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9 Summary of Residual Environmental Effects

9.1 Introduction

9.1.1 ES Volume 1, Chapter 7: Climate Change and Greenhouse Gases (Doc Ref. 6.1) and ES Volume 1, Chapter 8: Noise and Vibration (Doc Ref. 6.1) have considered the potential significant effects of the Proposed Development to date. This chapter provides a summary of the identified potential environmental effects.

9.2 Environmental Effects and Proposed Mitigation Measures

- 9.2.1 Potential effects have been assessed for the operational phase only. Construction and decommissioning effects are scoped out of this EIA.
- 9.2.2 The residual effects of the Proposed Development are considered to be negligible as there is considered to be no change relative to the Consented Scheme. **ES Volume 1, Chapter 7: Climate Change and Greenhouse Gases (Doc Ref. 6.1)** identified the potential for a negligible beneficial effect on climate, due to the Proposed Development being able to generate more electrical output from the same fuel input (and therefore generating more energy per unit of greenhouse gas emitted), displacing potential energy generation from other higher carbon methods. Noise modelling for the 2025 Operational Scenario with the Proposed Development has been undertaken. This indicates that there are no significant effects.
- 9.2.3 No moderate or major effects have been identified; therefore, the Proposed Development does not give rise to any no significant effects.
- 9.2.4 Table 9.1 provides a summary of the mitigation measures, monitoring requirements and residual effects resulting from the operation of the Proposed Development, as detailed in ES Volume 1, Chapter 7: Climate Change and Greenhouse Gases (Doc Ref. 6.1) and ES Volume 1, Chapter 8: Noise and Vibration (Doc Ref. 6.1).
- 9.2.5 Table 9.2 provides a summary of the cumulative effects identified in **ES Volume 1**, **Chapter 7**: **Climate Change and Greenhouse Gases (Doc Ref. 6.1)** and **ES Volume 1**, **Chapter 8**: **Noise and Vibration (Doc Ref. 6.1)**.

Table 9.1: Summary of Operational Effects

Effect	Receptor (Sensitivity)	Geographic Scale	Temporal Scale	Mitigation and Monitoring	Residual Effect			
Climate Change and Greenhouse Gases								
GHG Emissions	N/A	Global, National and Local	Permanent	None required	Negligible Beneficial			
Noise								
	High – Night-time			Compliance monitoring	Negligible			
Operational Noise	Medium – Daytime / Evening	Local	Permanent	is required by condition 41 of the IWMF planning permission. The draft DCO makes clear that the IWMF (as amended by the Proposed Development) would continue to be constructed and operated according to the terms of the IWMF planning permission (including condition 41).	Negligible			

Table 9.2: Summary of Cumulative Effects

Effect	Receptor (Sensitivity)	Geographic Scale	Temporal Scale	Mitigation and Monitoring	Residual Effect
Climate Change and	l Greenhouse Gases				
N/A					
Noise					
	High – Night-time			Compliance monitoring	Negligible
Operational Noise	Medium – Daytime / Evening	Local	Permanent	is required by condition 41 of the IWMF planning permission. The draft DCO makes clear that the IWMF (as amended by the Proposed Development) would continue to be constructed and operated according to the terms of the IWMF planning permission (including condition 41).	Negligible

