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The Secretary of State c/o The Planning Inspectorate Temple Quay House 2, The Square Bristol, BS1 6PN

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

11th March 2024

By email to: <u>bramfordtotwinstead@planninginspectorate.gov.uk</u> and by file transfer

Our Reference: Document 8.12.1 Your Reference: EN020002

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 10 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 10 (11 March 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 10 Submissions

The table below lists the documents submitted by the Applicant at Deadline 10.

| Document Reference | Document Title | Revision |
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| Volume 1 | | |
| 1.4 (K) | Navigation Document (clean).pdf | K |
| 1.4 (K) | Navigation Document (tracked).pdf | K |
| Volume 7 | | |
| 7.3 (J) | Status of Statements of Common Ground (clean).pdf | J |
| 7.3 (J) | Status of Statements of Common Ground (tracked).pdf | J |
| 7.3.1 (E) | Statement of Common Ground Local Authorities (clean).pdf | E |
| 7.3.1 (E) | Statement of Common Ground Local Authorities (tracked).pdf | Е |
| Volume 8 | | |
| 8.3.6.3 (D) | Statement of Common Ground TC East Anglia One OFTO Limited (clean) .pdf | D |
| 8.3.6.3 (D) | Statement of Common Ground TC East Anglia One OFTO Limited | D |



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| | (tracked) .pdf | |
| 8.3.6.4 (D) | Statement of Common Ground East Anglia Three Limited (clean).pdf | D |
| 8.3.6.4 (D) | Statement of Common Ground East Anglia Three Limited (tracked).pdf | D |
| 8.7.8 (F) | Applicant's Protective Provisions and Commercial Side Agreements Tracking List (clean).pdf | F |
| 8.7.8 (F) | Applicant's Protective Provisions and Commercial Side Agreements Tracking List (tracked).pdf | F |
| 8.12.1 | Deadline 10 Cover Letter.pdf | А |
| 8.12.2 | Applicant's Comments on Other Submissions Received at Deadline 9.pdf | А |
| 8.12.3 | Closing Statement.pdf | А |
| 8.12.4 | Final Position on Protective Provisions to benefit Network Rail Infrastructure Limited.pdf | А |

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 (K)) has been updated to reflect the above submissions.

The Final Position on Protective Provisions to benefit Network Rail Infrastructure Limited (**document 8.12.4**) is submitted in response to the Examining Authority's Rule 17 Letter to the Applicant dated 27 February 2024 **[PD-017]**. This is the only such submission made by the Applicant at Deadline 10 as protective provisions are not believed to be in dispute with any other Statutory Undertakers.

The Applicant has also submitted a Closing Statement (**document 8.12.3**) which draws together the Applicant's case on key issues at the close of the Examination.

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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For and on behalf of National Grid Electricity Transmission

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