subject to temporary prohibition or restriction of use under article 11 (temporary stopping up prohibition or restriction of use of streets and public rights of way), where Anglian Water has apparatus in the street or accessed by virtue of that street, it has the same powers and rights in respect of that apparatus as it enjoyed immediately before the stopping up prohibition or restriction of use and the undertaker must grant to Anglian Water legal easements reasonably satisfactory to Anglian Water in respect	C
stopped up streets			of such apparatus and access to it, but nothing in this paragraph affects any right of the undertaker or of Anglian Water to require the removal of that apparatus under paragraph 83 or the power of the undertaker to carry out works under paragraph 85. Regardless of the temporary stopping up prohibition or restriction of use or diversion of any highway under the powers conferred by article 11 (temporary stopping up prohibition or restriction of use of streets and public rights of way), Anglian Water is at liberty at all times to take all necessary access across any such stopped up highway and to execute and do all such works and things in, upon or under any such highway as may be reasonably necessary or desirable to enable it to maintain any apparatus which at the time of the stopping up prohibition or restriction of use or diversion was in that highway.	
Schedule 16 – Protective	Applicant	Removed as duplicated paragraph 102(2)(a)	102. —(1) []	С
Provisions – Part			(2) []	
9 – For the Protection of the			(a) 8 metres of a drainage work or is otherwise likely to—	
Environment			(i) endanger the stability of, cause damage or reduce the effectiveness of that remote defence; or	



Agency –			(ii) interfere with the Agency's access to or along that remove defence;	
paragraph 102(2)			(b) 8 metres of a drainage work or is otherwise likely to	
			(iii) (i)affect any drainage work or the volumetric rate of flow of water in or flowing to or from any drainage work;	
			(iv) (ii) affect the flow, purity or quality of water in any main river;	
			(v) (iii)cause obstruction to the free passage of fish or damage to any fishery;	
			(vi) (iv)affect the conservation, distribution or use of water resources; or	
			(vii) (v)affect the conservation value of the main river and habitats in its immediate vicinity;	
			or which involves—	
			(b) (e) an activity that includes dredging, raising or taking of any sand, silt, ballast, clay, gravel or other materials from or off the bed or banks of a drainage work (or causing such materials to be dredged, raised or taken), including hydrodynamic dredging or desilting; and	
			(c) (d) any quarrying or excavation within 16 metres of a drainage work which is likely to cause damage to or endanger the stability of the banks or structure of that drainage work.	
Schedule 16 – Protective	Applicant	Correction	112. —(1) []	С
Provisions – Part 10 – For the Protection of Railway Interests– paragraph 112			(a) the construction, operation or maintenance of any specified works comprised within the authorised development or the failure or of any such works comprised within them; or	
Schedule 16 –	Applicant	Correction		
Protective Provisions – Part	Дрисанс	Correction	115. []	С



10 – For the Protection of Railway Interests– paragraph 115			"specified work" means so much of any of the authorised development as is situated upon, across, under, over or within 15 metres of, or may in any way adversely affect, railway property and, for the avoidance of doubt, includes the maintenance of such works under the powers conferred by article 4–5 (maintenance of power to maintain the authorised development) in respect of such works.	
Schedule 17 – Procedure for Discharge of Requirements – paragraph 2(1) – Applications made under requirement	LCC and West Lindsey District Council (WLDC)	Amendment of the timescale to ten weeks in response to submissions made by LCC and WLDC during the Gate Burton Energy Park examination.	2.—(1) [] (2) Subject to sub-paragraph (3), where an application has been made to the relevant planning authority for any consent, agreement or approval required by a requirement the relevant planning authority must give notice to the undertaker of its decision on the application within a period of eight ten weeks beginning with the later of— [] (4) Subject to paragraph 4, in the event that the relevant planning authority does not determine an application within the period set out in sub-paragraph (2) or and (3), the relevant planning authority is to be taken to have granted all parts of the application (without any condition or qualification) at the end of that period. (5) Any application made to the relevant planning authority pursuant to subparagraph (2) or and (3) must include a statement to confirm whether it is likely that the subject matter of the application will give rise to any materially new or materially different environmental effects compared to those in the environmental statement and if it will then it must be accompanied by information setting out what those effects are.	C
Schedule 17 – Procedure for Discharge of Requirements –	ExA	Amendment to remove the use of 'forthwith' to comply with current drafting practice.	 (2) The steps to be followed in the appeal process are as follows— (a) [] (b) the Secretary of State must appoint a person to determine the appeal as soon as reasonably practicable and must forthwith, as soon as is reasonably practicable, notify the appeal parties of the identity of the 	С



paragraph 4(2) – Appeals		Amendment to 20 working days to be consistent with PINS Advice Note 15.	appointed person and the address to which all correspondence for the appointed person's attention should be sent; (c) the relevant planning authority and any requirement consultee must submit written representations to the appointed person in respect of the appeal within 10-20 working days of the start date and must ensure that copies of their written representations are sent to each other and to the undertaker on the day on which they are submitted to the appointed person; (d) the undertaker may make any counter-submissions to the appointed person within 10-20 working days of receipt of written representations pursuant to sub-paragraph (c);	
Schedule 17 – Procedure for Discharge of Requirements – paragraph 5(1)	Applicant	Amendment made in response to submissions made by LCC and WLDC during the Gate Burton Energy Park examination.	5.—(1) Where an application is made to the relevant planning authority for written consent, agreement or approval in respect of a requirement, the fee prescribed under regulation 16(1)(b) of the Town and Country Planning (Fees for Applications, Deemed Applications, Requires and Site Visits) (England) Regulations 2012 (as may be amended or replaced from time to time) is to apply for the discharge of each requirement (whether dealt with in separate applications or combined within a single application) and must be paid to the relevant planning authority for each application. 1.	С



4 Schedule of Changes to the Land Plan

Table 4.1: Schedule of Changes Made to the Land Plan

I	Date of Change	Change Made	Reason for Change
1	N/A	N/A	N/A



5 Schedule of Changes to the Book of Reference Plot Interests

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Plot Number	Part	Date of Change	Contact Name	Nature of Land Interest	Change Made	Reasons for Change
02-045, 02-046, 02-047, 02-061, 02-062, 02-063, 02-065, 02-071	1	30/10/2023	The Royal Bank of Scotland PLC	Category 2		Ongoing due diligence has identified that The Royal Bank of Scotland PLC no longer has an interest in these plots.
02-045, 02-046, 02-047, 02-051, 02-057, 02-061, 02-062, 02-063, 02-065, 02-071	1	30/10/2023	Bonsdale Solar Farm Limited	Category 2		Ongoing due diligence has identified that Bonsdale Solar Farm Limited has a Category 2 interest in titles LL176888, LL355015, LL322608, LL355198, LL355014.
02-047	1	30/10/2023	Margaret Riding	Category 1		Ongoing due diligence has identified that Margaret Riding no longer owns title LL176888.
14-295	1	30/10/2023	UK Mortgage Lending Limited	Category 2		Ongoing due diligence has identified that UK Mortgage Lending Limited has a category 2 interest in title LL404754.



6 Schedule of Changes to the Book of Reference Plots

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