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For the attention of: Andrew Mahon (Lead Member of the Examining Authority)  
(c/o Jake Stephens (Case Manager))

23<sup>rd</sup> February 2024

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Dear Mr Mahon,

### **Planning Act 2008 (as amended)**

### **Application by National Grid Electricity Transmission Plc (National Grid) for an Order granting Development Consent for the Bramford to Twinstead Reinforcement**

#### **Deadline 9 Cover Letter**

This cover letter has been prepared by National Grid (the Applicant) to accompany the Applicant's submissions to the Examining Authority (ExA) at Deadline 9 (23 February 2024) of the Examination of the proposed Bramford to Twinstead Reinforcement.

These submissions are made in accordance with the Examination Timetable set out at Annex A of the Rule 8 Letter dated 19 September 2023 [PD-003].

#### **Overview of Deadline 9 Submissions**

The table below lists the documents submitted by the Applicant at Deadline 9.

<b>Document Reference</b>	<b>Document Title</b>	<b>Revision</b>
<b>Volume 1</b>		
1.4 (J)	Navigation Document (clean).pdf	J
1.4 (J)	Navigation Document (tracked).pdf	J
<b>Volume 2</b>		
2.3 (C)	Land Plans.pdf	C
2.9 (B)	Trees and Hedgerows to be Removed or Managed Plans.pdf	B
<b>Volume 3</b>		
3.1 (H)	Draft Development Consent Order (clean).pdf	H
3.1 (H)	Draft Development Consent Order (tracked).pdf	H
3.1 (H)	Draft Development Consent Order (SI template).docx	H

Document Reference	Document Title	Revision
3.2 (G)	Explanatory Memorandum (clean).pdf	G
3.2 (G)	Explanatory Memorandum (tracked).pdf	G
3.3 (B)	Validation Report for Development Consent Order.pdf	B
<b>Volume 4</b>		
4.2 (B)	Statement of Reasons (clean).pdf	B
4.2 (B)	Statement of Reasons (tracked).pdf	B
4.2.1 (B)	Statement of Reasons Appendix A - Details of Purpose for Which Compulsory Acquisition and Temporary Possession Powers are Sought (clean).pdf	B
4.2.1 (B)	Statement of Reasons Appendix A - Details of Purpose for Which Compulsory Acquisition and Temporary Possession Powers are Sought (tracked).pdf	B
4.2.2 (B)	Statement of Reasons Appendix B - Schedule of Negotiations with Land Interests.pdf	B
4.3 (F)	Book of Reference (clean).pdf	F
4.3 (F)	Book of Reference (tracked).pdf	F
<b>Volume 5</b>		
5.10 (C)	Arboricultural Impact Assessment (clean).pdf	C
5.10 (C)	Arboricultural Impact Assessment (tracked).pdf	C
<b>Volume 6</b>		
6.3.7.1.2 (B)	ES Appendix 7.1 Annex B Hintlesham Woods SSSI Assessment (clean).pdf	B
6.3.7.1.2 (B)	ES Appendix 7.1 Annex B Hintlesham Woods SSSI Assessment (tracked).pdf	B
6.3.7.8.1 (B)	ES Appendix 7.8 Annex A Dormouse Draft Licence.pdf	B
<b>Volume 7</b>		
7.3 (I)	Status of Statements of Common Ground (clean).pdf	I
7.3 (I)	Status of Statements of Common Ground (tracked).pdf	I

Document Reference	Document Title	Revision
7.3.1 (D)	Draft Statement of Common Ground Local Authorities (clean).pdf	D
7.3.1 (D)	Draft Statement of Common Ground Local Authorities (tracked).pdf	D
7.3.2 (F)	Statement of Common Ground Natural England (clean).pdf	F
7.3.2 (F)	Statement of Common Ground Natural England (tracked).pdf	F
7.3.6 (B)	Statement of Common Ground UK Power Networks (clean).pdf	B
7.3.6 (B)	Statement of Common Ground UK Power Networks (tracked).pdf	B
7.3.8 (C)	Statement of Common Ground Anglian Water (clean).pdf	C
7.3.8 (C)	Statement of Common Ground Anglian Water (tracked).pdf	C
7.5 (E)	Construction Environmental Management Plan (clean).pdf	E
7.5 (E)	Construction Environmental Management Plan (tracked).pdf	E
7.5.1 (D)	CEMP Appendix A Code of Construction Practice (clean).pdf	D
7.5.1 (D)	CEMP Appendix A Code of Construction Practice (tracked).pdf	D
7.5.2 (F)	CEMP Appendix B Register of Environmental Actions and Commitments (clean).pdf	F
7.5.2 (F)	CEMP Appendix B Register of Environmental Actions and Commitments (tracked).pdf	F
7.8 (D)	Landscape and Ecological Management Plan (clean).pdf	D
7.8 (D)	Landscape and Ecological Management Plan (tracked).pdf	D
7.8.1 (C)	LEMP Appendix A Vegetation Retention and Removal Plan.pdf	C
7.8.2 (D)	LEMP Appendix B Vegetation Reinstatement Plan.pdf	C
7.8.3 (C)	LEMP Appendix C - Planting Schedules (clean).pdf	C
7.8.3 (C)	LEMP Appendix C - Planting Schedules (tracked).pdf	C
7.10 (D)	Outline Written Scheme of Investigation (clean).pdf	D
7.10 (D)	Outline Written Scheme of Investigation (tracked).pdf	D
<b>Volume 8</b>		
8.3.6.1 (C)	Statement of Common Ground Royal Society for the Protection of Birds (RSPB) (clean) .pdf	C
8.3.6.1 (C)	Statement of Common Ground Royal Society for the Protection of Birds (RSPB) (tracked) .pdf	C

Document Reference	Document Title	Revision
8.3.6.2 (B)	Statement of Common Ground Cadent Gas Limited (clean).pdf	B
8.3.6.2 (B)	Statement of Common Ground Cadent Gas Limited (tracked).pdf	B
8.3.5 (E)	Schedule of Changes to the Book of Reference.pdf	E
8.4.2 (G)	Applicant's Schedule of Changes to the Draft Development Consent Order (clean).pdf	G
8.4.2 (G)	Applicant's Schedule of Changes to the Draft Development Consent Order (tracked).pdf	G
8.4.3 (C)	Errata List (clean).pdf	C
8.4.3 (C)	Errata List (tracked).pdf	C
8.4.4. (F)	Compulsory Acquisition and Temporary Possession Objections Schedule (clean).pdf	F
8.4.4 (F)	Compulsory Acquisition and Temporary Possession Objections Schedule (tracked).pdf	F
8.5.9 (B)	Technical Note on Noise Levels at Hintlesham Woods (clean).pdf	B
8.5.9 (B)	Technical Note on Noise Levels at Hintlesham Woods (tracked).pdf	B
8.7.8 (E)	Applicant's Protective Provisions and Commercial Side Agreements Tracking List (clean).pdf	E
8.7.8 (E)	Applicant's Protective Provisions and Commercial Side Agreements Tracking List (tracked).pdf	E
8.9.5 (C)	Temporary and Permanent Access Technical Note: Suffolk County Council (clean).pdf	C
8.9.5 (C)	Temporary and Permanent Access Technical Note: Suffolk County Council (tracked).pdf	C
8.11.1	Deadline 9 Cover Letter.pdf	A
8.11.2	Applicant's Comments on Host Authorities' Deadline 8 Letter.pdf	A
8.11.3	Applicant's Comments on Other Submissions Received at Deadline 8	A
8.11.4	Application under Section 138 Planning Act 2008 – Statutory Undertakers' & Telecommunications Operators' Rights and Apparatus.pdf	A
8.11.5.1	Application under Section 127 Planning Act 2008 – Pivoted Power LLP.pdf	A
8.11.5.2	Application under Section 127 Planning Act 2008 - East Anglia Three Limited.pdf	A
8.11.5.4	Application under Section 127 Planning Act 2008 – Anglian Water Limited.pdf	A

All updated documents are labelled as Revision (B), Revision (C) etc as applicable, and supersede the documents previously submitted by the Applicant.

Each of these updated documents includes a Version History table which outlines the amendments that have been made by the Applicant since the previous version was submitted. Where applicable, these documents are provided in clean and tracked versions as requested in the Rule 6 Letter [PD-002].

The Navigation Document (**Document 1.4 (J)**) has been updated to reflect the above submissions.

The Applicant also notes that:

- A Letter of No Impediment (LONI) was received from Natural England on 15 February 2024 based on the draft Dormouse License. The LONI can be found in the updated ES Appendix 7.8 Annex A Dormouse Draft Licence (**document 6.3.7.8.1 (B)**);
- The Applicant is not submitting an *Applicants' final standalone assessment of compliance with the Relevant NPSs* as per Examination Timetable set out at Annex A of the Rule 8 Letter dated 19 September 2023 [PD-003]. The Applicant submitted an updated Planning Statement [REP6-011] at Deadline 6 containing revised compliance tables in Appendix A and B and does not wish to make any further updates.

Should the ExA have any queries in relation to this letter, they are invited to contact Nuno Fernandes of Jacobs (nuno.fernandes@Jacobs.com) in the first instance.

Yours sincerely,



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