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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		Deadline and Date Submitted	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	Plans amended to show missing plot labels, increase the font size of plot descriptions, and to correctly identify rights being sought to ensure consistency with the Draft Development Consent Order, Book of Reference, and Statement of Reasons.	Section 51 (PA2008) or to comments provided
C2.4 Works Plan	[APP-007]	Revision A [AS-007]	24 April 2023	Plans amended to ensure consistency with 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	Erroneous label for point 19ii/a has been amended to 19ii/b	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		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	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	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	Document	Deadline and Date Submitted	Change	Reason for Change
C1.3_A Guide to the Application	[AS-005]		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 <b>Table 4.1</b> below.	See <b>Table 4.1</b> 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 <b>Table 3.1</b> below.	See <b>Table 3.1</b> below.
C4.3_A Book of Reference	[AS-016]	[EX1/C4.3_B]	Deadline 1 17 October 2023	See <b>Tables 5.1 and 6.1</b> below.	See <b>Tables 5.1 and 6.1</b> below.
C6.2.4 ES Chapter 4: Scheme Description		Revision A [EX1/C6.2.4_A]	Deadline 1 17 October 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]	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]	17 October 2023	added; Paragraph 2.2.22 deleted and 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	<u> </u>	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
				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/	Deadline 1 17 October 2023	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]	[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.



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				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]	Deadline 1 17 October 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]	Deadline 1 17 October 2023	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.



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C7.15 Concept Design Parameters	[APP-352]	Revision A [EX1/C7.15_A]	Deadline 1 17 October 2023	Table 2.1: Conversion Units: Design	For consistency with ES Chapter 22: Mitigation Schedule [C6.2.19_A] and Flood Risk Assessment and Drainage Strategy [APP-090]. Raised at ISH1.



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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]	Deadline 2 21 November 2023	Realignment of a number of Access Locations:  Cottam: AC104 Removed from Access Plan Cottam: AC105 Moved to the north to accord with Gate Burton. Cottam: AC108 Moved to the north to accord with Gate Burton. Cottam: AC109 Moved to the west to accord with Gate Burton. Cottam: AC109 Moved to the west to accord with Gate Burton. Cottam: AC110 Moved to the west to accord with Gate Burton.	To align with Gate Burton Energy Park access locations where feasible within the shared cable route corridor.



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C3.1_B Draft Development Consent Order (Revision B)	[REP-006]	Revision C [EX2/C3.1_C]	Deadline 2 21 November 2023	See <b>Table 3.1</b> below.	See <b>Table 3.1</b> below.
C4.3_B Book of Reference (Revision B)	[REP-008]	Revision C [EX2/C4.3_C]	Deadline 2 21 November 2023	See <b>Tables 5.1 and 6.1</b> below.	See <b>Tables 5.1 and 6.1</b> 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.
C6.3.8.3 ES Appendix 8.3 Assessment of Potential Visual Effects	[APP-075]	Revision A [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.	To address anomalies identified in the Lincolnshire Local Impact Report <b>[REP-085].</b>



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				Receptors VP20 and T099 updated to take account of panel area correction.	
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]		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]	7 I November	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.
C6.5_A Environmental Statement Volume 4: Non-Technical	[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



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Summary (Revision A)					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]	Revision B [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]	Revision B [EX2/C7.3_B]	Deadline 2 21 November 2023	Text added to address management prescriptions	requested by ExA FWQs WQ1 1.5.9
C7.5_A Planning Statement (Revision A)	[REP-047]	Revision B [EX2/C7.5_B]	Deadline 2 21 November 2023	Additions to Appendix 3 and Planning Statement to capture new policy docs. Additions to Appendix 2 to capture 1/22/01031/CDM.	Requested by ExA FWQs 1.2.1  Requested by ExA FWQs 1.2.11



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				Amendment to Appendix 4 to remove reference to superseded Lincolnshire local plan and include additional neighbourhood plan policy assessment.	Requested by ExA FWQs 1.2.2 and 1.2.7
				Amendment to para 5.4.9 of planning statement to remove NPS EN-3	Requested by ExA FWQs 1.2.13
				Amendment to Section 6.6 to clarify assessment of designated heritage assets	Requested by ExA FWQs 1.2.3
C7.9 Outline Battery Storage Safety Management Plan	[APP-348]	Revision A [EX2/C7.9_A]	Deadline 2 21 November 2023	Updates to text	To reflect updated guidance and best practice e.g PPG Renewable and Low Carbon Energy and National Fire Chief Council Guidance.
C7.16 Outline Operational Environmental Management Plan	[APP-353]	Revision A [EX2/C7.16_A]	Deadline 2 21 November 2023	Additions to text re rainwater harvesting	At request of Anglian Water
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	[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 <b>[PD-006]</b> .



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Interrelationship with other NSIPs					
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 21 November 2023	Updates on negotiations	In responses to the ExA's request in the Rule 6 letter [PD-006].
C8.1.13 Schedule of progress regarding Protective Provisions and	[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 <b>[PD-006]</b> .



Document Updated	Submitted Document Reference	New Document Reference	Deadline and Date Submitted	Change	Reason for Change
Statutory Undertakers					
C8.2.2 Supplementary Visual Effects Tables	[REP-061]	Revision A [EX2/C8.2.2_A]	Deadline 2 21 November 2023	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 <b>[PD-006]</b> .
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 <b>[PD-006]</b> .
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 response 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	[REP-074] ,	Revision A [EX2/C8.3.13_A]	Deadline 2 21 November 2023	Provision of a signed version.	In response to the ExA's request in the Rule 6 letter <b>[PD-006]</b> .



Updated	Submitted Document Reference	Document	Deadline and Date Submitted	Change	Reason for Change
Project SoCG (Draft))					
EX1/C8.3.14 Anglian Water SoCG (Draft)	[REP-075]	Revision A [EX2/C8.3.14_A]	Deadline 2 21 November 2023	9	In response 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]	[EX2/C8.4.17.2_A]	21 November	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



Table 2.4: Schedule of Changes Made at Deadline 3

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C1.3_C Guide to the Application (Revision C)	[REP2-001]	Revision D [EX3/C1.3_D]	Deadline 3 19 December 2023		To provide an overview of the submitted documents and to keep track of document references.
C3.1_D Draft Development Consent Order	[REP2-004]	Revision E [EX3/C3.1_E]	Deadline 3 19 December 2023	See <b>Table 3.1</b> below.	See <b>Table 3.1</b> below.
C4.3_D Book of Reference	[REP2-006]	Revision E [EX3/C4.3_E]	Deadline 3 19 December 2023	See <b>Tables 5.1 and 6.1</b> below.	See <b>Tables 5.1 and 6.1</b> below.
C6.3.14.2_CConstruction Traffic Management Plan	[REP2-016]	Revision D [EX3/ C6.3.14.2_D]	Deadline 3 19 December 2023		In response to comments by interested party at CA hearing. See Action Point 3 [EX3/C8.1.24]
				Update re deployment of banksman (movement plan) re Stow Abbey	Undertaking at ISH 2. See 3A [C8.1.21].
				Update re management of access track on race days in liaison with Blyton Driving Centre	In response to comments by interested party at CA Hearing.
				decign stage equivito \$7/8	In response to request by Lincs CC at ISH5.



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				Update to refer to production of a joint CTMP in shared cable route corridor.	In response to request by West Lindsey DC
C6.3.19.2 Outline Soil Management Plan	[APP-146]	Revision B [EX3/C6.3.19.2_B]	Deadline 3 19 December 2023	Update to include further detail on the reinstatement of soils and soil monitoring	In response to request by Natural England
C7.1_B Outline Construction Environmental Management Plan	[REP2-024]	Revision C [EX3/C7.1_C]	Deadline 3 19 December 2023	Update to refer to production of a joint CTMP in shared cable route corridor.	In response to request by West Lindsey DC
C7.2 Outline Decommissioning Statement	[APP-338]	Revision A [EX3/C7.2_A]	Deadline 3 19 December 2023	Provision for a waste management strategy to be submitted.	In response to Lincolnshire CC response to ExA FWQ 1.13.14
C7.3_C Outline Landscape and Ecological Management Plan	[REP2-026]	Revision D [EX3/C7.3_D]	Deadline 3 19 December 2023	The Outline Landscape Environmental Management Plan [EN010133/EX3/C7.3_D] has been updated to include clarity on the maximum width of hedgerow that is anticipated to be removed to facilitate access and for the construction of the Cable Route Corridor.	In response to Action at ISH5.



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C7.9_A Outline Battery Storage Safety Management Plan (Revision A)	[REP2-030]	Revision B [EX3/C7.9_B]	Deadline 3 19 December 2023	Revision to text regarding need for fire suppression systems	In response to latest guidance and agreement with Lincolnshire Fire and Rescue on requirements.
C7.15_A Concept Design Parameters	[REP-039]	Revision B [EX3/C7.15_B]	Deadline 3 19 December 2023	Fire Suppression system and battery parameters updated.	In response to updated guidance and Lincolnshire Fire and Rescue advice.
				llext on HDD depth under Trent	In response to request from Canals and Rivers Trust to mirror text used for Gate Burton Solar project.
C7.16_A Outline Operational Environmental Management Plan	[REP2-032]	Revision B [EX3/C7.16_B]	Deadline 3 19 December 2023	Provision for a waste management strategy to be submitted	In response to Lincolnshire CC response to ExA FWQ 1.13.14
C7.20 Information to Support a Habitats Regulations Assessment	[APP-357]	Revision A [EX3/C7.20_A]	Deadline 3 19 December 2023	Update to include information relating to the Humber Estuary Ramsar site which was not included in the original version.	In response to ExA's First WQs 1.6.2
C8.1.8_A Report on the Interrelationship with other NSIPs	[REP2-036]	Revision B [EX3/C8.1.8_B]	Late D3 submission to be on or immediately	Update to check alignment on conclusions on cumulative topics and/or explanation of any differences as requested in ISH4	In response to ExA request for an updated version at each Deadline



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			after 21/12 to correspond with Gate Burton Deadline 6 submission.	Update with recent scoping reports for One Earth and Great North Road	
Lincolnshire County Council SoCG	EX3/C8.3.2_A	EX3/C8.3.2_B	Deadline 3 19 December 2023	Update in respect of meeting held between the Applicant and Lincs CC on 14/12/23 to discuss WSI options	In response to request from ExA at ISH 5.
West Lindsey DC SoCG	EX3/C8.3.3	EX3/C8.3.3_A	Deadline 3 19 December 2023	Update to incorporate text setting out the position of West Lindsey DC and the Applicant in relation to cumulative significant effects	In response to request from ExA at ISH4.
Natural England SoCG	EX3/C8.3.11	EX3/C8.3.11_B	Deadline 3 19 December 2023	Update to include additional text on reinstatement of soils and the updated iHRA in relation to Ramsar Designations.	In response to comments from and discussion with Natural England
C8.1.9_A Statement of Commonality	[REP2-038]	Revision B [EX3/C8.1.9_B]	Deadline 3 19 December 2023	Update on progress in relation to agreeing Statements of Common Ground.	Update requested by ExA at each Deadline.
C8.1.11_A Schedule of progress regarding objections and agreements in relation	[REP2-040]	Revision B [EX3/C8.1.11_B]	Deadline 3 19 December 2023	Updates on progress	In responses to the ExA's request in the Rule 6 letter <b>[PD-006]</b> .



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to Compulsory Acquisition, Temporary Possession, other land rights, and blight					
C8.1.12_A Schedule of Negotiations		Revision B [EX3/C8.1.12_B]	Deadline 3 19 December 2023		In responses to the ExA's request in the Rule 6 letter <b>[PD-006]</b> .
C8.1.13_A Schedule of progress regarding Protective Provisions and Statutory Undertakers	-	Revision B [EX3/C8.1.13_B]	Deadline 3 19 December 2023		In responses to the ExA's request in the Rule 6 letter <b>[PD-006]</b> .



Table 2.5: Schedule of Changes Made at Deadline 4

Document Updated	Submitted Document Reference	New Document Reference	Deadline and Date Submitted	Change	Reason for Change
C1.3_D Guide to the Application (Revision D)	[REP2-001]	Revision E [EX3/C1.3_E]	30 January 2024	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.
C2.1 Location Plan	APP-005 [AS-043]	C2.1_B	Deadline 4 30 January 2024	Update to the Order Limits.	To reflect updated Order Limits from the change application.
C2.5 Land Plan	REP-004 AS-044	C2.2_D	Deadline 4 30 January 2024	See <b>Table 4.1</b> below.	See <b>Table 4.1</b> below.
C2.4 Works Plan	APP-007 [AS-045]	C2.4_C	Deadline 4 30 January 2024	Update to the Order Limits.	To reflect updated Order Limits from the change application.
C2.5 Public Rights of Way Plan	REP2-018 [AS-046]	C2.5_D	Deadline 4 30 January 2024	Update to the Order Limits.	To reflect updated Order Limits from the change application.
C2.6 Access Plan	REP2-003 [AS-047]	C2.6_C	Deadline 4 30 January 2024	Update to the Order Limits.	To reflect updated Order Limits from the change application.
C2.8 Waterbodies River Basin Management Plan	APP-010	C2.8_A	Deadline 4 30 January 2024	Update to the Order Limits.	To reflect updated Order Limits from the change application.
C2.9 Ecology and Nature	APP-011 [AS-048]	C2.9_B	Deadline 4 30 January 2024	Update to the Order Limits.	To reflect updated Order Limits from the change application.



Document Updated	Submitted Document Reference	New Document Reference	Deadline and Date Submitted	Change	Reason for Change
Conservation Features Plan					
C2.10 Historic Environment Features Plan	APP-012	C2.10_A	Deadline 4 30 January 2024	Update to the Order Limits.	To reflect updated Order Limits from the change application.
C2.11 Important Hedgerows Plan	APP-013 [AS-049]	C2.11_B	Deadline 4 30 January 2024	Update to the Order Limits.	To reflect updated Order Limits from the change application.
C2.13 Streets Plan	APP-015 [AS-050]	C2.13_D	Deadline 4 30 January 2024	Update to the Order Limits.	To reflect updated Order Limits from the change application.
C3.1_D Draft Development Consent Order	REP3-004	Revision E [EX4/C3.1_E]	Deadline 4 30 January 2024		See Table 3.1 below.
C3.2_B Explanatory Memorandum	APP-017 [AS-053]	Revision B [EX4/C3.2_B]	30 January 2024	the change application.	To reflect various changes to the drafting of the DCO, including in respect of the change application. An updated Explanatory Memorandum was also requested by the Examining Authority in first written question 1.1.26 [PD-011].
C4.2_B Statement of Reasons	AS-013 [AS-055]	Revision C [EX4/C4.1_C]		ongoing negotiations with landowners with	



Document Updated	Submitted Document Reference	New Document Reference	Deadline and Date Submitted	Change	Reason for Change
				whom the Applicant is seeking to agree voluntary property agreements.	
C4.2_B Funding Statement	APP-019 [AS-057]	Revision B [EX4/C4.2_B]	Deadline 4 30 January 2024	Updates in respect of the change application.	To confirm that the changes in the change request resulted in a negligible change to the overall property costs estimate.
C4.3 D Book of Reference	REP3-006	Revision E [EX4/C4.3_E]	Deadline 4 30 January 2024	See Tables 5.1 and 6.1 below.	See Tables 5.1 and 6.1 below.
C6.3.8.3_B Assessment of Potential Visual Effects	REP2-012 [AS-066]	Revision C C6.3.8.3_C	30 January 7074	Update to text and assessment to take account of proposed Change 5 of the change application.	Updated to reflect the change application.
C6.3.13.7 ES Appendix 13.7 Archaeological Mitigation WSI	APP-131	Revision A [EX4/C6.3.13.7_A]	Deadline 4 30 January 2024	Update to include additional mitigation measures relating to the additional land included in the Order Limits.	Updated to reflect the change application and the mitigation measures set out in the SEIR [AS-064].
C6.3.14.1_A Transport Assessment	REP2-014	Revision B [EX4/C6.3.14.1_B]	Deadline 4 30 January 2024	Updates to Order Limits, DMMO routes, detailed design stage requirements.	Updated to reflect change application and to align with previous CTMP and PROW Management Plan updates.



Document Updated		Document	Deadline and Date Submitted	Change	Reason for Change
C6.3.14.2_D Outline Construction Traffic Management Plan		Revision E [EX4/ C6.3.14.2_E	30 January 2024	Update to include security measures along North Farm access track; update regarding deployment of banksman (movement plan) at Stow Abbey; update regarding the management of access track on race days in liaison with Blyton Park Driving Centre; update regarding detailed plans for detailed design stage for highways works equivalent to a section 278 agreement. These changes were previously contained in C6.3.14.2_D [REP3-007] only.  Update to paragraph 3.4 regarding new accesses and to figures and appendices as set out within the Schedule of Changes included within [AS-069]. These changes were previously included within [AS-069] only.	
C6.3.14.3 Public Rights of Way Management Plan	REP2-018 [AS-070]	Revision D [EX4/C6.3.14.3_D]	30 January 2024	closure of c.1.7km of Torksey Ferry Road PRoW NT Rampton BOAT13 (see	To reflect updated Order Limits from the change application and to merge changes from the change application version of the plan [AS-070] and the Deadline 2 version [REP2-018].



Document Updated		Document	Deadline and Date Submitted	Change	Reason for Change
Technical Summary		[EX4/C6.5_C]	30 January 2024	summary of the cultural heritage assessment – see paragraphs 6.8.8 to 6.8.11. Changes to figures 1.1 and 2.1.	In response to the Examining Authority's second written question 2.9.17 [PD-015]. Changes to the figures relate to the change to the Order Limits resulting from the change application (figure 1.1), and the addition of new cumulative schemes (figure 2.1).
C7.3_D Outline Landscape Environmental Management Plan	REP3-016 [AS-061]		30 January 2024	·	Updated to reflect change application and merge previously submitted REP3-016 with AS-061.
				Addition of HR38-HR52 (previously contained in C7.3_C_CR [AS-061 only])	To align with changes requested to West Burton OLEMP.



Document Updated	Submitted Document Reference	New Document Reference	Deadline and Date Submitted	Change	Reason for Change
				Update to paragraph 4.12 to include early implementation of mitigation planting around North Farm	As detailed in the response to ExA Second written question number 2.5.4 [EX4/C8.1.30].
C7.4 Consents Agreements Position Statement	APP-340	Revision A [EX4/C7.4_A]	30 January 2024	Update Table 1: replace "as appropriate" with "as required" Update to remove disapplication of certain legislative provisions.	To reflect where the Environment Agency has confirmed it will not consent to disapplication in the DCO.
C7.5_B Planning Statement	REP2-028	Revision C [EX4/C7.5_C]	30 January 2024	Main document text has been updated to reflect the designation of the new suite of Energy NPSs in January 2024.  New paragraphs 6.9.15 and 6.9.16 to reflect additional assessment of the Humber Estuary Ramsar Site.  Appendix 4 - updates relating to neighbourhood planning policies  Appendix 3 updates relating to the new Energy NPSs	Updates in response to ExA's first written question 1.12.1 [PD-011].  Updates in response to ExA's second written questions [PD-015].



Document Updated	Document	New Document Reference	Deadline and Date Submitted	Change	Reason for Change
C7.10 Skills Supply Chain and Employment Plan	APP-349	Revision A [EX4/C7.10_A]	30 January 2024	Updates to text to reinforce commitments in the document, as requested by West Lindsey District Council.	In response to SWQ 2.12.11 [PD-015].
C7.15_B Concept Design Parameters and Principles	REP3-020	Revision C [EX4/C7.15_C]	30 January 2024	"There will be one switchgear at every inverter location".  Fibre Communication Chambers – update from 1000m to 2000m to reflect JSM advice and to be consistent with West Burton equivalent document.  Update relating to perimeter fencing  Update to Work No.6 in relation to 400Kv cable, where when using HDD, each cable from a circuit now only needs to be	Change to provide consistency with ES chapter 4 Para 4.5.17.  To reflect up to date contractor advice and to be consistent with the equivalent design information for the West Burton Solar Project.  To align with change made for the West Burton Solar Project.  This change follows advice from the electrical design team that current industry practice indicates that 3m is acceptable.



Document Updated	Submitted Document Reference	New Document Reference	Deadline and Date Submitted	Change	Reason for Change
C7.16_B Outline RE Operational Environmental Management Plan	REP3-022	Revision C Deadline 4  [EX4/C7.16_C] 30 January 202	Deadline 4 30 January 2024	action plan.	Update to reflect fire safety advice and paragraph 9.4 of C8.4.17.2-A Air Quality Impact Assessment of Battery Energy Storage Systems (BESS) Fire [REP2-072]
				Update to Table 3.5 to add interim opaque fencing, if required prior to establishment of screening vegetation in vicinity of Blyton Driving Centre.	Photovoltaic Glint and Glare Study [REP-
C7.17_A Crossing Schedule	REP-041	Revision B [EX4/C7.17_B]	Deadline 4 30 January 2024	Update to the Order Limits.	To reflect updated Order Limits from the change application.
C8.1.8_B Report on the Interrelationship with Other National Infrastructure Projects		Revision C [EX4/C8.1.8_C]		to/incortions of boadings	In response to the ExA's request in the Rule 6 letter [PD-006].



Updated	Submitted Document Reference	Document	Deadline and Date Submitted	Change	Reason for Change
C8.1.9_B Statement of Commonality	REP3-029	Revision C [EX4/C8.1.9_C]	30 January 202 <i>4</i>	the parties that the Applicant is possibiling	In response to the ExA's request in the Rule 6 letter [PD-006].
C8.1.11_B Schedule of progress regarding objections and agreements in relation to Compulsory Acquisition, Temporary Possession, other land rights, and blight	REP3-030	Revision C [EX4/C8.1.11_C]	Deadline 4 30 January 2024		In response to the ExA's request in the Rule 6 letter [PD-006].
C8.1.12_B Schedule of Negotiations - Compulsory Acquisition Information	REP3-031	Revision C [EX4/C8.1.12_C]	Deadline 4 30 January 2024		In response to the ExA's request in the Rule 6 letter [PD-006].



Document Updated	Submitted Document Reference	Document	Deadline and Date Submitted	Change	Reason for Change
C8.1.13_B Schedule of progress regarding Protective Provisions and Statutory Undertakers	REP3-032		Deadline 4 30 January 2024	Updates on progress	In response to the ExA's request in the Rule 6 letter [PD-006].
C8.3.2_B Statement of Common Ground with Lincolnshire County Council		Revision C [EX4/C8.3.2_C]	30 January 2024	Landscape and visual tables updated in sections 2, 3 and 4.  Updates in respect of factual and other matters.	Updates follow further meetings with LCC on 8/1/24 and 15/1/24 to discuss landscape and visual matters.  Update in response to ExA SWQ 2.2.1 [pd-015].
C8.3.9 Statement of Common Ground with Network Rail	REP-070	Revision A [EX4/C8.3.9_A]	Deadline 4 30 January 2024	updates on negotiations and progress.	Updated following response received from Network Rail in respect of property agreements.
C8.3.7 Statement of Common Ground with Upper Witham Internal Drainage Board		Revision A [EX4/C8.3.7_A]	30 January 2024	Letter from Upper Witham Internal Drainage Board confirming agreement to the wording of Article 6(1)(h) of the draft DCO (application and modification of statutory provisions) [EX4/C3.1_F]	To show the latest position between the Applicant and Upper Witham IDB, and to confirm that section 150 consent has been forthcoming.



Table 2.6: Schedule of Changes Made at Deadline 5

	Submitted Document Reference	New Document Reference	Deadline and Date Submitted	Change	Reason for Change
C1.3_F Guide to the Application (Revision F)	REP4-002	Revision G [EX5/C1.3_G]	Deadline 5 27 February 2024	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_D PROW Plan	REP4-006	Revision E [EX5/C2.5_E]	Deadline 5 27 February 2024		Resulting from amendments to Public Right of Way Schedules in the final version of the draft DCO and to ensure changes as a result of the change application are fully captured.
C2.13_B Streets Plan	REP4-012	Revision E [EX5/C2.13_E]	Deadline 5 27 February 2024	Addition of points and street works between 6m-6n, 14j-14k and 17k-18i-18j.	Resulting from amendments to Streets Schedules in the final version of the draft DCO.
C3.1_F Draft Development Consent Order	REP4-013	Revision F [EX5/C3.1_G]	Deadline 5 27 February 2024	See Table 3.1 below.	See Table 3.1 below.
C3.2_B Explanatory Memorandum	REP4-015	Revision C [EX5/C3.2_C]	Deadline 5 27 February 2024	Updated to reflect various changes to the drafting of the DCO.	To reflect various changes to the drafting of the DCO.



Document Updated	Submitted Document Reference	New Document Reference	Deadline and Date Submitted	Change	Reason for Change
C4.3 F Book of Reference	REP4-021	Revision F [EX5/C4.3_G]	Deadline 5 27 February 2024	See Tables 5.1 and 6.1 below.	See Tables 5.1 and 6.1 below.
C6.3.13.7_A ES Appendix 13.7 Archaeological Mitigation WSI	REP4-025	Revision B [EX5/C6.3.13.7_B]	Deadline 5 27 February 2024	Updates to terminology and to mitigation approaches.	Updated in to incorporate comments from Lincolnshire and Nottinghamshire County Councils.
C6.3.14.1_B Transport Assessment	REP4-027	Revision C [EX5/C6.3.14.1_C]	2024	Updates to figures and description of accesses. Additional information in paragraph 8.20 relating to temporary closure of Torksey Ferry Road.	Follow through amendments from DCO Schedules updates and to fully reflect Change Application and to ensure that the temporary closure will comply with legislation.
C6.3.14.2_E Outline Construction Traffic Management Plan	REP4-029	Revision E [EX4/ C6.3.14.2_F]	27 February 2024	1. Addition of measures for the protection of underground utility assets.  2. Inclusion of commitment to pay for approval of heavy duty access crossings and minor works permits relating to access works.	As requested by Anglian Water Services in submission [REP3A-001]     As requested by Lincolnshire County Council.
C6.3.14.3_D Public Rights of Way Management Plan	REP4-031	Revision D [EX5/C6.3.14.3_D]	Deadline 5 27 February 2024	Updates to requirements relating to the temporary closure of Torksey Ferry Road.	To ensure that the temporary closure will comply with legislation.



Document Updated	Submitted Document Reference	New Document Reference	Deadline and Date Submitted	Change	Reason for Change
C7.1_C Outline Construction Environmental Management Plan	REP3-012	Revision D [EX5/C7.1_D]		1. Update re night time construction noise mitigation (Table 3.6)  2. Inclusion of text to require the Applicant to contact Anglian Water Services (AWS) to agree standoff distances on a case-by-case basis, where it is likely that works will be undertaken within 7 metres of pipes in excess of 400mm diameter.	1. In response to discussions with WLDC on SoCG [EX5/ C8.3.3_B] (see NOI-11) 2. At request of AWS. See AW-01 Applicant's responses to Deadline 3A and Deadline 4 responses [EX5/C8.1.32]
C7.16_C Outline Operational Environmental Management Plan	REP4-045	Revision D [EX5/C7.16_D]		2. Amendment to wording in respect of	
C8.1.8_C Report on the Interrelationship with Other National Infrastructure Projects	REP4-050	Revision D [EX5/C8.1.8_D]	Deadline 5 27 February 2024	Updates in respect of Soils and Agriculture in Appendix E and an explanation in the main report.	In response to the ExA's request in the Rule 6 letter [PD-006] and specifically to EXA Second Written Question 2.8.7, in which the ExA asked why Soils and



Document Updated	Document	New Document Reference	Deadline and Date Submitted	Change	Reason for Change
					Agriculture were not covered in Appendix E.
C8.1.9_C Statement of Commonality	REP4-052	Revision D [EX5/C8.1.9_D]	27 February 2024	Updates on final / latest positions reached in discussions with the parties that the Applicant has negotiated Statements of Common Ground with.	In response to the ExA's request in the Rule 6 letter [PD-006].
C8.1.11_C Schedule of progress regarding objections and agreements in relation to Compulsory Acquisition, Temporary Possession, other land rights, and blight	REP4-054	Revision D [EX5/C8.1.11_D]	Deadline 5 27 February 2024	Updates on progress.	In response to the ExA's request in the Rule 6 letter [PD-006].
C8.1.12_C Schedule of Negotiations - Compulsory Acquisition Information	REP4-055	Revision D [EX5/C8.1.12_D]	Deadline 5 27 February 2024	Updates on negotiations.	In response to the ExA's request in the Rule 6 letter [PD-006].
C8.1.13_C Schedule of progress regarding Protective Provisions	REP4-056	Revision D [EX5/C8.1.13_D]	Deadline 5 27 February 2024	Updates on progress	In response to the ExA's request in the Rule 6 letter [PD-006].



	Document	New Document Reference	Deadline and Date Submitted	Change	Reason for Change
and Statutory Undertakers					
Statement of Common Ground with C8.3.1_A Nottinghamshire County Council & Bassetlaw District Council	REP2-060	Revision B [EX5/C8.3.1_B]	Deadline 5 27 February 2024	Updates to show final position reached in discussions between the parties. Signed version.	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
C8.3.2_C Statement of Common Ground with Lincolnshire County Council	REP4-060	Revision D [EX5/C8.3.2_D]	27 February 2024	Updates to show agreed position reached in discussions between the parties. Signed version to be submitted at Deadline 6.	In response to the ExA's request in the Rule 6 letter [PD-006].
C8.3.3_A Statement of Common Ground with West Lindsey District Council	REP3-045	Revision B [EX5/C8.3.3_B]	Deadline 5 27 February 2024	Updates to show final position reached in discussions between the parties. Signed version.	· ·
C8.3.4 Statement of Common Ground with Historic England	REP-065	Revision A [EX5/C8.3.4_A]	Deadline 5 27 February 2024	Updates to show final position reached in discussions between the parties. Signed version.	·
C8.3.8 Statement of Common Ground with Environment Agency	REP-069	Revision A [EX5/C8.3.8_A]	Deadline 5 27 February 2024	Updates to show final position reached in discussions between the parties. Signed version.	·



	Document	Document	Deadline and Date Submitted	Change	Reason for Change
C8.3.9_A Statement of Common Ground with Network Rail		[EX5/C8.3.9_B]	27 February 2024	Updates to show agreed position reached in discussions between the parties. Signed version to be submitted at Deadline 6.	In response to the ExA's request in the Rule 6 letter [PD-006].
C8.3.15_A Statement of Common Ground with Scunthorpe and Gainsborough Water Management Board		_		Updates to show final position reached in discussions between the parties. Signed version.	·



# 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.	<ul> <li>20.—(1) The undertaker may— <ul> <li>(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</li> <li>(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.</li> </ul> </li> <li>(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).</li> </ul>	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.	<ul> <li>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— <ul> <li>(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</li> <li>(b) on the date of entry on the land by the undertaker under section 11(1) (power of entry) of the 1965 Act; or.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	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]	B



		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.  Requirement 21 has been amended to address concerns raised regarding the	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);  (vi) Requirement 9 (biodiversity net gain);  (vii) Requirement 10 (fencing and other means of enclosure);	B



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 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.  Approved details and amendments to them
	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.
	<b>3.</b> —(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 15-20 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 consistent with the	"authorised development" means the development and associated development described in Schedule 1 (authorised development) and any other which is development within the meaning of section 32 (meaning of "development") of the 2008 Act authorised by this Order;  []	С
		Longfield Solar Park Order 2023.  The definition of 'date of decommissioning' has	"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.	
		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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				he undertaker must not temporarily stop up, prohibit the use of, authorise of, restrict the use of, alter or divert—	
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			street o	Tithout prejudice to the scope of paragraph (1), the undertaker may use any republic right of way the use of which has been temporarily stopped up ted, restricted, altered or diverted under the powers conferred by this article hin the Order limits as a temporary working site.	
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			_	consequential amendments where references are made to article to 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	-	1) [] any stopping up, prohibition, restriction, alteration or diversion of a street	С
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		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.	<ul> <li>35.—(1) []</li> <li>(3) The consent of the Secretary of State is required for the exercise of the powers of paragraph (1) except where—</li> <li>(a) the transferee or lessee is the holder of a licence under section 6 (licences authorising supply etc.) of the 1989 Act;</li> <li>(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;</li> </ul>	C
Article 42(2) - Arbitration	ExA	Added in response to the ExA's written questions.	<b>42.</b> —(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.	<b>49.</b> —(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>	С
Schedule 2 – Requirements – paragraph 7(1) – Landscape and ecological management plan	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 substantially in accordance with the outline landscape and ecological mitigation	С
pierr			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.	C



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 "ad 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.	С
Schedule 9 – Deemed Marine Licence Under the 2009 Act – Part 1 – Licensed Marine Activities – paragraph 4(2)	Applicant	Correction	<b>5.</b> —(1) [] (2) The coordinat system WGS84 – W	ence		
Schedule 14 – Documents and Plans to Be Certified – Part 1 – Documents and Plans	Applicant	Updated to reflect Deadline 2 submissions.	<b>80.</b> [Due to the e reproduced here. DCO, provided at	raft C		
Schedule 14 – Documents and Plans to Be Certified – Part 2 – Substitute and	Applicant	Updated to reflect Deadline 2 submissions.	<b>81.</b> [Due to the e reproduced here. DCO, provided at	raft		



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 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.  (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 articled to do immediately before such temporary electricion diversion or restriction.	C
			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 –	ExA	Consequential		С
Protective		amendments to avoid	Apparatus in stopped up streets	C
Provisions – Part		the use of the term	<b>65.</b> —(1) Where any street or public right of way is stopped up subject to	
7 – For the		'temporary stopping up'	temporary prohibition or restriction of use under article 11 (temporary stopping up	
Protection of Anglian Water			<u>prohibition or restriction of use</u> of streets and public rights of way), where Anglian	
Services Limited-			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	
paragraph 80(1) –			stopping up prohibition or restriction of use and the undertaker must grant to	
Apparatus in			Anglian Water legal easements reasonably satisfactory to Anglian Water in respect	
stopped up			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	
streets			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 –	Applicant	Removed as duplicated	<b>102.</b> —(1) []	C
Protective		paragraph 102(2)(a)		
Provisions – Part 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	



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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	<b>112.</b> —(1) []	С
Provisions – Part 10 – For the Protection of Railway Interests–			(a) the construction, operation or maintenance of any specified works comprised within the authorised development or the failure of any such works comprised within them; or	
paragraph 112				
Schedule 16 – Protective Provisions – Part	Applicant	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.	<ul> <li>(2) The steps to be followed in the appeal process are as follows—</li> <li>(a) []</li> <li>(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</li> </ul>	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)	
Preamble App	olicant Correc	The Secretary	y of State, in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 114(1), 115(2), 120(3), 122(4), The 2008 Act, makes the following Order—	

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Part 1 - Preliminary – paragraph 2 - Interpretation	Applicant	Correction	"National Grid" means National Grid Electricity Transmission plc (company number 2366977) whose registered office is at 1-3 Strand, London, WC2N 5EH or any successor as a licence holder within the meaning op of Part 1 of the 1989 Act;	E
Part 1 - Preliminary – paragraph 2 - Interpretation	Applicant	Updated definition of "Tillbridge Solar Project Order" reflects agreed changes to ensure that project can be specifically and individually identified.	"Tillbridge Solar Project Order" means a development consent order granted by the Secretary of State following an application by the examination of the project known as Tillbridge Solar project Limited for the Tillbridge Solar Project and given reference number EN010142 by the Planning Inspectorate;	E
Article 35(c)- Consent to transfer the benefit of the Order	Examining Authority	Added without prejudice wording to clarify the Works that may be transferred to a subsidiary or parent company of the undertaker without the consent of the Secretary of State. This reflects the approach taken on the Mallard Pass Solar Farm.		E



Schedule 1 – Authorised Development – paragraph 1 – Work No. 2	Applicant and Lincolnshire Fire and Rescue	Detail of fire suppression added to the description of the battery energy storage work following further discussions with Lincolnshire Fire and Rescue.	Work No. 2— an energy storage facility comprising—  (a) battery energy storage cells with <u>automatic</u> fire suppression <u>system or dry pipe sprinkler</u>	E
Schedule 1 – Authorised Development – paragraph 1 – Work No. 3	Applicant and Lincolnshire Fire and Rescue	Detail of fire suppression added to the description of the battery energy storage work following further discussions with Lincolnshire Fire and Rescue.	Work No. 3— an energy storage facility comprising—  (b) battery energy storage cells with <u>automatic</u> fire suppression <u>system or dry pipe sprinkler</u> system;	E
Schedule 2 – Requirements – paragraph 21 – Decommissioning and restoration	Examining Authority and Lincolnshire County Council	Amendment made in response to comments made by Lincolnshire County Council to clarify that the Applicant needs to provide a minimum of 12 months' notice before decommissioning,	(3) Unless otherwise agreed with the relevant planning authority, within 12 months of no later than ten weeks prior to 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.	



		and that the decommissioning plan is to be provided at least 10 weeks before the date of decommissioning. The 10 week timeframe matches the timescale for the discharge of requirements in Schedule 17.			
Deemed Marine Licence under	Applicant	added as per the draft DCO for the			Г
	Applicant	added as per the draft DCO for the	are specified below—	-	levelopment comprising Work No. 6B
Deemed Marine Licence under the 2009 Act -	Applicant	added as per the draft DCO for the Gate Burton Energy	are specified below—  Work area	Easting	Northing
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Schedule 11 – Modification of Compensation and Compulsory Purchase Enactments for the Creation of New Rights and Imposition of New Restrictive Covenants – paragraph 4 –	Applicant	Correction	6B 6B 6B 5. Part 1 (compulsory purchase section 125 (application of compuland under article 20 (compulsory Part 1 of the Compulsory Purchase creation of a new right under article 20 (compulsory Purchase creation of a new right)	ulsory acquisition provisions) of the acquisition of land) and as modified Act 1965), applies to the computer	fied by article 27 (modification of alsory acquisition of a right by the	
Application of Part 1 of the 1965 Act						
Schedule 11 – Modification of Compensation and Compulsory Purchase Enactments for the Creation of	Applicant	Correction	(5) Section 11(6) (powers of en which the acquiring authority has as well as the notice of entry requivalent circumstances and subthat right or enforcing that restrict on the date of service of the notice	served notice to treat in respect o uired by subsection (1) of that se (compulsory acquisition of land ject to equivalent conditions, to e ive covenant (which is deemed for	ction (as it applies to compulsory d)), it has power, exercisable in enter for the purpose of exercising r this purpose to have been created	



New Rights and Imposition of New Restrictive Covenants – paragraph 5(5) – Application of Part 1 of the 1965 Act			unauthorised entry) and modified correspondingl []  (7) Section 22 (interes (modification of Part 1 or authority, in circumstance)	(7) Section 22 (interests omitted from purchase) of the 1965 Act as modified by article 26(427(4)) nodification of Part 1 of the Compulsory Purchase Act 1965) is so modified as to enable the acquiring thority, in circumstances corresponding to those referred to in that section, to continue to be entitled exercise the right acquired or restrictive covenant imposed, subject to compliance with that section						
Documents and	Applicant	Updates reflecting document updates	DOCUMENTS AND PLANS							
Plans to be		provided at Deadline	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)				
Certified – Part 1		3.	Document name	Document reference	Revision number	Date				
<ul> <li>Documents and Plans</li> </ul>			Access plan	EN010133/APP/C2.6	A	November 2023				
Pidiis			Book of reference	EN010133/APP/C4.3	<u>CE</u>	November December 2023				
			Concept design parameters and principles	EN010133/APP/C7.15	A	October 2023				
			Crown land plan	EN010133/APP/C2.12	A	6 April 2023				
			Environmental statement	EN010133/APP/C6.1- C6.5	1	11 January 2023				
			Hedgerows plan	EN010133/APP/C2.11	1	11 January 2023				
			Land plan	EN010133/APP/C2.2	В	October 2023				



			Outline battery storage safety management plan	EN010133/APP/C7.9	<u>AB</u>	November December 2023
			Outline construction environmental management plan	EN010133/APP/C7.1	<u>B</u> <u>C</u>	November December 2023
			Outline construction traffic management plan	EN010132/APP/C6.3.14.2	<u>BC</u>	November December 2023
			Outline decommissioning statement	EN010133/APP/C7.2	1	11 January 2023
			Outline drainage strategy	EN010133/APP/C6.3.10.1	1	11 January 2023
			Outline ecological protection and mitigation strategy	EN010133/APP/C7.19	1	11 January 2023
			Outline landscape and ecological management plan	EN010133/APP/C7.3	<u>BC</u>	November December 2023
			Outline operational environmental management plan	EN010133/APP/C7.16	<u>+B</u>	11 January <u>December</u> 2023
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Documents and	Applicant	Updates reflecting document updates	SUBS	ΓΙΤUTE AND SUPPLEM	IENTARY DOCUM	ENTS
Plans to be Certified – Part 2 – Substitute and Supplementary Documents		provided at Deadline 3.		(2) (3)  Eplacement or Docume  upplementary reference  part		(5) Examination library reference



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	Environmental statement	Chapter 4: Scheme Description	EX1/C6.2.4_A	October 2023	[REP-012]	
	Environmental Statement	Chapter 7: Climate Change	EX1/C6.2.7_A	October 2023	[REP-014]	
	Environmental Statement	Chapter 8: Landscape and Visual Impact	EX2/C6.3.8.3_A	November 2023	[TBC][REP-012]	
	Environmental Statement	Chapter 19: Soils and Agriculture	EX1/C6.2.19_A	October 2023	[REP-010]	
	Environmental Statement	Chapter 13: Summary of Significant Effects	EX2/C6.2.23_A	November 2023	[TBC][REP2- 010]	
	Environmental Statement	Appendix 14.1: Transport Assessment	EX2/C6.3.14.1	November 2023	[TBC][REP2- 014]	
	Environmental Statement	Volume 4: Non- Technical Summary	EX1/C6.5_B	November 2023	[TBC][REP2- 022]	
	Environmental Statement	ES Addendum: Chapter 10: Flood Risk, Hydrology and Drainage	EX1/C8.4.10.1	October 2023	[REP-076]	
	Environmental Statement	ES Addendum: Chapter 9: Flood Risk Sequential Test	EX3/C8.4.10.2	December 2023	[TBC]	
	Environmental Statement	ES Addendum: Chapter 13: Archaeological Trial Trenching	EX3/C8.4.13.1	December 2023	[TBC]	



				Evaluation Fieldwork Report for the Shared Cable Corridor			
			Environmental Statement	ES Addendum: Chapter 16 Glint and Glare	EX1/C8.4.16.1	October 2023	[REP-077]
			Environmental Statement	ES Addendum: Updated Air Quality Impact Assessment of a Solar Panel Fire Incident	EX1/C8.4.17.1	October 2023	[REP-078]
			Environmental Statement	ES Addendum: Air Quality Impact Assessment of Battery Energy Storage Systems (BESS) Fire	EX1/C8.4.17.2	October 2023	[REP-079]
Schedule 16 – Protective Provisions – Part 1 – For the Protection of Electricity, Gas, Water and Sewerage Undertakers, paragraph 1	Applicant		<b>6.</b> For the protect utility undertakers was take precedence), the	vhich are specifically	protected by any ons have effect, unle	ther Part of this Sch	Schedule (save for any ledule, which shall will in writing between the
Schedule 16 – Protective	Applicant	Amendment to ensure there is no		mains, pipelines or c  16 of this Schedule;		the subject of the p	rotective provisions in



Provisions – Part 1 – For the Protection of Electricity, Gas, Water and Sewerage Undertakers, paragraph 2(e)		conflict between the general protective provisions at Part 1 and the bespoke Protective Provisions for named statutory undertakers within the Order.		
Protective and Provisions – Part Gric 3 – For the Protection of Train	d National and did sectricity ansmission	Protective Provisions to reflect ongoing negotiations with NGET.	Application  18.—(1) For the protection of National Grid as referred to in this Part of this Schedule the following provisions must have effect, unless otherwise agreed in writing, have effect between the undertaker and National Grid.  (2) Subject to sub-paragraph (3) or to the extent otherwise agreed in writing between the undertakler and National Grid, where the benefit of this Order is transferred or granted to another person under article 35 (consent to transfer the benefit of the Order)—  (a) any agreement of the type mentioned in sub-paragraph (1) has effect as if it had been made between National Grid and the transferee or grantee (as the case may be); and  (b) written notice of the transfer or grant must be given to National Grid on or before the date of that transfer or grant.  (3) Sub-paragraph (2) does not apply where the benefit of the Order is transferred or granted to national Grid (but without prejudice to paragraph 28(3)(b)).  Interpretation  19. In this Part of this Schedule—  []	



"apparatus" means any electric lines or electrical plant as defined in the Electricity Act 1989(11), belonging to or maintained by National Grid together with any replacement apparatus and such other apparatus constructed pursuant to this the Order that becomes operational apparatus of National Grid for the purposes of transmission, distribution and/or supply and includes any structure in which apparatus is or must-will be lodged or which gives or will give access to apparatus;

"authorised development" has the same meaning as in article 2 (interpretation) of this Order (unless otherwise specified) and <u>includes any associated development authorised by the Order and for the purposes of this Part of this Schedule must include includes the use and maintenance of the authorised development works and construction of any works authorised by this Schedule;</u>

[...]

"ground monitoring scheme" means a scheme for monitoring ground subsidence which sets out the apparatus which is to be subject to such monitoring, the extent of land to be monitored, the manner in which ground levels are to be monitored, the timescales of any monitoring activities and the extent of ground subsidence which, if exceeded, shall is to require the undertaker to submit for National Grid's approval a ground mitigation scheme;

"ground subsidence event" means any ground subsidence identified by the monitoring activities set out in the ground monitoring scheme that has exceeded the level described in the ground monitoring scheme as requiring a ground mitigation scheme;

"in" in a context referring to apparatus or alternative apparatus in land includes a reference to apparatus or alternative apparatus under, over, across, along or upon such land;

"maintain" and "maintenance" shall—include the ability and right to do any of the following in relation to any apparatus or alternative apparatus of National Grid—including: construct, use, repair, alter, inspect, renew or remove the apparatus;

"National Grid" means National Grid Electricity Transmission <u>PLC Plc</u> (Company No. 2366977) whose registered office is at 1-3 Strand, London, WC2N 5EH or any successor as a licence holder within the meaning of Part 1 of the Electricity Act 1989;

"NGESO" means as defined in the STC;



"plan" or "plans" include all designs, drawings, specifications, method statements, soil reports programmes, calculations, risk assessments and other documents that are reasonably necessary properly and sufficiently to describe and assess the works to be executed; and

"specified works" means any of the authorised development or activities (including onshore site preparation works, monitoring, ground work operations or the receipt and erection of construction plant and equipment) undertaken in association with the authorised development which—

- (a) will or may be situated over, or within 15 metres measured in any direction of any apparatus the removal of which has not been required by the undertaker under paragraph 24 or otherwise; or
- (b) may in any way adversely affect any apparatus the removal of which has not been required by the undertaker under paragraph 24 or otherwise; and/or
- (c) includes in relation to any electricity apparatus any activity that is any of the activities that are referred to in development near overhead lines EN43-8 and HSE's guidance note 6 "Avoidance of Danger from Overhead Lines.";

"STC" means the System Operator Transmission Owner Code; and

"Transmission Owner" means as defined in the STC.

[...]

# <u>On Street Apparatus</u>

20.-[...]

Apparatus of National Grid in streets subject to temporary prohibition or restriction of use <u>and public rights of way</u>

21.—(1) Where the use of any street or public right of way is prohibited or restricted under article 11 (temporary 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 or public right of way National Grid must be entitled to has the same rights in respect of such that apparatus as it enjoyed immediately before the 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 prohibition or restriction of use of any such street or highway public right of way 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 temporary prohibition or restriction of use or diversion of a street or public right of way under the powers of article 11 (temporary prohibition or restriction of use of streets and public rights of way), National Grid must be is at liberty at all times to take all necessary access across any such street and/or or public right of way and to execute and do all such works and things in, upon or under any such street or public right of way as may be reasonably necessary or desirable to enable it to maintain any apparatus which at the time of the prohibition or restriction of use or diversion was in that street or public right of way.

### Protective works to buildings

**22.** The undertaker, in the case of the powers conferred by article 18 (protective work to buildings), must exercise those powers so as not to obstruct or render less convenient the access to any apparatus without the written consent of National Grid which must not be unreasonably be withheld.

## Acquisition of land

- 23.—(1) Regardless of any provision in this Order or anything shown on the land plans or contained in the book of reference to this Order, the undertaker must not appropriate or acquire or take temporary possession of any land or apparatus or appropriate, acquire, extinguish, interfere with or override any easement, other interest or right and/or apparatus of National Grid otherwise than by agreement (such agreement not to be unreasonably withheld).
- (2) As a condition of an agreement between the parties in sub-paragraph 23(1), prior to the carrying out of any part of the authorised development (or in such other timeframe as may be agreed between National Grid and the undertaker) that is subject to the requirements of this Part of this Schedule that will cause any conflict with or breach the terms of any easement or other legal or land interest of National Grid or affect the provisions of any enactment or agreement regulating the relations between National Grid and the undertaker in respect of any apparatus laid or erected in land belonging to or secured by the undertaker, the undertaker must as National Grid reasonably requires enter into such deeds of consent upon such terms and conditions as may be agreed between National Grid and the



undertaker acting reasonably and which must be no less favourable on the whole to National Gridunless otherwise agreed by National Grid.

(3) (1) The undertaker and National Grid agree that where there is any inconsistency or duplication between the provisions set out in this Part of this Schedule relating to the relocation and/or removal of apparatus (including but not limited to the payment of costs and expenses relating to such relocation and/or removal of apparatus) and the provisions of any existing easement, rights, agreements and licences granted, used, enjoyed or exercised by National Grid and/or other enactments relied upon by National Grid as of right or other use in relation to the apparatus, then the provisions in this Schedule shall will prevail.

(4) (2) Any agreement or consent granted by National Grid under paragraph 26 or any other paragraph of this Part of this Schedule, shall are not to be taken to constitute agreement under subparagraph (123(1)).

# Removal of apparatus

- **24.**—(1) If, in the exercise of the powers conferred by the Order, the undertaker acquires any interest in or possess possesses temporarily any Order land in which any apparatus is placed, that apparatus must not be removed under this Part of this Schedule and any right of National Grid to maintain that apparatus in that land must not be extinguished until alternative apparatus has been constructed, and is in operation to the reasonable satisfaction of National Grid in accordance with sub-paragraphs (2) to (5) inclusive.
- (2) If, for the purpose of executing any works comprised in the authorised development in, on, under or over any land purchased, held, appropriated or used under this Order, the undertaker requires the removal of any apparatus placed in that land, it must give to National Grid 56 days' advance written notice of that requirement, together with a plan of the work proposed, and of the proposed position of the alternative apparatus to be provided or constructed and in that case (or if in consequence of the exercise of any of the powers conferred by this Order National Grid reasonably needs to remove any of its apparatus) the undertaker must, subject to sub-paragraph (3), secure any necessary consents for the alternative apparatus and afford to National Grid to its satisfaction (taking into account paragraph 25(1) below) the necessary facilities and rights—
  - (a) for the construction of alternative apparatus in other land of or land secured by the undertaker; and



- (b) subsequently for the maintenance of that apparatus.
- (3) If alternative apparatus or any part of such apparatus is to be constructed elsewhere than in other land of or land secured by the undertaker, or the undertaker is unable to afford such facilities and rights as are mentioned in sub-paragraph (2), in the land in which the alternative apparatus or part of such apparatus is to be constructed, National Grid mustmay in its sole discretion, on receipt of a written notice to that effect from the undertaker, take such steps as are reasonable in the circumstances in an endeavour to assist the undertaker to obtain the necessary facilities and rights in the land in which the alternative apparatus is to be constructed save that this obligation shall does not extend to the requirement for National Grid to use its compulsory purchase powers to this end unless it elects to so dodo so.
- (4) Any alternative apparatus to be constructed in land of or land secured by the undertaker under this Part of this Schedule must be constructed in such manner and in such line or situation as may be agreed between National Grid and the undertaker.
- (5) National Grid must, after the alternative apparatus to be provided or constructed has been agreed, and subject to a written diversion agreement having been entered into between the parties and the grant to National Grid of any such facilities and rights as are referred to in sub-paragraph (2) or (3), proceed without unnecessary delay to construct and bring into operation the alternative apparatus and subsequently to remove any apparatus required by the undertaker to be removed under the provisions of this Part of this Schedule.

# Facilities and rights for alternative apparatus

**25.**—(1) [...]

(2) If the facilities and rights to be afforded by the undertaker and agreed with National Grid under sub-paragraph (1) above in respect of any alternative apparatus, and the terms and conditions subject to which those facilities and rights are to be granted, are less favourable on the whole to National Grid than the facilities and rights enjoyed by it in respect of the apparatus to be removed and the terms and conditions to which those facilities and rights are subject the matter must may be referred to arbitration under in accordance with paragraph 32 (arbitration) of this Part of this Schedule and the arbitrator must make such provision for the payment of compensation by the undertaker to National Grid as appears to the arbitrator to be reasonable having regard to all the circumstances of the particular case. In respect



of the appointment of an arbitrator under this sub-paragraph (2), article 42 (arbitration) of this Ordemust apply.

# Retained apparatus: Protection of National Grid as Electricity Undertaker

- **26.**—(1) Not less than 56 days before the commencement of any specified works, the undertaken must submit to National Grid a plan of the works to be executed and seek from National Grid details of the underground extent of their electricity assets.
- (1) In relation to works which will or may be situated on, over, under or within
- (a) 15 metres measured in any direction of any apparatus, or
- (b) involve embankment works within 15 metres of any apparatus,
- (2) <u>In relation to the specified works</u> the plan to be submitted to National Grid under sub-paragraph (1) must include a method statement and describe—

[...]

(3) In relation to any works which will or may be situated on, over, under or within 10 metres of any part of the foundations of an electricity tower or between any two or more electricity towers, the plan to be submitted under sub-paragraph (1) must in addition to the matters set out in sub-paragraph (2) and (2) include a method statement describing—

[...]

- (c) details of <u>any</u> cable installation methodology including access arrangements, jointing bays and backfill methodology;
- (4) The undertaker must not commence any works to which sub-paragraph (1), (2sub-paragraphs 26(2) or (3) apply until National Grid has given written approval of the plan so submitted.
- (5) Any approval of National Grid required under sub-paragraph (1), (2) or (3) 4)
- (a) may be given subject to reasonable conditions for any purpose mentioned in sub-paragraph (6) or (8); and
- (b) must not be unreasonably withheld.
- (6) In relation to <u>a\_any</u> work to which <del>sub-paragraph (1), (2</del><u>sub-paragraphs 26(2)</u> or (3) apply, National Grid may require such modifications to be made to the plans as may be reasonably necessary for the purpose of securing its apparatus against interference or risk of damage or for the provision of



protective works or for the purpose of providing or securing proper and convenient means of access to any apparatus.

(7) Works to which this paragraph applies must only executed under paragraphs 26(2) or (3) must be executed in accordance with the plan, submitted under sub-paragraph (1) or as relevant sub-paragraph (2), (3) or (6) as approved or as amended from time to time by agreement between the undertaker and National Grid and in accordance with such reasonable requirements as may be made in accordance with sub-paragraphs 5), (6), (8) and/or (9 or (8) by National Grid for the alteration or otherwise for the protection of the apparatus, or for securing access to it, and National Grid will be entitled to watch and inspect the execution of those works.

(8) [...]

- (9) If National Grid in accordance with sub-paragraphs (6) or (8) and in consequence of the works proposed by the undertaker, reasonably requires the removal of any apparatus and gives written notice to the undertaker of that requirement, paragraphs (1) to  $(\frac{34}{2})$  and (6) to  $(\frac{78}{2})$  shall apply as if the removal of the apparatus had been required by the undertaker under paragraph 24(2).
- (10) Nothing in this paragraph shall preclude precludes the undertaker from submitting at any time or from time to time, but in no case less than 56 days before commencing the execution of any specified works, a new plan, instead of the plan previously submitted, and having done so the provisions of this paragraph shall apply to and in respect of the new plan.
- (11) The undertaker will not be required to comply with sub-paragraph (1) where it needs to carry out emergency works as defined in the 1991 Act but in that case it must give to National Grid notice as soon as is reasonably practicable and a plan of those works and must must comply with sub-paragraphs (6), (7) and (8) insofar as is reasonably practicable in the circumstances and comply with sub-paragraph (12) at all times.

(a)comply with sub-paragraphs (6), (7) and (8) insofar as is reasonably practicable in the circumstances; and

(b) comply with sub-paragraph (12) at all times.

(12) At all times when carrying out any works authorised under this Order, the undertaker must comply with National Grid's policies for development near overhead lines ENA TA 43-8 EN43-8 and the Health and Safety Executive's guidance note 6 "Avoidance of Danger from Overhead Lines".



#### Expenses

27.—(1) Save where otherwise agreed in writing between National Grid and the undertaker and subject to the following provisions of this paragraph, the undertaker must pay to National Grid within 30 days of receipt of an itemised invoice or claim from National Grid all charges, costs and expenses reasonably anticipated within the following three months or reasonably or properly incurred by National Grid in, or in connection with, the inspection, removal, relaying or replacing, alteration or protection of any apparatus or the construction of any new apparatus or alternative apparatus which may be required in consequence of the execution of any such works as are referred to in this Part of this Schedule including without limitation—

[...]

and the placing of apparatus of that type or capacity or of those dimensions or the placing of apparatus at that depth, as the case may be, is not agreed by the undertaker or, in default of agreement—settled—, is determined by arbitration in accordance with article 42 (arbitration) of this Order to paragraph 32 to not be necessary, then, if such placing involves cost in the construction of works under this Part of this Schedule exceeding that which would have been involved if the apparatus placed had been of the existing type, capacity or dimensions, or at the existing depth, as the case may be, the amount which apart from this sub-paragraph would be payable to National Grid by virtue of sub-paragraph (1) will be reduced by the amount of that excess save to the extent that it is not possible in the circumstances to obtain the existing type of apparatus at the same capacity and dimensions or place at the existing depth in which case full costs will be borne by the undertaker.

(2) For the purposes of sub-paragraph (3)—[...].

# Indemnity

**28.**—(1) [...]

(b) indemnify National Grid for any other expenses, loss, demands, proceedings, damages, claims, penalty or costs incurred by or recovered from National Grid, by reason or in consequence of any such damage or interruption or National Grid becoming liable to any third party-other than arising from any default by National Grid.



- (2) The fact that any act or thing may have been done by National Grid on behalf of the undertaker or in accordance with a plan approved by National Grid or in accordance with any requirement of National Grid as a consequence of the authorised development or under its supervision will not (unless sub-paragraph (3) applies), excuse the undertaker from liability under the provisions of this sub-paragraph (2) where the undertaker unless National Grid fails to carry out and execute the works properly with due care and attention and in a skilful and workman like manner or in a manner that does not accord with the approved plan or as otherwise agreed in writing between the undertaker and National Grid.
- (3) Nothing in sub-paragraph (1) shall impose imposes any liability on the undertaker in respect of
  - (a) any damage or interruption to the extent that it is attributable to the neglect or default of National Grid, its officers, servants, contractors or agents;
  - (b) any authorised development and/or any other works authorised by this Part of this Schedule carried out by National Grid as an assignee, transferee or lessee of the undertaker with the benefit of the Order pursuant to section 156 of the 2008 Act or article 5-(35 (consent to transfer the benefit of the Order) of the Order subject to the proviso that once such works become apparatus ("new apparatus"), any works authorised development yet to be executed and not falling within this sub-paragraph (328(3)(b) will be subject to the full terms of this Part of this Schedule including this paragraph 28 in respect of such new apparatus; and/or
  - (c) any indirect or consequential loss of any third party (including but not limited to loss of use, revenue, profit, contract, production, increased cost of working or business interruption) arising from any such damage or interruption, which is not reasonably foreseeable.
- (4) National Grid must give the undertaker reasonable notice of any such <u>third party</u> claim or demand and no settlement, admission of liability or compromise or demand must be made, unless payment is required in connection with a statutory compensation scheme without first consulting the undertaker and considering its representations.
- (5) National Grid must, in respect of any matter covered by the indemnity given by the undertaker in this paragraph, at all times act reasonably and in the same manner as it would as if settling third party claims on its own behalf from its own funds.
- (6) National Grid must use its reasonable endeavours to mitigate and to minimise any costs, expenses, loss, demands, and penalties to which the indemnity under this paragraph applies where it is within National Grid's reasonable ability and control to do so and which expressly excludes any obligation to



mitigate liability arising from third parties which is outside of National Grid must provide an explanation of how the claim has been minimised, where relevant.

[...]

### Co-operation

- **30.**—(1) Where in consequence of the proposed construction of any part of the authorised development, the undertaker or National Grid requires the removal of apparatus under paragraph 24(2) or National Grid makes requirements for the protection or alteration of apparatus under paragraph 26, National Grid shall—The undertaker is to use its best endeavours to co-ordinate the execution of the works in the interests of safety and the efficient and economic execution of the authorised development and taking into account the need to ensure the safe and efficient operation of National Grid's undertaking and National Grid shall—is to use its best endeavours to co-operate with the undertaker for that purpose.
- (2) For the avoidance of doubt whenever National Grid's consent, agreement or approval to—is required in relation to plans, documents or other information submitted by the undertaker or the taking of action by National Gridthe undertaker, it must not be unreasonably withheld or delayed.

 $[\ldots]$ 

#### Arbitration

**32.** Save for differences or disputes arising under paragraphs 24(2), 24(4), 25(1) and 26 any Any difference or dispute arising between the undertaker and National Grid under this Part of this Schedule must, unless otherwise agreed in writing between the undertaker and National Grid, be determined by arbitration in accordance with article 42-(arbitration).

#### Notices

33. The Notwithstanding article 46 (service of notices), any plans submitted to National Grid by the undertaker pursuant to paragraph 26(1) must be sent to National Grid LSBUD at https://lsbud.co.uk/or assetprotection@nationalgrid.com or must be submitted using the LSBUD system



			(https://lsbud.co.uk) or to such other address as National Grid may from time to time appoint instead for that purpose and notify to the undertaker in writing.	
Protective Provisions – Part 4 – For the Protection of National Grid	Grid Electricity Distribution (East Midlands)	Various amendments to the Protective Provisions reflect ongoing negotiations with NGED.	Interpretation  34In this Part of this Schedule— []  "apparatus" means electric lines or electrical plant as defined in the 1989 Act(12), belonging to or maintained by NGED; []  "plan" or "plans" includes all designs, drawings, specifications, method statements, programmes, calculations, risk assessments and other documents that are reasonably necessary to properly and sufficiently describe and assess the works to be executed;  "specified work" means so much of any of the authorised development that is carried out within 6 metres of any apparatus;  "NGED" means National Grid Electricity Distribution (East Midlands) plc (company number 02366923) whose registered office is at Avonbank, Feeder Road, Bristol, BS2 0TB; and []  "plan" or "plans" includes all designs, drawings, specifications, method statements, programmes, calculations, risk assessments and other documents that are reasonably necessary to properly and sufficiently describe and assess the works to be executed; and	
			"specified work" means so much of any of the authorised development that is carried out within 6 metres of any apparatus.	

<sup>(12) 1989</sup> c. 29. The definition of "electricity electrical plant" (in section 64) was amended by paragraphs 24 and 38(1) and (3) of Schedule 6 to the Utilities Act 2000 (e.-c.27).



### Removal of apparatus

**38.**—(1) […]

- (3) If as a direct consequence of the exercise of any of the powers conferred by this Order NGED reasonably needs to remove or divert any of its apparatus and the removal of that apparatus has not been required by the undertaker under sub-paragraph (2) then NGED must give to the undertaker written notice of that requirement, together with a plan of the work proposed, and of the proposed position of the alternative apparatus to be provided or constructed and this Part has effect as if the removal or diversion of such apparatus had been required by the undertaker under sub-paragraph (2).
- (4) If as a direct-consequence of the removal or diversion of apparatus under sub-paragraph (2) or (3) alternative apparatus is to be constructed in land owned or controlled by the undertaker then the undertaker must afford to NGED the necessary facilities and alternative rights and any necessary third party consents or approvals for the construction of alternative apparatus in the other land owned or controlled by the undertaker as reasonably required by the NGED.

(5) [...]

- (6) If alternative apparatus is to be constructed in land not owned or controlled by the undertaker and NGED is unable to obtain such alternative rights as are mentioned in sub-paragraph (5), the undertaker and NGED shall consider whether there is an alternative engineering solution that can achieve the diversion without the need for the use of compulsory powers. Should such an alternative engineering solution not be practicable and deliverable in a reasonable timescale and at a reasonable cost (which shall be determined by the undertaker acting reasonably), NGED may but shall not be compelled to use the powers of compulsory acquisition set out in this Order or the 1989 Act to obtain the necessary facilities and rights in the land-outside the Order limits, in which the alternative apparatus is to be constructed in accordance with a timetable agreed between NGED and the undertaker.
- (7) Any alternative apparatus required pursuant to sub-paragraphs (2) or (3) must be constructed in such manner and in such line or situation as may be agreed between NGED and the undertaker or in default of agreement settled in accordance with paragraph 10-article 42 (arbitration).
- (8) NGED must, after the alternative apparatus to be provided or constructed has been agreed or settled in accordance with paragraph 43(2), and after the acquisition by or grant to NGED of any such facilities and alternative rights as are referred to in sub-paragraphs (2) to (6), proceed without unnecessary delay to construct and bring into operation the alternative apparatus and subsequently to



remove any apparatus required by the undertaker to be removed under the provisions of this Part of this Schedule.

(9) [...]

#### Facilities and rights for alternative apparatus

**39.**—(1) Where, in accordance with the provisions of this Part of this Schedule, the undertaker affords to NGED facilities and alternative rights for the construction and maintenance in land of the undertaker of alternative apparatus in substitution for apparatus to be removed, those facilities and alternative rights are to must be granted upon such terms and conditions as may be agreed between the undertaker and NGED or in default of agreement settled in accordance with paragraph 43(2).

[...]

## Retained apparatus

**40.**—(1) Not less than 60 days before the undertaker intends to start the execution of any specified work where the removal of the apparatus in question has not been required under paragraph 38 (removal of apparatus), the undertaker shall submit to NGED a plan of the works to be executed. Any submission must note the time limits imposed on NGED under sub-paragraph (3)-below.

[...]

(5) At all times when carrying out the authorised development the undertaker shall must comply with NGED's Avoidance of Danger from Electricity Overhead Lines and Underground Cables (2014), the Energy Network Association's A Guide to the Safe Use of Mechanical Plant in the Vicinity of Electricity Overhead Lines (undated), the Health and Safety Executive's GS6 Avoiding Danger from Overhead Power Lines, and the Health and Safety Executive's HSG47 Avoiding Danger from Underground Services (Third Edition) (2014) as the same may be replaced from time to time.

[...]

(8) The undertaker is not required to comply with sub-paragraph (1) in a case of emergency but in that case it must give to NGED notice as soon as is reasonably practicable and a plan of those works as soon as reasonably practicable subsequently and must comply with any reasonable requirements stipulated by NGED under sub-paragraph (2) and with sub-paragraph sub-paragraphs (4) and (5) in



so far as is reasonably practicable in the circumstances. Nothing in this sub-paragraph prevents NGED from exercising its rights under sub-paragraph (6).

### Expenses, and costs and expert determination

**41.**—(1) Subject to the following provisions of this paragraph, the undertaker must pay to NGED the proper and reasonable expenses incurred by NGED in, or in connection with, the inspection, removal, diversion, alteration or protection of any apparatus, the construction of any alternative apparatus and the acquisition or grant of alternative rights for the alternative apparatus, arising as a result of the powers conferred upon the undertaker pursuant to this Order.

[...]

**42.**—(1) Subject to sub-paragraphs (2) to and (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 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—

[...]

- (3) NGED must give the undertaker reasonable notice of any such claim or demand and no settlement or compromise is to be made without the consent of the undertaker which, if it withholds such consent is to have has the sole conduct of any settlement or compromise or of any proceedings necessary to resist the claim or demand.
- (4) NGED must act reasonably in relation to any claim or demand served under sub-paragraph (1) and use its reasonable endeavours to mitigate and to minimise any costs, expenses, loss, <u>claims</u>, demands, <u>proceedings</u> and penalties to which a claim or demand under sub-paragraph (1) applies.
- (5) NGED's liability to the undertaker for negligence or breach of contract—in respect of each diversion, shall be limited to the value of that diversion and NGED shall not otherwise be liable to the undertaker for any losses or costs incurred by the undertaker resulting from delays to the authorised development as a result of <a href="https://doi.org/10.1007/jtbs-the-undertaker">itbs-the-undertaker</a>'s failure to undertake works to deliver any alternative apparatus.
- **43.**—(1) Article 42 (arbitration)-shall apply to any difference as to the legal interpretation of this Part of this Schedule and as provided for in sub-paragraph (7).



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Schedule 16 – Protective Provisions – Part 5 – For the Protection of Northern Powergrid	Applicant and Northern Powergrid	Various amendments to the Protective Provisions reflect ongoing negotiations with Northern Powergrid.	45. In this Part of this Schedule—  []  "Northern Powergrid" means Northern Powergrid (Yorkshire) PLC (Company Number 04112320) whose registered address is Lloyds Court, 78 Grey Street, Newcastle upon Tyne NE1 6AF; and []  46.—(1) Where, in accordance with the provisions of this Part of this Schedule, the undertaker affords to Northern Powergrid facilities and rights for the construction and maintenance in land of the undertaker of alternative apparatus in substitution for apparatus to be removed, those facilities and rights must be granted upon such terms and conditions as may be agreed between the undertaker and Northern Powergrid or in default of agreement settled by arbitration in accordance with article 42 (arbitration).  []  50.—(1) []—  (b) the undertaker and Northern Powergrid agree (or in default of agreement, it is determined through arbitration under article 42 (arbitration) that the promotion of compulsory purchase powers by the undertaker would be significantly more onerous than the exercise of Northern Powergrid's own compulsory powers.  []  51.—(1) Where, in accordance with the provisions of this Part of this Schedule, the undertaker affords to Northern Powergrid facilities and rights for the construction and maintenance in land of the undertaker of alternative apparatus in substitution for apparatus to be removed, those facilities and rights must be granted upon such terms and conditions as may be agreed between the undertaker and Northern Powergrid or in default of agreement settled by arbitration in accordance with article 42 (arbitration).  []  53.—(1) []	



			and the placing of apparatus of that type or capacity or of those dimensions or the placing of apparatus at that depth, as the case may be, is not agreed by the undertaker or, in default of agreement, is not determined by arbitration in accordance with article 42 (arbitration)—to be necessary, then, if such placing involves cost in the construction of works under this Part of this Schedule exceeding that which would have been involved if the apparatus placed had been of the existing type, capacity or dimensions, or at the existing depth, as the case may be, the amount which apart from this sub-paragraph would be payable to Northern Powergrid by virtue of sub-paragraph (1) is to be reduced by the amount of that excess save where it is not possible on account of project time limits and/or supply issues to obtain the existing type of operations, capacity, dimensions or place at the existing depth in which case full costs shall be borne by the undertaker.  []  56. Any difference under the provisions of this Part of this Schedule, unless otherwise agreed, is to be referred to and settled by arbitration in accordance with article 42-(arbitration)—	
	Applicant and Cadent Gas	Protective Provisions reflect ongoing	Application  61. The following provisions will have effect for the protection of Cadent unless otherwise agreed in writing between the undertaker and Cadent.	E
Protection of Cadent Gas Limited		negotiations with Cadent. The Applicant has	Interpretation	
		received a further mark-up of the Protective Provisions for Cadent and is	<b>62.</b> In this Part of this Schedule—  "alternative apparatus" means appropriate alternative apparatus to the reasonable satisfaction of Cadent to enable Cadent to fulfil its statutory functions in a manner no less efficient than previously;	



currently
considering these.

"apparatus" means any gas mains, pipes, pressure governors, ventilators, cathodic protections eables (including transformed rectifiers and any associated groundbeds or cables), cables, market posts, block valves, hydrogen above ground installations or other apparatus belonging to or maintained by Cadent for the purposes of Cadent's undertaking together with any replacement apparatus and such other apparatus constructed pursuant to this Order that becomes operational apparatus of Cadent for the purposes of Cadent's undertaking and includes any structure in which apparatus is or will be lodged or which gives or will give access to apparatus;

"authorised works" has the same meaning as given to the term "authorised development" has the same meaning as in article 2 (interpretation) of the Order and includes any associated development authorised by the of this Order and for the purposes of this Part of this Schedule includes the use and maintenance of the authorised development works and construction of any works authorised by this Schedule;

"Cadent" means Cadent Gas Limited and includes its successors in title or any successor as a gas transporter within the meaning of Part 1 of the Gas Act 1986(13);

"Cadent's undertaking" means the rights, duties and obligations of Cadent Gas Limited as a public gas transporter within the meaning of Section 7 of the Gas Act 1986 (as amended by the Gas Act 1995(14));

"commence" and "commencement" has the same meaning as given in article 2(1) (interpretation) and for the purpose of this Part of this Schedule only includes any below ground surveys, monitoring, work operations, remedial work in respect of any contamination or other adverse ground condition, the receipt and erection of construction plant and equipment, and non-intrusive investigations for the purpose of assessing ground conditions;

"commence" has the same meaning as is given in article 2 of this Order and "commencement" will be construed to have the same meaning save that for the purposes of this Part of this Schedule only the terms "commence" and "commencement" include operations for the purposes of intrusive archaeological structures within 15 metres in any direction of Cadent's apparatus;

(<sup>13</sup>) 1989 c. 29.

(<sup>14</sup>) 1995 c. 45.



"deed of consent" means a deed of consent, crossing agreement, deed of variation or new deed of grant agreed between the parties acting reasonably in order to vary or replace existing easements, agreements, enactments and other such interests so as to secure land rights and interests as are necessary to carry out, maintain, operate and use the apparatus in a manner consistent with the terms of this Part of this Schedule;

"facilities and rights" for construction and for maintenance include any appropriate working areas required to reasonably and safely undertake that construction or maintenance, and any necessary rights of access;

"functions" includes powers and duties;

"ground mitigation scheme" means a scheme approved by Cadent (such approval not to be unreasonably withheld or delayed) setting out the necessary measures (if any) for a ground subsidence event;

"ground monitoring scheme" means a scheme for monitoring ground subsidence which sets out the apparatus which is to be subject to such monitoring, the extent of land to be monitored, the manner in which ground levels are to be monitored, the timescales of any monitoring activities and the extent of ground subsidence which, if exceeded, requires must require the undertaker to submit for Cadent's approval a ground mitigation scheme;

"ground subsidence event" means any ground subsidence identified by the monitoring activities set out in the ground monitoring scheme that has exceeded the level described in the ground monitoring scheme as requiring a ground mitigation scheme;

"in" in a context referring to apparatus or alternative apparatus in land includes a reference to apparatus or alternative apparatus under, over, across, along or upon such land;

"maintain" and "maintenance" have effect as if Cadent's existing apparatus was authorised development and as if the term maintain includes protect and use;

"maintain" and "maintenance" will include the ability and right to do any of the following in relation to any apparatus or alternative apparatus of Cadent including retain, lay, construct, inspect, maintain, protect, use, access, enlarge, replace, renew, remove, decommission or render unusable or remove the apparatus;

"plan" or "plans" include all designs, drawings, specifications, method statements, soil reports, programmes, calculations, risk assessments and other documents that are reasonably necessary to properly and sufficiently to describe and assess the works to be executed;



"rights" includes <u>rights and</u> restrictive covenants <u>and</u>, <u>and</u> in relation to decommissioned apparatus; the surrender of rights, release of liabilities and transfer of decommissioned apparatus; and

"specified works" means any part of the authorised development works or activities (including maintenance) undertaken in association with the authorised development works which—

- (a) will or may be situated over, or within 15 metres measured in any direction of any apparatus the removal of which has not been required by the undertaker under sub-paragraph 23(2) or otherwise; or
- (b) may in any way adversely affect any apparatus the removal of which has not been required by the undertaker under sub-paragraph 23(2) or otherwise-; and
- (c) include any of the activities that are referred to in CD/SP/SSW/22 (Cadent's policies for safe wording in the vicinity of Cadent's Assets).

### On street apparatus

# <u>**63.**</u>(1) <u>Except for</u>

- (a) paragraph 64 (apparatus of Cadent in stopped up streets);
- (b) paragraph 67 (removal of apparatus) insofar as sub-paragraph (2) applies;
- (c) paragraph 68 (facilities and rights for alternative apparatus) insofar as sub-paragraph (2) applies;
- (d) paragraph 69 (retained apparatus: protection of Cadent);
- (e) paragraph 70 (expenses); and
- (f) paragraph 71 (indemnity),
- 63. 63. This of this Part of this Schedule does which will apply in respect of the exercise of all or any powers under the Order affecting the rights and apparatus of Cadent, the other provisions of this Part of this Schedule do not apply to apparatus in respect of which the relations between the undertaker and Cadent are regulated by the provisions of Part 3 of the 1991 Act, except for
- (a) paragraphs 64, 69, 70, 71, and 72; and
- (b) where sub-paragraphs (2) applies, paragraphs 67 and 68.



- (2) This sub-paragraph applies Paragraphs 67 and 68 of this Part of this Schedule will apply to diversions even where the diversion is carried out under the 1991 Act, in circumstances where any apparatus is diverted from an alignment within the existing adopted public highway but not wholly replaced within the existing public highway, notwithstanding that any diversion may be carried out under the provisions of Part 3 of the 1991 Act.
- (3) Notwithstanding article 11 temporary prohibition or restriction of use of streets and public rights of way), or any powers in the Order generally, section 85 of the 1991 Act in relation to cost sharing and the regulations made thereunder will not apply in relation to any diversion of apparatus of Cadent under the 1991 Act.
- (3) The protective provisions in this Part of this Schedule apply and take precedence over article 32 (apparatus and rights of statutory undertakers in stopped up streets) of the Order which does not apply to Cadent.

## Apparatus of Cadent in stopped up streets

- 64. (4) Where any street or public right of way is subject to temporary prohibition or restriction of use under article 11 (temporary 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 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 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.
- <u>64.—(1)</u>—Notwithstanding the temporary <u>alteration prohibition</u>, diversion or restriction of use of any <u>street highway</u> under the powers of article 11 (temporary 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 <u>street and restricted or prohibited highway or</u> to execute and do all such works and things in, upon or under any such <u>street highway</u> as it would have been entitled to do immediately before such temporary <u>alteration prohibition</u>, diversion or restriction in respect of any apparatus which at the time of the prohibition-, <u>diversion</u> or restriction <u>of use or diversion</u> was in that <u>streethighway</u>.
- (2) The Protective Provisions in this Part of this Schedule apply and take precedence over article 32 (apparatus and rights of statutory undertakers in stopped up streets) which shall not apply to Cadent.



## Protective works to buildings

- 65.—(1) The undertaker-must exercise, in the case of the powers conferred by article 18 (protective works to buildings)-, must exercise those powers so as not to obstruct or render less convenient the access to any apparatus without the written consent of Cadent and, if by reason of the exercise of those powers any damage to any apparatus (such consent not to be unreasonably withheld or delayed) other than apparatus the repair of which is not reasonably necessary in view of its intended removal or abandonment) or property of Cadent or any interruption in the supply of gas by Cadent, as the case may be, is caused, the undertaker must bear and pay on demand the cost reasonably incurred by Cadent in making such good damage or restoring the supply; and, subject to sup-paragraph [], will—
  - (a) pay compensation to Cadent for any loss sustained by it; and
  - (b) indemnify Cadent against all claims, demands proceedings, costs, damages and expenses which may be made or taken against or recovered from or incurred from Cadent, by reason of any such damage or interruption.
- (2) Nothing in this paragraph imposes any liability on the undertaker with respect to any damage or interruption to the extent that such damage or interruption is attributable to the act, neglect or default of Cadent or its contractors works; and Cadent will give to the undertaker reasonable notice of any claim or demand as aforesaid and no settlement or compromise thereof shall be made by Cadent, save in respect of any payment required under a statutory compensation scheme, without first consulting the undertaker and giving the undertaker an opportunity to make representations as to the claim or demand.

# Acquisition of land

- **66.**—(1) Regardless of any provision in this Order or anything shown on the land plans or contained in the book of reference to the Order, the undertaker may not appropriate or acquire any <u>land</u> interest in land or appropriate, acquire, extinguish, interfere with or override any easement or other interest in <u>land or right or apparatus</u> of Cadent otherwise than by agreement.
- (2) As a condition of agreement between the parties in sub-paragraph (1), prior to the construction or maintenance carrying out of any part of the authorised development works (or in such other timeframe as may be agreed between Cadent and the undertaker) that is are subject to the requirements of this Part of this Schedule that will cause any conflict with or breach the terms of any easement or



other legal or land interest of Cadent or affect the provisions of any enactment or agreement regulating the relations between Cadent and the undertaker in respect of any apparatus laid or erected in land belonging to or secured by the undertaker, the undertaker must as Cadent reasonably requires enter into such deeds of consent <u>and variations</u> upon such terms and conditions as may be agreed between Cadent and the undertaker acting reasonably and which must be no less favourable on the whole to Cadent unless otherwise agreed by Cadent.

- (3) The undertaker and Cadent agree that where there is any inconsistency or duplication between the provisions set out in this Part of this Schedule relating to the relocation or removal of apparatus; including but not limited to the payment of costs and expenses relating to such relocation or removal of apparatus and the provisions of any existing easement, rights, agreements and licences granted, used, enjoyed or exercised by Cadent and or other enactments relied upon by Cadent as of right or other use in relation to the apparatus, then the provisions in this Part of this Schedule will prevail.
- (4) Any agreement or consent granted by Cadent under paragraph 69 or any other paragraph of this Part of this Schedule, is will not to be taken to constitute agreement under sub-paragraph (1).
- (5) As a condition of an agreement between the parties in sub-paragraph (1) that involves decommissioned apparatus being left in situ in land owned by the undertaker, the undertaker must accept a surrender of any existing easement or other interest of Cadent in such decommissioned apparatus and consequently acquire title to such decommissioned apparatus and release Cadent from all liabilities that exist prior to the date of such surrender.
- (6) Where the undertaker acquires the freehold of any land which is subject to any Cadent right of interest (including, without limitation, easements and agreements relating to rights or other interests) and the provisions of paragraph 68 do not apply, the undertaker must—
  - (a) retain any notice of Cadent's easement, right or other interest on the title to the relevant land when registering the undertaker's title to such acquired land; and
  - (b) (where no such notice of Cadent's easement, right or other interest exists in relation to such acquired land or any such notice is registered only on the Land Charges Register) include (with its application to register title to the undertaker's interest in such acquired land at the Land Registry) a notice of Cadent's easement, right or other interest in relation to such acquired land.



## Removal of apparatus

- 67.—(1) If, in the exercise of the powers conferred by this Order, including pursuant to any agreement reached in accordance with paragraph 66, or in any other authorised manner, the undertaker acquires any interest in any land in which any apparatus is placed, that apparatus must not be decommissioned or removed under this Part of this Schedule and any right of Cadent to maintain that apparatus in that land must not be extinguished or interfered with until alternative apparatus has been constructed, is in operation, and the rights and facilities and rights referred to in sub-paragraph (2) have been provided, to the reasonable satisfaction of Cadent and in accordance with sub-paragraphs (2) to (5) inclusive.
- (2) If, for the purpose of executing any works in, on, under or over any land purchased, held, appropriated or used under this Order, the undertaker requires the removal of any apparatus placed in that land, it must give to Cadent advance written notice of that requirement, together with a plan and section of the work proposed, and of the proposed position of the alternative apparatus to be provided or constructed and in that case (or if in consequence of the exercise of any of the powers conferred by this Order Cadent reasonably needs to move or remove any of its apparatus) the undertaker must afford to Cadent to its satisfaction (taking into account paragraph 68(169(1))) the necessary facilities and rights—
  - (a) for the construction of alternative apparatus (including appropriate working areas required to reasonably and safely undertake necessary works by Cadent in respect of the apparatus);
  - (b) subsequently for the maintenance of that apparatus (including appropriate working areas required to reasonably and safely undertake necessary works by Cadent in respect of the apparatus); and
  - (c) to allow access to that apparatus (including appropriate working areas required to reasonably and safely undertake necessary works by Cadent in respect of the apparatus).
- (3) If the undertaker is unable to afford such facilities and rights as are mentioned in sub-paragraph (2), in the land in which the alternative apparatus or part of such apparatus is to be constructed, Cadent must may, on receipt of a written notice to that effect from the undertaker, take such steps as are reasonable in the circumstances in an endeavour to assist the undertaker in obtaining the necessary facilities and rights in the land in which the alternative apparatus is to be constructed save that this



obligation does will not extend to the requirement for Cadent to use its compulsory purchase powers to this end unless it (in its absolute discretion) elects to so do.

- (4) Any alternative apparatus to be constructed in land of or land secured by the undertaker under this Part of this Schedule must be constructed in such manner and in such line or situation as may be agreed between Cadent and the undertaker.
- (5) Cadent must, after the alternative apparatus to be provided or constructed has been agreed, and subject to the prior grant to Cadent of such facilities and rights as are referred to in sub-paragraph (2) or (3) have been afforded to Cadent to its satisfaction, then proceed without unnecessary delay to construct and bring into operation the alternative apparatus and subsequently to decommission or remove any apparatus required by the undertaker to be decommissioned or removed under the provisions of this Part of this Schedule.

## Facilities and rights for alternative apparatus

- **68.**—(1) Where, in accordance with the provisions of this Part of this Schedule, the undertaker affords to or secures for Cadent facilities and rights in land for the access to, construction and maintenance of alternative apparatus in substitution for apparatus to be decommissioned or removed, those facilities and rights must be granted upon such terms and conditions as may be agreed between the undertaker and Cadent and must be no less favourable on the whole to Cadent than the facilities and rights enjoyed by it in respect of the apparatus to be decommissioned or removed unless otherwise agreed by Cadent.
- (2) If the facilities and rights to be afforded by the undertaker and agreed with Cadent under subparagraph (1) in respect of any alternative apparatus, and the terms and conditions subject to which those facilities and rights are to be granted, are less favourable on the whole to Cadent than the facilities and rights enjoyed by it in respect of the apparatus to be decommissioned or removed (in Cadent's opinion, acting reasonably), then the terms and conditions to which those facilities and rights are subject may in the matter will be referred to arbitration in accordance with paragraph 75 of this Part of this Schedule and the arbitrator must will make such provision for the payment of compensation by the undertaker to Cadent as appears to the arbitrator to be reasonable having regard to all the circumstances of the particular case.



## Retained apparatus: protection of Cadent

- **69.**—(1) Not less than 56 days (or such time period as may be agreed in writing between Cadent and the undertaker) before the commencement of any specified works the undertaker must submit to Cadent a plan and, if reasonably required by Cadent, a ground monitoring scheme in respect of those works.
- (2) The plan to be submitted to Cadent under sub-paragraph (1) must include a method statement which describes—and describe—
  - (a) the exact position of the works;
  - (b) the level at which these are proposed to be constructed or renewed;
  - (c) the manner of their construction or renewal including details of excavation, positioning of plant etc.;
  - (d) the position of all apparatus;
  - (e) by way of detailed drawings, every alteration proposed to be made to or close to any such apparatus; and
  - (f) any intended maintenance regimes.
- (3) The undertaker must not commence any specified works until Cadent has given written approval of the plan so submitted (and the ground monitoring scheme if required).
- (4) Any approval of Cadent given required under sub-paragraph (3)—
- (a) may be given subject to reasonable conditions for any purpose mentioned in sub-paragraph (5) or (7); and
- (b) must not be unreasonably withheld or delayed and Cadent must meaningfully engage with the undertaker within 28 days of the date of submission of the plan under sub-paragraph (1).
- (5) In relation to any specified works to which sub-paragraph (1) applies, Cadent may require such modifications to be made to the plan as may be reasonably necessary for the purpose of securing its apparatus against interference or risk of damage or for the purpose of providing or securing proper and convenient means of access to any apparatus.
- (6) Specified works Works to which this paragraph applies must only be executed in accordance with the plan submitted under sub-paragraph (1) (and ground monitoring scheme if required), as approved or as amended from time to time by agreement between (a) the undertaker and



Cadent; and with the plan, submitted under sub-paragraphs (1) and (2) or, as relevant, sub-paragraph (4) as approved or as amended from time to time by agreement between the undertaker and Cadent; and all conditions imposed under sub-paragraph (4)(a), and Cadent is entitled to watch and inspect the execution of those works.

- (7) Where Cadent requires any protective works to be carried out by itself or by the undertaker (whether of a temporary or permanent nature) such protective works, inclusive of any measures or schemes required and approved as part of the plan approved pursuant to this paragraph, must be carried out to Cadent's satisfaction prior to the commencement of any specified works (or any relevant part thereof) for which protective works are required prior to commencement.
- (8) If Cadent, in consequence of the works proposed by the undertaker, reasonably requires the removal of any apparatus and gives written notice to the undertaker of that requirement, paragraphs (1) to (3) and (6) to (8) apply as if the removal of the apparatus had been required by the undertaker under paragraph 67(2) provided that such written notice must be given by Cadent to the undertaker within 28 days of submission of a plan pursuant to sub-paragraph (1).
- (9) Nothing in this paragraph precludes the undertaker from submitting at any time or from time to time, but in no case less than 56 days (unless otherwise agreed in writing by Cadent and the undertaker) before commencing the execution of the specified works, a new plan, instead of the plan previously submitted, and having done so the provisions of this paragraph will apply to and in respect of the new plan.
- (10) The undertaker will not be required to comply with sub-paragraph (1) where it needs to carry out emergency works as defined in the 1991 Act but in that case it must give to Cadent notice as soon as is reasonably practicable and a plan of those works and must comply with—
  - (a) the conditions imposed under sub-paragraph (4)(a) insofar as is reasonably practicable in the circumstances; and
  - (b) sub-paragraph (11) at all times.
- (11) At all times when carrying out any works authorised under the Order the undertaker must comply with Cadent's policies for safe working in proximity to gas apparatus "CD/SP/SSW/22 (Cadent's policies for safe working in the vicinity of Cadent's Assets" and HSE's "HS(~G)47 Avoiding Danger from underground services".

(a)the undertaker must implement an appropriate ground mitigation scheme; and



(9)As soon as reasonably practicable after any ground subsidence event attributable to the authorised development (including such an event attributable to its maintenance) works the undertaker must implement an appropriate ground mitigation scheme save that Cadent retains the right to carry out any further necessary protective works for the safeguarding of its apparatus and can recover any such costs in line with paragraph 70.

(10) The undertaker is not required to comply with sub-paragraph (1) where it needs to carry out emergency works but in that case it must give to Cadent notice as soon as is reasonably practicable and a plan of those works and must comply with the conditions imposed under sub-paragraph (4)(a) insofar as is reasonably practicable in the circumstances.

(11) In this paragraph, "emergency works" means works whose execution at the time when they are executed is required in order to put an end to, or to prevent the occurrence of, circumstances then existing or imminent (or which the person responsible for the works believes on reasonable grounds to be existing or imminent) which are likely to cause danger to persons or property.

### Expenses

70.—(1) Subject to the following provisions of this paragraph, the undertaker must pay to Cadent on demand, all charges, costs and expenses reasonably <u>anticipated or incurred</u> by Cadent in, or in connection with, the inspection, removal, relaying or replacing, alteration or protection of any apparatus or the construction of any new or alternative apparatus which may be required in consequence of the execution of any authorised <u>development works as are referred to in this Part of this Schedule including</u> without limitation—

- (a) any costs reasonably incurred by or compensation properly paid by Cadent in connection with the acquisition of rights or the exercise of statutory powers for such apparatus including without limitation all costs (including professional fees) incurred by Cadent as a consequence of Cadent—
  - (i) using its own compulsory purchase powers to acquire any necessary rights under paragraph 67(3) if it elects to do so; or
  - (ii) exercising any compulsory purchase powers under this in the Order transferred to or benefitting Cadent;
- (b) in connection with the cost of the carrying out of any diversion work or the provision of any alternative apparatus;



- (c) the cutting off of any apparatus from any other apparatus or the making safe of redundant apparatus;
- (d) the approval of plans;
- (e) the carrying out of protective works (including any protective works pursuant to article 18 (protective works to buildings), plus a capitalised sum to cover the cost of maintaining and renewing permanent protective works if required;
- (f) the survey of any land, apparatus or works, the inspection and monitoring of works or the installation or removal of any temporary works reasonably necessary in consequence of the execution of any such works referred to in this Part of this Schedule; and
- (g) any watching brief pursuant to sub-paragraph 69(6).
- (2) There will be deducted from any sum payable under sub-paragraph (1) the value of any apparatus removed under the provisions of this Part of this Schedule and which is not re-used as part of the alternative apparatus, that value being calculated after removal.
- (3) If in accordance with the provisions of this Part of this Schedule—
- (a) apparatus of better type, of greater capacity or of greater dimensions is placed in substitution for existing apparatus of worse type, of smaller capacity or of smaller dimensions; or
- (b) apparatus (whether existing apparatus or apparatus substituted for existing apparatus) is placed at a depth greater than the depth at which the existing apparatus was <u>situated</u>,

and the placing of apparatus of that type or capacity or of those dimensions or the placing of apparatus at that depth, as the case may be, is not agreed by the undertaker or, in default of agreement, is not determined by arbitration in accordance with paragraph 75 to be necessary, then, if such placing involves cost in the construction of works under this Part of this Schedule exceeding that which would have been involved if the apparatus placed had been of the existing type, capacity or dimensions, or at the existing depth, as the case may be, the amount which apart from this sub-paragraph would be payable to Cadent by virtue of sub-paragraph (1) is will to be reduced by the amount of that excess save where it is not possible or appropriate in the circumstances (including due to statutory or regulatory changes) to obtain the existing type of apparatus at the same capacity and dimensions or place at the existing depth in which case full costs will be borne by the undertaker.

(4) For the purposes of sub-paragraph (3)—



- (a) an extension of apparatus to a length greater than the length of existing apparatus is will not to be treated as a placing of apparatus of greater dimensions than those of the existing apparatus; and
- (b) where the provision of a joint in a <u>pipe or</u> cable is agreed, or is determined to be necessary the consequential provision of a jointing chamber or of a manhole <u>is to will</u> be treated as if it also had been agreed or had been so determined.
- (5) An amount which apart from this sub-paragraph would be payable to Cadent in respect of works by virtue of sub-paragraph (1) will, if the works include the placing of apparatus provided in substitution for apparatus placed more than 7 years and 6 months earlier so as to confer on Cadent any financial benefit by deferment of the time for renewal of the apparatus in the ordinary course, be reduced by the amount which represents that benefit.

## Indemnity

71.—(1) Subject to sub-paragraphs (2) and (3), if by reason or in consequence of the construction of any such works authorised by this Part of this Schedule (including without limitation relocation, diversion, decommissioning, construction and maintenance of apparatus or alternative apparatus) or in consequence of the construction, use, maintenance or failure of any of the authorised development (including works carried out under article 18 (protective works to buildings)) works by or on behalf of the undertaker or in consequence of any act or default of the undertaker (or any person employed or authorised by the undertaker under this Part of this Schedule or any subsidence resulting from any of these works, any damage is caused to any 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 the authorised developmentworks) or property of Cadent, or there is any interruption in any service provided, or in the supply of any goods, by Cadent, or Cadent becomes liable to pay any amount to any third party, the undertaker will—

- (a) bear and pay on demand accompanied by an invoice or claim from Cadent, the cost reasonably incurred by Cadent in making good such damage or restoring the supply; and
- (b) indemnify Cadent for any other expenses, loss, demands, proceedings, damages, claims, penalty, or costs properly incurred by, or recovered from Cadent, by reason or in consequence



of any such damage or interruption or Cadent becoming liable to any third party as aforesaid other than arising from any negligence, omission or default of Cadent.

- (2) The fact that any act or thing may have been done by Cadent on behalf of the undertaker or in accordance with a plan approved by Cadent or in accordance with any requirement of Cadent or under its supervision including under any watching brief will not (unless sub-paragraph (3) applies) excuse the undertaker from liability under the provisions of this sub-paragraph (1) unless Cadent fails to carry out and execute the works properly with due care and attention and in a skilful and workman like manner or in a manner that does not accord with the approved plan or as otherwise agreed between the undertaker and Cadent.
- (3) Nothing in sub-paragraph (1) imposes will impose any liability on the undertaker in respect of
  - (a) any damage or interruption to the extent that it is attributable to the neglect<del>, omission</del> of default of Cadent, its officers, servants, contractors or agents; and
  - (b) any part of the authorised development works or any other works authorised by this Part of this Schedule carried out by Cadent as an assignee, transferee or lessee of the undertaker with the benefit of the Order pursuant to section 156 (benefit of order granting development consent) of the 2008 Act or article 35 (consent to transfer the benefit of the Order) subject to the proviso that once such works become apparatus ("new apparatus"), any specified authorised works yet to be executed and not falling within this paragraph 71(3)(b) are will be subject to the full terms of this Part of this Schedule including this paragraph in respect of such new apparatus.
- (4) Cadent must give the undertaker reasonable notice of any such third party claim or demand and no settlement, admission of liability or compromise must, unless payment is required in connection with a statutory compensation scheme, be made without first consulting the undertaker and considering its representations.
- (5) Cadent must use its reasonable endeavours to mitigate in whole or in part and to minimise any costs, expenses, loss, demands, and penalties to which the indemnity under this paragraph applies. If requested to do so by the undertaker, Cadent must provide an explanation of how the claim has been minimised. The undertaker is only liable under this paragraph for claims reasonably incurred by Cadent.



#### **Enactments and agreements**

72. Except where Save to the extent provided for the contrary elsewhere in this Part of this Schedule provides otherwise, or by agreement in writing between Cadent and the undertaker, nothing in this Part of this Schedule affects will affect the provisions of any enactment or agreement regulating the relations between the undertaker and Cadent in respect of any apparatus laid or erected in land belonging to the undertaker on the date on which this Order is made.

# Co-operation

- 73.—(1) Where in consequence of the proposed construction of any part—of the authorised levelopmentworks, the undertaker or Cadent requires the removal of apparatus under paragraph 67(2)) or Cadent makes requirements for the protection or alteration of apparatus under paragraph 69, the undertaker must will use its best endeavours to co-ordinate the execution of the works in the interests of safety and the efficient and economic execution of the authorised development works and taking into account the need to ensure the safe and efficient operation of Cadent's undertaking and—Cadent must will use its best endeavours to co-operate with the undertaker for that purpose.
- (2) For the avoidance of doubt whenever Cadent's consent, agreement or approval is required in relation to plans, documents or other information submitted by the undertaker or the taking of action by Cadentthe undertaker, it Cadent's consent must not be unreasonably withheld or delayed.

#### Access

74. If in consequence of any agreement reached in accordance with paragraph 66(1) or the powers granted under this Order the access to any apparatus (including appropriate working areas required to reasonably and safely undertake necessary works by Cadent in respect to the apparatus) is materially obstructed, the undertaker must provide such alternative rights and means of access to such apparatus as will enable Cadent to maintain or use the apparatus no less effectively than was possible before such obstruction.

#### Arbitration



			75. Any difference or dispute arising between the undertaker and Cadent under this Part of this Schedule must, unless otherwise agreed in writing between the undertaker and Cadent, be determined by arbitration in accordance with article 42 (arbitration).  Notices  76. Notwithstanding article 45 (service of notices) any The plans submitted to Cadent by the undertaker pursuant to sub-paragraph 69(1) must be sent via email to Cadent Gas Limited Plant Protection at by e-mail to plantprotection@cadentgas.com copied by e-mail to vieky.eashman@eadentgas.com landservices@cadentgas.com and sent to the General Counsel Department at Cadent's registered office or such other address as Cadent may from time to time appoint instead for that purpose and notify to the undertaker in writing.	
Protective	and	Various amendments to the Protective Provisions	102. The following provisions apply for the protection of the Agency unless otherwise agreed in writing between the undertaker and the Agency.	
	Agency	reflect ongoing	103.(1) In this Part of this Schedule—	
Protection of the		negotiations with the		
Environment Agency		Environment Agency.	"construction" includes execution, placing, altering, replacing, relaying and removal and excavation and "construct" and "constructed" must be construed accordingly;	
			"drainage work" means any main river and includes any land which provides flood storage capacity for any main river and any bank, wall, embankment or other structure, or any appliance, constructed or used for land drainage or, flood defence or tidal monitoring;	
			the "fishery" means any waters containing fish and fish in, or migrating to or from, such waters and the spawn, spawning ground, habitat or food of such fish;	
			"main river" has the same meaning given in section 113 of the Water Resources Act 1991;	
			"plans" includes sections, drawings, specifications, calculations and method statements;	
			"remote defence" means any berm, wall or embankment that is constructed for the purposes of preventing or alleviating flooding from, or in connection with, any main river; and	



"specified work" means so much of any work or operation authorised by this Order as is in, on, under, over or within—

- (a) 8 metres of a drainage work or is otherwise the base of a remote defence which is likely to-
  - (i) endanger the stability of, cause damage or reduce the effectiveness of that remote defence; or
  - (ii) interfere with the Agency's access to or along that remove remote defence;
- (b) 16 metres of a drainage work involving a tidal main river or 8 metres of a drainage work involving a non-tidal main river; or
- (c) any distance of a drainage work and is otherwise likely to—
  - (i) (iii) affect any drainage work or the volumetric rate of flow of water in or flowing to or from any drainage work;
  - (ii) (iv) affect the flow, purity or quality of water in any main river or other surface waters;
  - (iii) (v)cause obstruction to the free passage of fish or damage to any fishery;
  - (iv) (vi)affect the conservation, distribution or use of water resources; or
- (v) (vii) affect the conservation value of the main river and habitats in its immediate vicinity; or which involves—
- (d) (b) 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
- (e) (e) 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.

# Submission and approval of plans

**104.**—(1) [...]

(2) Any such specified work must not be constructed except in accordance with such plans as may be approved in writing by the Agency-2 or determined under paragraph 113114.

[...]



(3) [...]

(c) may be given subject to such reasonable requirements as the Agency may have for the protection of any drainage work or the fishery or for the protection of water resources, or for the prevention of flooding or pollution or for nature conservation in the discharge of its environmental duties.

106.

Works not in accordance with this Part of this Schedule

(3) 106. 106. If the Agency reasonably requires, the undertaker must construct all or part of the

protective works so that they are in place prior to the construction of any specified work to which the protective works relate.

## Works not in accordance with this Part of this Schedule

107.106. (1) If any part of a specified work or any protective work required by the Agency is constructed otherwise than in accordance with the requirements of this Part of this Schedule, the Agency may by notice in writing require the undertaker at the undertaker's own expense to comply with the requirements of this Part of this Schedule or (if the undertaker so elects and the Agency in writing consents, such consent not to be unreasonably withheld or delayed) to remove, alter or pull down the work and, where removal is required, to restore the site to its former condition to such exten and within such limits as the Agency reasonably requires.

[...]

#### Maintenance of works

108.107. (1) Subject to sub-paragraph (6) the undertaker must from the commencement of the construction of the specified works maintain in good repair and condition and free from obstruction any drainage work which is situated within the Order limits and on land held by the undertaker for the purposes of or in connection with the specified works Order land, whether or not the drainage work is constructed under the powers conferred by this Order or is already in existence.



[...]

# Free passage of fish

(2) If within such time as may be reasonable reasonably practicable for that purpose after the receipt of written notice from the Agency of any damage or expected damage to a fishery, the undertaker fails to take such steps as are described in sub-paragraph (2), the Agency may take those steps and any expenditure incurred by the Agency in doing so will be is recoverable from the undertaker.

[...]

## Indemnity

112. [...]

**113.**—(1) [...]

(a) costs (within the meaning in of this sub-paragraph (2)) incurred in connection with any claim or demand; and

[...]

(4) The Agency must,—at all times,—take reasonable steps to prevent and mitigate any such claims, demands, proceedings, costs, damages, expenses or loss.

[...]

## Disputes

114.113. Any dispute arising between the undertaker and the Agency under this Part of this Schedule must, if the parties agree, be determined by arbitration under article 42—(arbitration), but failing agreement be determined by the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs or its successor and the Secretary of State for the department of Energy, Security and Net Zero or its successor acting jointly on a reference to them by the undertaker or the Agency, after notice in writing by one to the other.



Protective Provisions – Part	and Network Rail	Minor amendments to the Protective Provisions reflect	115. 114. The provisions of this Part of this Schedule have effect, unless otherwise agreed in writing between the undertaker and Network Rail and, in the case of paragraph 128-129 of this Part of this Schedule any other person on whom rights or obligations are conferred by that paragraph.	E
10 – For the Protection of Railway Interests		ongoing negotiations with Network Rail.	[] <b>125.</b> —(1) In this paragraph— []	
			(10) In relation to any dispute arising under this paragraph the reference in article 42 (arbitration) to the Institution of Civil Engineers shall be read as a reference to the Institution of Engineering and Technology.  []	
			136. In relation to any Any dispute arising under this part of this Part of this Schedule (except for those disputes referred to in paragraph 124) the provisions of article 42 (arbitration) shall not apply and any such dispute, unless otherwise provided for, must be referred to and settled by a single arbitrator arbitration in accordance with article 42 (arbitration) and the Rules at Schedule 15 (arbitration rules) to be agreed between the parties or, failing agreement, to be appointed on the application of either party (after giving notice in writing to the other) to the President of the Institution of Civil Engineers.	
Schedule 16 – Protective Provisions – Part 11 – For the Protection of Gate Burton Energy Park Limited			[Every instance of "Gate Burton Work No. []" has been changed to refer to "Gate Burton Work No. 4B]	E



Schedule 16 – Protective Provisions – Part 11 – For the Protection of West Burton Energy Park Limited	Applicant	Reference is now made to the relevant Work No. from the West Burton DCO Application in respect of the shared cable corridor.	[Every instance of "West Burton Work No. []" has been changed to refer to "West Burton Work No. 5B]	E
Schedule 16 – Protective Provisions – Part 13 – For the Protection of the Canal & River Trust	Applicant	Minor amendments reflect the final agreed protective provisions within the Gate Burton Energy Park draft DCO.	Interpretation  169.—(1) []  "practical completion" means practical completion of all of the specified work notwithstanding that items which would ordinarily be considered snagging items remain outstanding, and the expressions "practically complete" and "practically completed" are to be construed accordingly; "protective work" means a work constructed under paragraph 172(4)(a173(4)(a) (approval of plans, protective works, etc.);  []  Powers requiring the Canal & River Trust's consent  170.—(1) []  (2) The undertaker must not exercise any power conferred by this Order to discharge water into the waterway under article 16 (discharge of water) or in any way interfere with the supply of water to or the drainage of water from the waterway unless such exercise is with the consent of the Canal & River Trust, save as to surface water discharge which will not require the consent of the Canal & River Trust.  []  (5) The undertaker must not exercise any power conferred by article 20 (compulsory acquisition of land), article 22 (compulsory acquisition of rights), article 25 (acquisition of subsoil) or article 31	



(statutory undertakers) in respect of the <u>Canal & River Trust's interests in the</u> waterway unless such exercise is with the consent of the Canal & River Trust.

(6) The consent of the Canal & River Trust pursuant to sub-paragraphs (1) to (5) must not be unreasonably withheld or delayed but may be given subject to reasonable terms and conditions provided that it will not be reasonable for the Canal & River Trust to withhold or delay consent or impose terms and conditions that would prevent the undertaker from complying with the protective provisions in this <a href="mailto:part\_Part\_">part\_Part\_</a> of this Schedule or any condition contained in Schedule 2 (Requirements requirements) or Part 2 of Schedule 9 (Deemed marine licence under the 2009 Act).

## Survey of waterway

- 172.—(1) Before the commencement of the initial construction of any part of the specified works and again following practical completion of the specified works the undertaker must bear the reasonable and proper cost of the carrying out by a qualified engineer ("the surveyor"), to be approved by the Canal & River Trust and the undertaker, of a survey to measure the navigational depth of the waterway and profile of the riverbed ("the survey") of so much of the waterway and of any land which may provide support for the waterway as will or may be affected by the specified works.
- (2) The design of-and methods proposed to be used for-the survey-are to be approved by the Canal & River Trust and the undertaker.

[...]

## Approval of plans, protective works, etc.

**173.**—(1) [...]

(2) The approval of the engineer under sub-paragraph (1) must not be unreasonably withheld or delayed, and if within 25 working days after such plans (including any other particulars reasonably required under sub-paragraph (1)) have been received by the Canal & River Trust the engineer has not intimated his disapproval of those plans and the grounds of his disapproval he approved the plans as submitted.

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(5) The withholding of an approval of the engineer under this paragraph will be deemed to be unreasonable if it would prevent the undertaker from complying with any condition contained in Schedule 2 (Requirements requirements) or Part 2 of Schedule 9 (Deemed marine licence under the 2009 Act).

[...]

## Design of works

174. Without prejudice to its obligations under the foregoing provisions of this Part of this Schedule the undertaker must consult, collaborate and respond constructively to any reasonably reasonable approach, suggestion, proposal or initiative made by the Canal & River Trust on—

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### Construction of specified works

(f) in compliance with the code of practice (where appropriate and <u>where</u> consistent with the exercise of powers pursuant to this Order and for the timely, safe, economic and efficient delivery of the authorised works);

[....]

# Repayment of the Canal & River Trust's fees, etc.

- (c) in respect of the employment during the construction of the specified works or any protective works of any inspectors, watchmen and other persons whom it is reasonably necessary to appoint for inspecting, watching and lighting the any waterway and for preventing, so far as may be reasonably practicable, interference, obstruction, danger or accident arising from the construction or failure of the specified works or any protective works;
- (3) The Canal & River Trust must take into account any representations made by the undertaker in accordance with this paragraph and must, within 15 working days of receipt of the information pursuant



to sub-paragraph (1), confirm the amount of the fee, charge, cost or expense to be paid by the undertaker (if any) and then the date by which this is to be paid.

Making good of detriment; compensation and indemnity, etc.

**181.**—(1) [...]

(2) [...]

- (b) by reason of any act or omission of the undertaker or of any person in its employ or of its contractors or others whilst engaged upon the construction of a specified work or protective work and subject to sub-paragraph (4), the undertaker must effectively indemnify and hold harmless the Canal & River Trust from and Against against all claims and demands arising out of or in connection with any of the matters referred to in paragraphs (a) and (b) (provided that the Canal & River Trust is not entitled to recover from the undertaker any consequential losses which are not reasonably foreseeable).
- (3) The fact that any act or thing may have been done by the Canal & River Trust on behalf of the undertaker or in accordance with plans approved by the engineer or in accordance with any requirement of the engineer or under the engineer's supervision or in Accordance accordance with any directions or awards of an arbitrator is not to (if it was done without negligence on the part of the Canal & River Trust or of any person in its employ or of its contractors or agents) excuse the undertaker from any liability under the provisions of this paragraph.

[...]

#### Arbitration

**182.181.** Any difference arising between the undertaker and the Canal & River Trust under this Part (other than a difference as to the meaning or construction of this Part) must be referred to and settled by arbitration in accordance with article 42-(arbitration).

[...]



			As built drawings  184. As soon as reasonably practicable following the completion of the construction of the authorised development, the undertaker must provide to the Canal & River Trust as built drawings of any specified works in a form and scale to be agreed between the undertaker and the Canal & River Trust to show the position of those works in relation to the waterway.	
Schedule 16 – Protective Provisions – Part 16 – For the Protection of Lincolnshire Fire &Rescue Service	Applicant and Lincolnshire County Council	Addition of agreed Protective Provisions for Lincolnshire Fire and Rescue. These provisions are also contained in the Gate Burton Energy Park draft DCO.	PART 16  FOR THE PROTECTION OF LINCOLNSHIRE FIRE & RESCUE SERVICE  185. For the protection of Lincolnshire Fire and Rescue as referred to in this Part of this Schedule the following provisions have effect, unless otherwise agreed in writing between the undertaker and Lincolnshire Fire and Rescue.  Interpretation  186. In this Part of this Schedule—  "Index" means the Consumer Price Index;  "Index Linked" means an increase in the sums payable on an annual basis or pro rata per diem from the first day following the first year of operation of the authorised development, to the date of payment, based upon the relevant Index last published before the first day following the first year of operation of the authorised development; and  "Lincolnshire Fire and Rescue" means Lincolnshire County Council in its capacity as a fire and rescue authority pursuant to section 1(2)(a) of the Fire and Rescue Services Act 2004.  Site visits  187.—(1) The undertaker must, prior to the date of final commissioning of Work No. 2 or Work No. 3 use reasonable endeavours to facilitate a site familiarisation exercise in connection with Work No. 2	



or Work No. 3 of the authorised development for Lincolnshire Fire and Rescue for the purposes of providing the necessary assurance to Lincolnshire Fire and Rescue that all the required systems and measures are in place in accordance with the battery safety management plan.

(2) Following the anniversary of the date of final commissioning of Work No. 2 or Work No. 3 of the authorised development, the undertaker must use reasonable endeavours to facilitate an annual review of the site by Lincolnshire Fire and Rescue at the reasonable request of Lincolnshire Fire and Rescue, up until date of decommissioning of Work No. 2 or Work No. 3 of the authorised development.

### Costs

<u>188.</u>(1) <u>Pursuant to the provisions set out at paragraph 189, the undertaker must pay to Lincolnshire Fire and Rescue:</u>

- (1) £16,665 in the first year of operation of the authorised development for, or in connection with Lincolnshire Fire and Rescue's attendance at the site familiarisation exercise facilitated by the undertaker pursuant to paragraph 189(1), such sum to be paid on a date mutually agreed between the parties (the "Payment Date"); and
- (2) £1,530 in each subsequent year of operation of the authorised development until the date of decommissioning of Work No. 2, payable on the anniversary of the Payment Date, if in that year an annual review has taken place pursuant to paragraph 189(2).
- (2) The costs payable under sub-paragraph 190(1)(ii) are to be Index Linked.

## **Arbitration**

189. Any difference or dispute arising between the undertaker and Lincolnshire Fire and Rescue under this Part of this Schedule must be determined by arbitration in accordance with article 42.



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"apparatus" means the cables, structures or other infrastructure owned, occupied or maintained by
<u>Tillbridge or its successor in title within the Tillbridge Work No. [] Area;</u>
"construction" includes execution, placing, altering, replacing, reconstruction, relaying,
maintenance, extensions, enlargement and removal; and "construct" and "constructed" must be
<u>construed accordingly;</u>
"Tillbridge" means an undertaker with the benefit of all or part of the Tillbridge Solar Project  Order for the time being:
"Tillbridge Work No. [ ] Area" means the area for Work No. [ ] authorised in the Tillbridge Solar Project Order;
"plans" includes sections, drawings, specifications, designs, design data, software, soil reports,
calculations, descriptions (including descriptions of methods of construction), staging proposals,
programmes and details of the extent, timing and duration of any proposed occupation of the
Tillbridge Work No. [] Area; and
"specified works" means so much of any works of operations authorised by this Order (or authorised by any planning permission intended to operate in conjunction with this Order) as is—
(1) within the Tillbridge Work No. [] Area;
(2) in, on, under, over or within 25 metres of the Tillbridge Work No. [] Area or any apparatus;
<u>or</u>
(3) may in any way adversely affect any apparatus.



- 195. The consent of Tillbridge under this Part is not required where the Tillbridge Solar Project Order has expired without the authorised development having been commenced pursuant to requirement 1 of Schedule 2 to the Tillbridge Solar Project Order.
- 196. Where conditions are included in any consent granted by Tillbridge pursuant to this Part, the indertaker must comply with the conditions if it chooses to implement or rely on the consent, unless the conditions are waived or varied in writing by Tillbridge.
- 197. The undertaker must not under the powers of this Order acquire, extinguish, suspend, override or interfere with any rights that Tillbridge has in respect of any apparatus or the Tillbridge Work No. [ Area without the consent of Tillbridge, which must not be unreasonably withheld or delayed but which may be made subject to reasonable conditions.
- 198.—(1) The undertaker must not under the powers of this Order carry out any specified works without the consent of Tillbridge, which must not be unreasonably withheld or delayed but which may be made subject to reasonable conditions and if Tillbridge does not respond within 28 days of the undertaker's request for consent, then consent is deemed to be given.
- (2) <u>Subject to obtaining consent pursuant to sub-paragraph 158(1) and before beginning to construct any specified works, the undertaker must submit plans of the specified works to Tillbridge and must submit any such further particulars available to it that Tillbridge may reasonably require.</u>
- (3) Any specified works must be constructed without unreasonable delay in accordance with the plans approved in writing by Tillbridge.
- (4) Any approval of Tillbridge required under this paragraph may be made subject to such reasonable conditions as may be required for the protection or alteration of any apparatus in the Tillbridge Work No. [] Area or for securing access to such apparatus or the Tillbridge Work No. [] Area.
- (5) Where Tillbridge requires any protective works to be carried out either by themselves or by the undertaker (whether of a temporary or permanent nature) such protective works must be carried out to Tillbridge's reasonable satisfaction.
- (6) Nothing in this paragraph precludes the undertaker from submitting at any time or from time to time, but in no case less than 28 days before commencing the execution of any specified works, new plans instead of the plans previously submitted, and the provisions of this paragraph shall apply to and in respect of the new plans.



- 199.—(1) The undertaker must give to Tillbridge not less than 28 days' written notice of its intention to commence the construction of the specified works and, not more than 14 days after completion of their construction, must give Tillbridge written notice of the completion.
- (2) The undertaker is not required to comply with paragraph 158 or sub-paragraph 159(1) in a case of emergency, but in that case it must give Tillbridge notice as soon as is reasonably practicable and a plan, section and description of those works as soon as reasonably practicable subsequently and must comply with paragraph 158 in so far as is reasonably practicable in the circumstances.
- 200. The undertaker must at all reasonable times during construction of the specified works allow Tillbridge and its servants and agents access to the specified works and all reasonable facilities for inspection of the specified works.
- **201.**—(1) After the purpose of any temporary works has been accomplished, the undertaker must with all reasonable dispatch, or after a reasonable period of notice in writing from Tillbridge requiring the undertaker to do so, remove the temporary works in, on, under, over or within the Tillbridge Work No. [] Area.
- (2) If the undertaker fails to remove the temporary works within a reasonable period of receipt of a notice pursuant to sub-paragraph 161(1), Tillbridge may remove the temporary works and may recover the reasonable costs of doing so from the undertaker.
- 202. If in consequence of the exercise of the powers conferred by this Order the access to any apparatus is materially obstructed, the undertaker must provide such alternative means of access to such apparatus as will enable Tillbridge to maintain or use the apparatus no less effectively than was possible before the obstruction.
- <u>203.</u> The undertaker must not exercise the powers conferred by this Order to prevent or interfere with the access by Tillbridge to the Tillbridge Work No. [] Area.
- **204.** To ensure its compliance with this Part, the undertaker must before carrying out any works or operations pursuant to this Order within Tillbridge Work No. [] Area request up-to-date written confirmation from Tillbridge of the location of any apparatus or proposed apparatus.
- 205. The undertaker and Tillbridge must each act in good faith and use reasonable endeavours to copperate with and provide assistance to each other as may be required to give effect to the provisions of this Part.



- 206. The undertaker must pay to Tillbridge the reasonable expenses incurred by Tillbridge in connection with the approval of plans, inspection of any specified works or alteration or protection of any apparatus or the Tillbridge Work No. [] Area.
- 207.—(1) Subject to sub-paragraphs 167(2) and 167(3), if by reason or in consequence of the construction of any specified works, any damage is caused to any apparatus or there is any interruption any service provided, or in the supply of any goods, by Tillbridge, or Tillbridge becomes liable to bay any amount to any third party, the undertaker must—
  - (1) bear and pay the cost reasonably incurred by Tillbridge in making good such damage or restoring the service or supply; and
  - (2) compensate Tillbridge for any other expenses, loss, demands, proceedings, damages, claims penalty or costs incurred by or recovered from Tillbridge, by reason or in consequence of any such damage or interruption or Tillbridge becoming liable to any third party as aforesaid.
- (2) Nothing in sub-paragraph 167(1) imposes any liability on the undertaker with respect to any damage or interruption to the extent that it is attributable to the act, neglect or default of Tillbridge, its officers, servants, contractors or agents.
- (3) <u>Tillbridge must give the undertaker reasonable notice of any such claim or demand and no settlement or compromise shall be made, unless payment is required in connection with a statutory compensation scheme without first consulting the undertaker and considering its representations.</u>
- (4) Tillbridge must use its reasonable endeavours to mitigate in whole or in part and to minimise any costs, expenses, loss, demands, and penalties to which the indemnity under this paragraph applies. If requested to do so by the undertaker, Tillbridge shall provide an explanation of how the claim has been minimised. The undertaker shall only be liable under this paragraph for claims reasonably incurred by Tillbridge.
- (5) The fact that any work or thing has been executed or done with the consent of Tillbridge and in accordance with any conditions or restrictions prescribed by Tillbridge or in accordance with any plans approved by Tillbridge or to its satisfaction or in accordance with any directions or award of any arbitrator does not relieve the undertaker from any liability under this Part.
- (6) Any dispute arising between the undertaker and Tillbridge under this Part must be determined by arbitration under article 42



Schedule 17 – Procedure for Discharge of	Applicants	Amendments consequential on the revision, within	Applications made under requirement	E
Requirements		Version C of the draft DCO, to apply a single timeframe for the relevant planning authority to give notice of its	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 ten weeks beginning with the later of  []	
		decision in respect of all Requirements.	(2) 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	
		Correction; footnote added.	<ul> <li>(a) the day immediately following that on which the application is received by the authority;</li> <li>(b) the day immediately following that on which further information has been supplied by the undertaker under paragraph 3; or</li> </ul>	
			(c) such longer period that is agreed in writing by the undertaker and the relevant planning authority.	
			(3) (3) 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) 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.	
			(4) (4) Any application made to the relevant planning authority pursuant to sub- paragraph (2) 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.	
			(5) (5) 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 (2) or (3) and	5



			is accompanied by a report pursuant to sub-paragraph (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.
			Appeals
			<b>4.</b> —(1) The undertaker may appeal in the event that—
			(a) the relevant planning authority refuses an application for any consent, agreement or approval required by a requirement included in this Order or grants it subject to conditions;
			(b) the relevant planning authority is deemed to have refused an application pursuant to paragraph $\frac{2(62(5))}{2(5)}$ ;
			[]
			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 Requests and Site Visits) (England) Regulations 2012-(15) (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.
Part 1 - Preliminary – paragraph 2 -	Applicant	Corrections	"important hedgerows plan" means the plans of that name identified in the table at Schedule 14 (documents and plans to be certified) and which are certified by the Secretary of State as the important hedgerows plan for the purposes of this Order;
Interpretation			[]
			"Tillbridge Solar Project Order" means a development consent order granted by the Secretary of State following the examination of the project known as Tillbridge Solar project Project and given reference number EN010142 by the Planning Inspectorate;

S.I. 2012/2920 amended by S.I. 2013/2153, S.I. 2014/357, S.I. 2014/643, S.I. 2017/1314 and S.I. 2019/1154



Part 2 - Principal Powers – paragraph 6 – Application and modification of statutory provisions	and the Environment Agency	Amendment to remove the disapplication of sections 24 and 25 of the Water Resources Act 1991, in response to comments from the Environment Agency.	Application and modification of statutory provisions  6.—(1) The following provisions do not apply in relation to the construction of any work or the carrying out of any operation required for the purposes of, or in connection with, the construction, operation or maintenance of any part of the authorised development—  []  (d) section 24 (restrictions on abstraction) of the Water Resources Act 1991;  (e) section 25 (restrictions on impounding) of the Water Resources Act 1991;  []	=
Schedule 2 – Requirements – requirement 2 – Commencement of the authorised development	and West Lindsey District Council (WLDC)	A requirement to provide a written scheme setting out the phasing of the Scheme has been added in response to comments from WLDC. This requirement reflects similar provisions in the Longfield Solar Farm Order 2023, and the draft DCOs for the Sunnica and Mallard Pass solar projects.	Commencement of the authorised development  2.—(1) The authorised development must not be commenced after the expiration of five years from the date this Order comes into force.  (2) No part of the authorised development may commence until a written scheme setting out the phase or phases of construction of the authorised development has been submitted to the relevant planning authorities.  (3) The written scheme submitted pursuant to sub-paragraph (1) must include a timetable for the construction of the phase or phases of the authorised development and a plan identifying the phasing area.	



Schedule 2 –	Applicant	Amendments to the		F
Requirements –			Biodiversity net gain	
requirement 9 – Biodiversity net gain		seek to ensure that a minimum percentage of BNG is provided as part of the Scheme. The exact percentages are being considered, to allow for flexibility in detailed design.	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 include details of how the strategy will secure a minimum of []% biodiversity net gain in habitat units, a minimum of []% biodiversity net gain in hedgerow units and a minimum of 10% biodiversity net gain in river units for all of the authorised development during the operation of the authorised development, and the metric that has been used to calculate that those percentages will be reached.  (3) (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.	
O	authorities and the Environment Agency (EA)	New Requirement to provide for an updated flood risk assessment in the event the Scheme is likely to remain operational beyond 40 years. This Requirement has been added at the request of the EA, and is currently being considered by the EA.	<ul> <li>22.—(1) If any part of Work Nos. 1 to 4 is still in operation on the date that is 39 years from the date of final commissioning, the undertaker must notify the relevant planning authority and the Environment Agency whether it anticipates that the operation of any part of Work Nos. 1 to 4 will continue beyond the date that is 40 years from the date of final commissioning.</li> <li>(2) If a notification under sub-paragraph (1) indicates that the undertaker anticipates that the operation of any part of Work Nos. 1 to 4 will continue beyond the date that is 40 years from the date of final commissioning, it must, unless otherwise agreed by the Environment Agency, submit for approval to the Environment Agency</li> <li>(a) an updated flood risk assessment of the flood risk arising from the continued operation of that part of Work Nos. 1 to 4 beyond the date that is 40 years from the date of final commissioning;</li> <li>(b) the details of any mitigation or compensation measures that the flood risk assessment under paragraph (a) recommends are necessary (if applicable);</li> <li>(c) the implementation timetable for any mitigation or compensation measures identified under sub-paragraph (b) (if applicable); and</li> </ul>	



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			(d) the details of any maintenance and monitoring requirements for any mitigation or compensation measures identified under sub-paragraph (b) required until the date of decommissioning (if applicable).	
			(3) The undertaker must submit the details approved by the Environment Agency under subparagraph (2) to the relevant planning authority, within five days of such approval being given.	
			(4) The undertaker must implement the mitigation or compensation measures approved under sub-paragraph (2)(b) in accordance with the implementation timetable approved under sub-paragraph (2)(c) or such other time period as is agreed with the Environment Agency and must implement the maintenance and monitoring requirements identified under sub-paragraph (2)(d) until the date of decommissioning of that part of Work Nos. 1 to 4.	
			(5) The undertaker must not continue operation of any part of Work Nos. 1 to 4 beyond the date that is 40 years from the date of final commissioning unless the Environment Agency has given its approval under sub-paragraph (2) and the undertaker has complied with sub-paragraph (3), unless otherwise agreed in writing by the Environment Agency.	
Schedule 4 –	Applicant	The private streets		F
Streets Subject to		added to the Streets	[Not reproduced. Please refer to the tracked version for more information]	
Street Works		Plan [REP-002] have		
		been included where		
		they are subject to		
		street works.		
Schedule 6 –	Applicant	The private streets		F
Streets and		added to the Streets	[Not reproduced. Please refer to the tracked version for more information]	
Public Rights of		Plan [REP-002] have		
Way – Part 1 –		been included where		
Temporary		they are subject to a		
Prohibition or		temporary		
Restriction of the		prohibition or		
Use of Streets		restriction of the use		
		of streets.		
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Schedule 9 – Deemed Marine Licence under the 2009 Act – Part 1 – Licensed Marine Activities – paragraph 1	Management Organisation	Amendments to the Deemed Marine Licence (DML) reflect comments made by the MMO in respect of the draft DML (on a without prejudice basis) in the Gate Burton Energy Park Order (PINS Reference EN010131) Examination.	[Not reproduced]	F
Schedule 10 – Land in Which Only New Rights etc. May be Acquired	Applicant and Examining Authority (ExA)	Changes to the plots subject to compulsory acquisition of rights reflect the Change Request, accepted by the Examining Authority in [PD-014].	(1) Plot reference number shown on the Land Plans 01-004, 01-005, 01-008, 01-014, 01-019, 01-023, 01-025, 01-027, 02-054, 02-057, 02-058, 02-059, 02-060, 02-074 03-091, 04-103, 04-104, 05-124, 05-125, 05-128, 05-129, 05-130, 06-146, 06-147, 07-157, 07-159, 07-160, 08-161, 08-162, 08-163, 08-182, 09-188, 09-192, 09-194a, 10-208, 10-214, 10-215, 10-220, 10-221, 10-222, 10-223, 10-224, 10-226, 10-228, 10-229, 10-232, 10-241a, 10-244, 11 246, 11-247, 12-274, 12-276, 14-289, 14-291, 15-305, 15 307, 16-315, 17-338a, 17-339, 17-339a, 17-340, 17-362, 17-363, 17-364, and 18-377 and 19-394.  01-036, 01-041, 02-042, 02-064, 02-065, 02-070, 02-071, 02-076, 02-077, 02-078, 02-079, 02-080, 03-084, 03-089, 03-096, 03-097, 03-098, 04-099, 04-107, 04-111, 04-114, 04-115, 04-116, 04-117, 04-118, 04-119, 05-120, 05-121, 05-126, 05-133, 05-134, 05-135, 05-136, 05-140, 05-141, 06-142, 06-143, 06-145, 06-148, 06-152, 07-157, 07-159, 07-160, 08-170, 08-171, 08-172, 08-174, 08-175, 08-177, 08-186, 09-188, 09-192, 10-	F



			201, 10-202, 10-203, 10-206, 10-209, 10-210, 10-212, 10-213, 10-215, 10-216, 10-217, 10-220, 10-221, 10-222, 10-223, 10-228, 10-229, 10-233, 10-235, 10-239, 11-251, 11-252, 11-253, 11-255, 11-257, 12-274, 12-275, 12-276, 14-289, 14-290, 14-291, 14-29214-292c, 14-292f, 14-292g, 14-293, 14-294, 14-295, 14-296, 14-297, 14-299, 14-300, 14-292h, 14-301, 15-303, 15-304, 15-309, 15-310, 15-311, 15-312, 15-313, 16-310, 16-314, 16-317, 16-318, 16-319, 16-320, 16-321, 16-322, 16-324, 16-326, 16-327, 16-328, 16-329, 16-330, 16-331, 17-335, 17-336, 17-337, 17-338, 17-339, 17-345, 17-346, 17-347, 17-348, 17-349, 17-350, 17-351, 17-352, 17-353, 17-354, 17-355, 17-356, 17-357, 17-358, 17-359, 17-360, 17-361, 18-365, 18-366, 18-367, 18-368, 18-369, 18-370, 18-371, 18-372, 18-373, 18-374, 18-375, 18-379, 18-381, 18-382, 18-383, 18-384, 18-385, 18-385a, 18-385b, 18-385c, 18-385d, 19-390, 19-391, 19-391, 19-392, and 19-392, 19-395, 19-396, 19-397, 19-398, 19-399 and 19-400.	
	Applicant and ExA	Changes to the plots subject to temporary possession only reflect the Change Request, accepted by the Examining Authority in [PD-014].	(1)  Plot reference number shown on the Land Plans  01-031, 01-033, 01-034, 01-037, 01-038, 01-039, 01-040, 02-048, 02-049, 02-050, 02-051, 02-052, 02-053, 02-055, 02-056, 02-067, 02-068, 02-069, 02-072, 02-073, 03-082, 03-083, 03-085, 03-086, 03-087, 03-094, 03-095, 04-100, 04-101, 04-102, 04-105, 04-109, 04-110, 04-112, 05-122, 05-127, 05-132, 05-138, 05-139, 06-144, 06-150, 06-151, 08-173, 08-176, 09-187, 09-189, 09-191, 09-193, 10-234, 10-236, 10-237, 10-238, 10-242, 10-245, 11-254, 11-256, 12-281, 14-284, 14-284a, 14-284b, 14-284c, 14-284d, 14-284e, 14-284f, 14-284g, 14-285, 14-286, 14-287, 14-290, 14-292, 14-292a, 14-292b, 14-292d, 14-293, 14-293a, 14-294, 14-295, 14-296 15-306, 15-308, 16-325, 17-341, 18-378, 18-380, 19-386, 19-387, 19-388 and 19-389.  01-035, 02-066, 02-075, 03-081, 03-088, 04-106, 04-108, 04-113, 05-123, 05-131, 05-137, 06-149, 08-185, 14-298, 15-302, 16-316, 16-323, 17-332, 17-333, 17-334, 17-334a, 17-342, 17-343, 17-344 and 18-376, 19-401, 19-402 and 20-403.	F
Schedule 13 – Hedgerows to be Removed	Applicant and ExA	Changes to the hedgerows that may be removed in part to reflect the Change	[Not reproduced]	F



		Request, accepted by the Examining Authority in [PD- 014].		
Schedule 14 – Documents and Plans to be Certified	Applicant	Updates reflect the latest versions of documents submitted into Examination.	[Not reproduced]	F
Schedule 16 - Protective Provisions	Applicant	Corrections	[Not reproduced]	F
Protective Provisions – Part	and EDF Energy (Thermal Generation) 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	PART 18  FOR THE PROTECTION OF EDF ENERGY (THERMAL GENERATION) LIMITED  1. [TBC]	F



	are close to an agreed form.		
Schedule 17 – Applicant Procedure for the Discharge of Requirements – paragraph 1 - Interpretation  Applicant Planning Authorities	Amendments provide for bespoke fee to be payable in respect of the discharge of Requirements. The drafting is based on the Mallard Pass Solar Farm draft DCO and has been included at the request of Lincolnshire County Council and West Lindsey District Council.	Interpretation  1. In this Schedule—  "discharge" means any consent, agreement or approval required by—  (a) a requirement; (b) a document referred to by a requirement; or (c) a document that has been approved pursuant to a requirement;  []  Fees  5.—(1) Where an application is made to the relevant planning authority for written consent a discharge, agreement or approval in respect of a requirement, the a fee prescribed under regulation 16(1)(b) of the Town and Country Planning (Fees for Applications, Deemed Applications, Requests 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.  (2) The fee payable for each application under sub-paragraph (1) is as follows—  (a) a fee of £2,535 for the first application for the discharge of each of the requirements 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 11, 13, 14, 15, 18, 19, and 21;  (b) a fee of £578 for each subsequent application for the discharge of each of the requirements listed in paragraph (a) and any application under requirement 5 in respect of the requirements listed in paragraph (a) and (c) a fee of £145 for any application for the discharge of—	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>86</sup>() S.I. 2012/2920 amended by S.I. 2013/2153, S.I. 2014/357, S.I. 2014/643, S.I. 2017/1314 and S.I. 2019/1154.



			(i) any other requirements not listed in paragraph (a);  (ii) any application under requirement 3 in respect of requirements not listed in paragraph (a); and  (iii) any approval required by a document referred to by any requirement or a document approved pursuant to any requirement.  (3) (1)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) - Interpretation	Examining Authority (ExA)		[Example provided. Amended throughout to be consistent]  "access plan" means the plans plan of that name identified in the table at Schedule 14 (documents and plans to be certified) and which are is certified by the Secretary of State as the access plan for the purposes of this Order;	G
Article 2(1)	ExA	Updated definition of 'Order Land' to incorporate changes requested by the ExA; Definition of 'working day' moved from Schedule 17,	"Order land" means the land which is required for or is required to facilitate or is incidental to or is affected by the authorised development and shown coloured pink, blue or yellow on the land plans and which is within the limits of land to be acquired or used and which is described in the book of reference; []  "working day" means any day other than a Saturday, Sunday or English bank or public holiday	G



		due to its wider use within the Order.		
Article 2(3)	Applicant	Correction	All distances, directions, capacities and lengths referred to in this Order are approximate and distances between lines or points on a numbered work comprised in the authorised development and shown on the works plans and access plan and public rights of way plans are to be taken to be measured along that work.	
Article 10 – Construction and maintenance of altered streets	Applicant	Clarifications and corrections to ensure the requirements relating to highways and private streets are consistent.	10.—(1) The permanent alterations to each of the streets specified in Part 1 (permanent alteration of layout) of Schedule 5 (alteration of streets) to this Order that are maintained by the highway authority must be completed to the reasonable satisfaction of the highway authority where applicable and, unless otherwise agreed by the highway authority, the alterations must be maintained by and at the expense of the undertaker for a period of 12 months from their completion and from the expiry of that period by and at the expense of the highway authority.  (2) The permanent alterations to each of the streets specified in Part 1 (permanent alteration of layout) of Schedule 5 (alteration of streets) to this Order that are maintained by the street authority must be completed to the reasonable satisfaction of the street authority where applicable and, unless otherwise agreed by the street authority, the alterations must be maintained by the undertaker for a period of 12 months from their completion and from the expiry of that period by and at the expense of the street authority.	
Article 15(5)(b) – Traffic regulation measures	ExA	Correction	(a) not less than 7 days before the provision is to take effect published the undertaker's intention to make the provision in one or more newspapers circulating in the area in which any road to which the provision relates is situated.	G
Article 20(2) – Compulsory acquisition of land	ExA and Applicant	Addition of two articles that operate to limit the time and extent of the powers of compulsory acquisition into paragraph (2), to	(2) This article is subject to <u>article 21 (time limit for exercise of authority to acquire land compulsorily)</u> , paragraph (2) of article 22 (compulsory acquisition of rights), and article 29 (temporary use of land for constructing the authorised development) and article 31 (statutory undertakers).	G



		signpost the reader to the restrictions on these powers.		
Article 22(3) – Compulsory acquisition of rights	Applicant	Correction	(3) Subject to section 8 (other provisions as to divided land) and Schedule 2A (counter-notice requiring purchase of land) of the 1965 Act (as substituted by paragraph 5(8) of Schedule 10 11 (modification of compensation and compulsory purchase enactments for the creation of new rights and imposition of new restrictive covenants)), where the undertaker creates or acquires an existing right over land or the benefit of a restrictive covenant under paragraph (1) or (2), the undertaker is not required to acquire a greater interest in that land.	G
Schedule 2, Requirement 9(2) – Biodiversity net gain	Applicant	The specific percentage minimum of biodiversity net gain (BNG) units have been included in response to comments from stakeholders. The percentage stated allows for a degree of flexibility commensurate with the current uncertainty around BNG metrics and how these will apply to NSIP Schemes.	(2) The biodiversity net gain strategy must include details of how the strategy will secure a minimum of 19476.8% biodiversity net gain in habitat units, a minimum of 1956.1% biodiversity net gain in hedgerow units and a minimum of 10% biodiversity net gain in river units for all of the authorised development during the operation of the authorised development, and the metric that has been used to calculate that those percentages will be reached.	G
Schedule 2, Requirement 14 – Operational		Amendments to include a waste management	<b>14.</b> —(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	G



environmental management plan	County Council (LCC)	strategy have been added in response to comments made by LCC and are agreed with LCC.	relevant planning authorities, each of the relevant planning authorities, in consultation with the relevant highway authority, the relevant waste <u>planning</u> authority and the Environment Agency.  (2) The operational environmental management plan must be substantially in accordance with the outline operational environmental management plan <u>and must include a waste management strategy that has been submitted to and approved by the relevant waste planning authority</u> .	
Schedule 2, Requirement 15(1) – Construction traffic management plan	Applicant		15.—(1) No part of the authorised development may commence until a construction traffic management plan for that part must be 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.	G
Schedule 2 – Requirement 22 - Long term flood risk mitigation		updated flood risk assessment (FRA) to be completed before any part of the authorised development is commenced, covering a period of operation up to 60 years, as provided	22.—(1) If any No part of Work Nos. 1 to 4 is still in operation on the date that is 39 years from the date of final commissioning, the undertaker must notify the relevant planning authority and the Environment Agency whether it anticipates that the operation the authorised development may commence until an updated flood risk assessment of the flood risk arising from the river Trent in respect of any part the continued operation of Work Nos. 1 to 4 will continue beyond the date that is 40 for 60 years from the date of final commissioning has been submitted to and approved by the Environment Agency.  (2) If a notification under The updated flood risk assessment submitted pursuant to sub-paragraph (1) indicates that the undertaker anticipates that the operation of any part of Work Nos. 1 to 4 will continue beyond the date that is 40 years from the date of final commissioning, it-must, unless otherwise agreed by the Environment Agency, submit for approval to the Environment Agency include—  (a) an updated flood risk assessment of the flood risk arising from the continued operation of that part of Work Nos. 1 to 4 beyond the date that is 40 years from the date of final commissioning;  (b)(a) the details of any mitigation or compensation measures that the flood risk assessment under paragraph (a) recommends are necessary (if applicable);  (c)(b) the implementation timetable for any mitigation or compensation measures identified under sub-paragraph (a) (if applicable); and	G



		(decommissioning and restoration). The revised Requirement secures any mitigation, compensation and maintenance and monitoring requirements	the details of any maintenance and monitoring requirements for any mitigation or compensation measures identified under sub-paragraph (a) required until the date of decommissioning (if applicable).  (3) The undertaker must submit the details approved by the Environment Agency under sub-paragraph (1) to the relevant planning authority, within five days of such approval being given.  (4) The undertaker must implement the approved mitigation or compensation measures approved identified under sub-paragraph (2)(a) in accordance with the approved implementation timetable approved identified under sub-paragraph (2)(b) or such other time period as is agreed with the Environment Agency and must implement the approved maintenance and monitoring requirements identified under sub-paragraph (2)(c) until the date of decommissioning of that part of Work Nos. 1 to 4.  (5) The undertaker must not continue operation of any part of Work Nos. 1 to 4 beyond the date that is 40 years from the date of final commissioning unless the Environment Agency has given its approval under sub-paragraph and the undertaker has complied with sub-paragraph, unless otherwise agreed in writing by the Environment Agency.	
Schedule 4 – Streets Subject to Street Works	Applicant	Corrections and amendments for consistency; changes reflect amendments to the numbering of points on some sheets of the streets plan, the identification of private streets, and amendments reflecting updates to the streets plan at Deadline 5.	[Not reproduced. Please refer to the Tracked version of Revision G of the draft DCO]	G



Schedule 5 – Alteration of Streets	Applicant	Private streets have been added into Schedule 5, Parts 1 and 2. Changes have been made in relation to some public highways following a complete review of the plans, proposed works and required streets powers. Other corrections and amendments have been made for consistence.		G
Schedule 6 – Streets and Public Rights of Way	Applicant	Correction of the colour references used in relation to private streets and removal of a duplicate entry. Correction of street names and the distance of the part of Torksey Ferry Road to be temporarily stopped up. The public rights of way (PROW)	[Not reproduced. Please refer to the Tracked version of Revision G of the draft DCO]	G



		forming or abutting Torksey Ferry Road have been moved into Part 2, reflecting the addition of an area to divert these PRoWs, with the consequential removal of the same PRoWs from Part 3 of this Schedule.		
Schedule 7 – Access to Works	Applicant	Corrections have been made following a review of all streets and access proposals and requirements, ensuring this Schedule reflects the use of each Access identified within ES Chapter 14: Transport and Access [APP-049] and Addendum [REP2-070].	[Not reproduced. Please refer to the Tracked version of Revision G of the draft DCO]	G
Schedule 8 – Traffic Regulation Measures	Applicant	Corrections and amendments for consistency; changes	[Not reproduced. Please refer to the Tracked version of Revision G of the draft DCO]	G



		reflect amendments to the numbering of points on some sheets of the streets plan and amendments reflecting updates to the streets plan at Deadline 5. Schedule 8 and Article 15 are only applicable to public highways, and private streets are therefore omitted.		
Deemed Marine Licence	_	response to without prejudice comments made by the MMO. Further detail in respect of each change is set out in the table within Appendix A of the Applicant's Response to Deadline 3A and	[] 2.—(1) Except where otherwise notified in writing by the MMO, notices to the MMO must be sent to—  (a) Marine Management Organisation  Marine Licensing Team  Lancaster House Hampshire Court  Newcastle Business Park  Newcastle upon Tyne  NE4 7YH  Tel: 0300 123 1032.; and  (b) Marine Management Organisation Beverley Office  First Floor Crosskill House  Mill Lane  Beverley  HU17 9JB  Tel: 0208 026 0519  []	G



**3.** [...]

(3) The activity set out in sub-paragraph (2) is authorised in relation to the construction, maintenance and operation and decommissioning of those elements of Work No. 6B of Schedule 1 (authorised development) of the Order as defined in paragraph 1 of this Schedule, and any further associated development listed in Schedule 1 (authorised development) in connection with Work No. 6B, which are located within the area of the river Trent bounded by the coordinates specified in paragraph 4.

[...]

**8.** The licence holder must inform the MMO at the <u>address</u> <u>addresses</u> provided in <u>condition</u> <u>paragraph</u> 2 and in writing of the commencement of the first licensed activity at least five days prior to such commencement.

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15.—(1) The licence holder must remove all temporary structures, waste and debris associated with the licensed activities within 6 10 weeks following completion of the final construction activity.

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- **16.**—(1) Unless otherwise agreed by the MMO, the maintenance activities may not commence until a maintenance plan has been approved in writing by the MMO.
- (2) The maintenance plan must be submitted at least 6 10 weeks prior to the commencement of any maintenance activity, and must include details of the maintenance activities required including location, duration, timings, methodology and materials to be used.

[...]

- 17.—(1) Unless otherwise agreed by the MMO, the decommissioning activities may not commence until a decommissioning plan has been approved in writing by the MMO.
- (2) The decommissioning plan must be submitted at least 6 10 weeks prior to the commencement of any decommissioning activity, and must include details of the decommissioning activities required including location, duration, timings, methodology and materials to be used.



Schedule 14 – Documents and Plans to be Certified	Applicant	Updates reflect the new and updated documents submitted at Deadline 5, and to provide Examination Library references.	[Not reproduced.]	G
Schedule 16 – Protective Provisions	Statutory Undertakers and	The protective provisions have been updated to provide final, agreed versions wherever possible. Please refer to the Schedule of progress regarding Protective Provisions and Statutory Undertakers [EX5/C8.1.13_D].	[Not reproduced.]	G
Schedule 17 – Procedure for Discharge of Requirements	Applicant	Definition of 'working day' moved into Article 2(1) as it is used elsewhere within the Order.	[Not reproduced; please see amendments at article 2(1), above.]	G
Explanatory Note	Applicant	Inclusion of the address where the made Order, plans,	[] A copy of the Order plans and the book of reference mentioned in the Order and certified in accordance with article 40 (certification of plans and documents, etc) of this Order may be inspected	G



Book of Refere	nce free of charge during working hours at [XX] <u>Lincolnshire County Council, County Offices</u> ,	
may be inspec	red. Newland, Lincoln, LN1 1YL.	



## 4 Schedule of Changes to the Land Plan

## Table 4.1: Schedule of Changes Made to the Land Plan

	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
10-205	1, 2 and 3	25/01/2024	Andrew Morton	Category 2	Added Interest	Ongoing due diligence identified Andrew Morton as having a Category 2 interest in this plot.
10-205	1, 2 and 3	25/01/2024	Marie Morton	Category 2	Added Interest	Ongoing due diligence identified Marie Morton as having a Category 2 interest in this plot.
10-205	1, 2 and 3	25/01/2024	Michael Bell	Category 2	Removed Interest	Ongoing due diligence identified Michael Bell no longer has an interest in this plot.
16-315	1	01/02/2024	Hunts SPV One Ltd	Category 1	Added Interest	Title LL408464 has now been registered at HM Land Registry. Added as Reputed Owner for this plot.
17-333	1	01/02/2024	East Hudson Developments Limited	Category 1	Removed Interest	A Transfer of Part changed the extent of title number LL386329 which is no longer adjacent to this plot.
17-333	1	01/02/2024	John Marshall	Category 1	Added Interest	Title LL415259 has now been registered at HM Land Registry. Ad medium filum interest added to this plot.
17-333	1	01/02/2024	Angela Marshall	Category 1	Added Interest	Title LL415259 has now been registered at HM Land Registry. Ad medium filum interest added to this plot.
17-333	1	01/02/2024	Nicholas Thomas Marshall	Category 1	Added Interest	Title LL415259 has now been registered at HM Land Registry. Ad medium filum interest added to this plot.



17-333	1	01/02/2024	Andrew Steven Marshall	Category 1	Title LL415259 has now been registered at HM Land Registry. Ad medium filum interest added to this plot.
17-358	1 and 3	12/02/2024	Anglian Water Services Limited	Category 2	Ongoing due diligence has identified Anglian Water Services Limited as having a Category 2 interest in this plot.



## 6 Schedule of Changes to the Book of Reference Plots

Table 6.1: Schedule of Changes Made to the Book of Reference Plots

Plot Number	Date of Change	Change Made	Reasons for Change
17-358	12/02/2024	Added plot 17-358 to part 3	Ongoing due diligence has identified that plot 19-393 now has an
			interest which needs to be included in part 3.