



Stonestreet Green Solar

Application Form

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APFP Regulation 5(1)

Planning Act 2008

The Infrastructure Planning (Applications: Prescribed Forms and Procedure) Regulations 2009





Application for Development Consent for Nationally Significant Infrastructure Projects under the Planning Act 2008

* required information

Application Form

Please read guidance documents relating to the submission of applications prior to completing this form including [government guidance](#) and the Planning Inspectorate's [Advice Note Six: Preparation and submission of application documents](#).

* Do you have a reference number?

Yes No

* Reference number

1. Applicant

* Organisation

Address

* Building number or name

* Street

* City or town

County or administrative area

* Postcode

* Country

* Name of contact

* Telephone number

Fax number

* Email

2. Agent

* Are you an agent acting on behalf of the Applicant?

Yes No

3. Fee

* State the arrangement for the application fee payment:

BACS CHAPS Cheque

* Please provide payment reference details



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4. Confirming why the Planning Inspectorate should receive the application



* Brief statement to explain why this application is, or is to be treated as, a development for which development consent is required under the Planning Act 2008

The Project is defined as a Nationally Significant Infrastructure Project under Sections 14(1)(a) and 15(2) of the Planning Act 2008, as it is an onshore generating station in England with capacity exceeding 50 megawatts.

5. Non-technical description of the Proposed Development



* Brief non-technical description of the Proposed Development

The Project comprises the construction, operation, maintenance and decommissioning of solar photovoltaic arrays and energy storage, together with associated infrastructure and an underground cable connection to the existing National Grid Sellindge Substation.

The Project will include a generating station (incorporating solar arrays) with a total capacity exceeding 50 megawatts. The agreed grid connection for the Project will allow the export and import of up to 99.9 MW of electricity to the grid. The Project will connect to the existing National Grid Sellindge Substation via a new 132 kilovolt substation constructed as part of the Project and cable connection under the Network Rail and High Speed 1 railway.

6. Location or route of the Proposed Development



* Description of location of application site(s), or route of development (reference to appropriate plans)

The Project is located approximately 6.5km to the south east of Ashford town centre and approximately 13.7km to the west of Folkestone town centre, in the county of Kent. The Project is situated on land located to the north and west of the village of Aldington. The location of the Project is shown on ES Volume 3, Figure 1.1: Site Location Plan (Doc Ref. 5.3).

* Is the site a single site or a linear site?

- Single site Linear site

Grid reference

* Easting

* Northing

* Document reference

7. Associated Development



* Associated Development is included within this application:

- Yes No

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* Document reference

8. a) Consultation Report



* Document reference

* Document reference

8. b) Copies of newspaper notices



* Document reference

9. Draft Development Consent Order



* Document reference

10. Explanatory Memorandum



* Document reference

11. Land Plan



* Document reference

12. Works Plan



* Document reference

13. Compulsory Acquisition of land or an interest in land or right over land



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* Issues are relevant for this application:

- Yes No

Statement of reasons document reference

Statement of reasons document reference

Funding statement document reference

Book of Reference document reference

14. a) Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA)



* Environmental Statement (ES) required:

- Yes No

* ES Document Reference

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14. b) Screening Opinion/ Direction and Scoping Opinion/ Direction



* Screening Opinion sought, or direction received:

- Yes No

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* Scoping Opinion sought:

Yes No

Document reference

Document reference

Document reference

14. c) Publicity required under Regulation 13 of The Infrastructure Planning (Environmental Impact Assessment) Regulations 2017 (or where the transitional provisions apply, Regulation 11 of The Infrastructure Planning (Environmental Impact Assessment) Regulations 2009)



In addition to publishing the notice, a copy of the notice was sent to:

* the consultation bodies

* Yes

* the persons notified to the Applicant in accordance with Regulation 11(1)(c) of The Infrastructure Planning (Environmental Impact Assessment) Regulations 2017 (or where the transitional provisions apply, Regulation 9(1)(c) of The Infrastructure Planning (Environmental Impact Assessment) Regulations 2009):

Yes No, not applicable

15. European sites (to which Regulation 63 of The Conservation of Habitats and Species Regulations 2017 and/ or Regulation 28 of the Conservation of Offshore Marine Habitats and Species Regulations 2017 applies) or a Ramsar site.



* Report required for this application:

Yes No

* Document reference

* Document reference

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16. A plan, with accompanying information, identifying any statutory or non statutory sites or features of nature conservation, geological or landscape importance; habitats of protected species, important habitats or other diversity features; and water bodies in a River Basin Management Plan - together with an assessment of any effects likely to be caused by the Proposed Development.

* Issues are relevant for this application:

Yes No

* Document reference

* Document reference

* Document reference

17. A plan, with accompanying information, identifying any statutory or non statutory sites or features of the historic environment such as scheduled monuments, World Heritage sites, listed buildings and other historic structures, archaeological sites and registered battlefields, together with an assessment of any effects likely to be caused by the Proposed Development



* Issues are relevant for this application:

Yes No

* Document reference

18. Flood Risk Assessment



* Flood Risk Assessment required:

Yes No

* Document reference

19. Matters set out in section 79(1) (statutory nuisances etc) of the Environmental Protection Act 1990



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* Statement required for this application:

Yes No

* Document reference

Statutory Nuisance Statement (Doc Ref. 7.2)

Add another reference

20. A plan with any accompanying information identifying any Crown land



* Issues are relevant for this application:

Yes No

* Document reference

Crown Land Plans (Doc Ref. 2.2)

Add another reference

21. A plan identifying new or altered means of access, stopping up of streets or any diversions, extinguishments or creation or rights of way or public rights of navigation



* Issues are relevant for this application:

Yes No

* Document reference

Streets, Rights of Way and Access Plans (Doc Ref. 2.5)

Add another reference

22. Additional information for specific types of infrastructure



* Additional information is required to be submitted in accordance with Regulation 6 of The Infrastructure Planning (Applications: Prescribed Forms and Procedure) Regulations 2009:

Yes No

* Provide a brief description

Please see Grid Connection Statement which provides a statement of who will be responsible for designing and building the connection to the electricity grid.

* Document reference

Doc Ref. 7.3

Add another reference

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Regulation 6 of the Infrastructure Planning (Applications: Prescribed Forms and Procedures) Regulations 2009 requires additional information to be submitted with the following types of development.

* Please check any of the following boxes that apply:

- Construction or extension of a non offshore generating station (Reg. 6 (1a))
- Construction or extension of an offshore generating station (Reg. 6 (1b))
- Highway related development (Reg. 6 (2) (part 1))
- Construction or alteration of a railway (Reg. 6 (2) (part 2))
- Construction or alteration of harbour facilities (Reg. 6 (3))
- Construction of a pipeline (Reg. 6 (4))
- Construction or alteration of a hazardous waste facility (Reg. 6 (5))
- Construction of a dam or reservoir (Reg. 6 (6))

Construction or extension of a non offshore generating station (Reg. 6 (1a))

* Provide a statement of who will be responsible for designing and building the connection to the electricity grid

Grid Connection Statement (Doc Ref. 7.3)

* Is it a gas fuelled generating station?

- Yes No

23. Any other plans, drawings and sections necessary to describe the proposal for which development consent is sought, and any other documents, reports or information to support the application



Provide a brief description of any other plans, drawings and sections that are being submitted with this application

Illustrative Project Drawings - Not For Approval (Doc Ref. 2.6)
Illustrative Landscape Drawings - Not For Approval (Doc Ref. 2.7)
Vegetation Removal Plan (Doc Ref. 2.8)
Traffic Regulations Measures Plans (Doc Ref. 2.4)

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Provide a brief description of any other documents considered necessary to support the application

- Biodiversity Net Gain Assessment (Doc Ref. 7.1)
- Design Approach Document (Doc Ref. 7.4)
- Design Principles (Doc Ref. 7.5)
- Planning Statement (Doc Ref. 7.6)
- Mitigation Schedule (Doc Ref. 7.7)
- Outline Construction Environmental Management Plan (Doc Ref. 7.8)
- Outline Construction Traffic Management Plan (Doc Ref. 7.9)
- Outline Landscape and Ecological Management Plan (Doc Ref. 7.10)
- Outline Operational Management Plan (Doc Ref. 7.11)
- Outline Decommissioning Environmental Management Plan (Doc Ref. 7.12)
- Outline Decommissioning Traffic Management Plan (Doc Ref. 7.13)
- Outline Operational Surface Water Drainage Strategy (Doc Ref. 7.14)
- Outline Rights of Way and Access Strategy (Doc Ref. 7.15)
- Outline Battery Safety Management Plan (Doc Ref. 7.16)
- Archaeological Management Strategy (Doc Ref. 7.17)
- Equalities Statement (Doc Ref. 7.18)
- Cover Letter (Doc Ref. 1.1)
- Section 55 Checklist (Doc Ref 1.2)
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- Guide to the Application (Doc Ref. 1.5)
- Glossary (Doc Ref. 1.6)
- Draft DCO Validation Report (Doc Ref. 3.2)

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Provide a brief description of any other information provided that is in support of the application, but which has not been explicitly required

Not applicable

Document reference

Add another reference

24. Other consents/ licences required under other legislation



* Other consents/ licences are required:

Yes No

* Provide a list of consents/licences

Please see Schedule of Other Consents and Licences (Doc Ref. 3.4).

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You must cite the document references as appropriate

* Document reference

25. Declaration



I declare to the best of my knowledge that the information given in this form and enclosed maps, plans and other documents are true.

Please note there is a requirement for one hard copy of the form to be signed. Please ensure that when you submit you include at least one signed copy. Further copies do not require the hand written signature.

Signature

(For and on behalf of

* Name

(In block letters)

* Date / /
dd mm yyyy

* Organisation

* Position within the organisation

In order to complete this form, it must be checked to ensure all information has been entered correctly. Click the following button to check the form.