

Deddf Cynllunio 2008

Adran 55 Derbyn Ceisiadau*

(Atodiad 3 [nodyn cyngor chwech: Paratoi a chyflwyno dogfennau cais](#))

(1) Bydd darpariaethau canlynol yr adran hon yn berthnasol pan fydd yr Ysgrifennydd Gwladol yn cael cais sy'n honni ei fod yn gais am orchymyn sy'n rhoi caniatâd datblygu.

(2) Bydd rhaid i'r Ysgrifennydd Gwladol, erbyn diwedd y cyfnod 28 niwrnod yn dechrau'r diwrnod ar ôl y diwrnod pan fydd yr Ysgrifennydd Gwladol yn cael y cais, benderfynu p'un ai derbyn y cais ai peidio.

(3) Caiff yr Ysgrifennydd Gwladol dderbyn y cais dim ond os yw ef neu hi yn dod i'r casgliad -

- (a) ei fod yn gais am orchymyn sy'n rhoi caniatâd datblygu,
- (b) [wedi'i ddileu]
- (c) bod angen caniatâd datblygu ar gyfer unrhyw un o'r datblygiadau y mae'r cais yn ymwneud â nhw,
- (d) [wedi'i ddileu]
- (e) bod yr Ymgeisydd, o ran cais arfaethedig sydd bellach yn gais swyddogol, wedi cydymffurfio â Phennod 2 Rhan 5 (y weithdrefn cyn-ymgeisio), a
- (f) bod y cais (gan gynnwys atodiadau) o safon sy'n foddhaol ym marn yr Ysgrifennydd Gwladol.

(4) Mae'n rhaid i'r Ysgrifennydd Gwladol, wrth benderfynu p'un a all ddod i'r casgliad yn is-adran (3)(e), roi ystyriaeth i'r canlynol -

- (a) yr adroddiad ymgynghori a dderbyniwyd o dan adran 37(3)(c),
- (b) unrhyw gynrychiolaeth digonolrwydd ymgynghori a dderbyniwyd gan yr Ysgrifennydd Gwladol oddi wrth ymgynghorai sy'n awdurdod lleol, ac
- (c) i ba raddau y mae'r Ymgeisydd wedi rhoi ystyriaeth i unrhyw gyfarwyddyd a roddwyd o dan adran 50.

(5) Yn is-adran (4) -

Mae "ymgynghorai sy'n awdurdod lleol" yn golygu -

- (a) awdurdod lleol yr ymgynghorwyd ag ef o dan adran 42(1)(b) ynglŷn â chais arfaethedig sydd bellach yn gais ffurfiol, neu
- (b) Awdurdod Llundain Fwyaf os ymgynghorwyd ag ef o dan adran 42(1)(c) ynglŷn â'r cais arfaethedig hwnnw;

Mae "cynrychiolaeth digonolrwydd ymgynghori" yn golygu cynrychiolaeth ynglŷn â ph'un a yw'r Ymgeisydd wedi cydymffurfio, o ran y cais arfaethedig hwnnw, â dyletswyddau'r Ymgeisydd o dan adrannau 42, 47 a 48.

(5A) Mae'n rhaid i'r Ysgrifennydd Gwladol, wrth benderfynu p'un a all ddod i'r casgliad yn is-adran (3)(f), roi ystyriaeth i'r graddau –

- a) y mae'r cais yn cydymffurfio â'r gofynion yn adran 37(3) (ffurf a chynnwys cais) ac unrhyw safonau a osodwyd o dan adran 37(5) a
- b) bod unrhyw gyfarwyddyd perthnasol a roddwyd o dan adran 37(4) wedi'i ddilyn mewn perthynas â'r cais.

(6) Os bydd yr Ysgrifennydd Gwladol yn derbyn y cais, rhaid iddo roi gwybod i'r Ymgeisydd fod y cais wedi'i dderbyn.

(7) Os bydd yr Ysgrifennydd Gwladol o'r farn na ellir derbyn y cais, rhaid iddo -

- (a) roi gwybod i'r Ymgeisydd am y penderfyniad, a
- (b) rhoi gwybod i'r Ymgeisydd am resymau'r Ysgrifennydd Gwladol dros y penderfyniad hwnnw.

(8) Os bydd yr Ymgeisydd yn addasu'r cais (neu'n addasu'r cais ymhellach) mewn ymateb, bydd is-adrannau (2) i (7) yn berthnasol i'r cais fel y'i haddaswyd.

* Adran 55 Deddf Cynllunio 2008 fel y'i diwygiwyd gan Ddeddf Lleoliaeth 2011

YMWADIAD – Mae hyn er gwybodaeth yn unig ac nid yw'n ddogfen gais ffurfiol. Rhestr wirio anstatudol ydyw i'w chwblhau gan yr Arolygiaeth Gynllunio (y Gyfarwyddiaeth Cynllunio Seilwaith). Nid yw ei chwblhau na hunanasesu gan yr Ymgeisydd o bwys yn ystod y cam derbyn.

DS: Gweler Cyfarwyddyd Ffurflen Gais yr Adran Cymunedau a Llywodraeth Leol am arweiniad ar sut i lenwi'r ffurflen gais a'r hyn y dylid ei gynnwys ynddi.

Adran 55 Derbyn Ceisiadau

Rhestr Wirio Cais Adran 55¹

Adran 55(2) Derbyn Ceisiadau				
1	O fewn 28 niwrnod (yn dechrau'r diwrnod ar ôl iddo gael y cais), rhaid i'r Ysgrifennydd Gwladol benderfynu p'un ai derbyn y cais ai peidio.	Dyddiad derbyn	Dyddiad disgwyl 28 niwrnod	Dyddiad y penderfyniad
		07 Medi 2018	05 Hydref 2018	04 Hydref 2018
Adran 55(3) – caiff yr Ysgrifennydd Gwladol dderbyn cais <u>dim ond</u> os yw ef neu hi yn dod i'r casgliad:-		Sylwadau'r Arolygiaeth Gynllunio		
Adran 55(3)(a) ac adran 55(3)(c) Ei fod yn gais am orchymyn sy'n rhoi caniatâd datblygu				
2	<p>A yw'r datblygiad yn brosiect seilwaith o arwyddocâd cenedlaethol² (NSIP) (neu a yw'n ffurfio rhan o NSIP); ac a yw'r cais yn datgan, ar yr olwg gyntaf, ei fod yn gais am orchymyn caniatâd datblygu³ (DCO) o dan Ddeddf Cynllunio 2008, neu eiriau cyfatebol? A yw'r cais yn nodi'r datblygiad y mae'n ymwneud ag ef (h.y. o fewn pa gategori neu categorïau yn adrannau 14-30 y mae cynllun y cais yn dod)?</p> <p>Os nad yw'r datblygiad yn dod o fewn y categorïau yn adrannau 14-30, a yw'r Ysgrifennydd Gwladol wedi rhoi cyfarwyddyd o dan adran 35 Deddf Cynllunio 2008 i'r datblygiad gael ei drin fel datblygiad y mae angen</p>	<p>Ydy.</p> <p>Mae'r datblygiad arfaethedig a amlinellir yn Atodlen 1 y DCO drafft (dDCO) (Dogfen 2.1) yn Brosiect Seilwaith o Arwyddocâd Cenedlaethol (NSIP), sef datblygiad sy'n disgyn o fewn y categorïau yn a14(1)(b) ac a16(1)(b) Deddf Cynllunio 2008.</p> <p>Mae hyn yn gyson â'r crynodeb o'r cynnig a ddarperir ym Mlwch 5 y Ffurflen Gais (Dogfen 1.3).</p>		

¹ Mae cyfeiriadau yn y ddogfen hon at yr Ysgrifennydd Gwladol yn cynnwys cyfeiriadau (lle y bo'n berthnasol) at Gyfarwyddiaeth Ceisiadau a Chynlluniau Mawr yr Arolygiaeth Gynllunio sy'n cyflawni swyddogaethau yn ymwneud â chaniatáu prosiectau seilwaith o arwyddocâd cenedlaethol ar ran yr Ysgrifennydd Gwladol

² Diffinnir NSIP yn gyffredinol yn adran 14 ac amlinellir y trothwyon manwl ar gyfer pob un o'r categorïau penodol yn adrannau 15-30

³ Mae angen caniatâd datblygu ar gyfer datblygiad i'r graddau y mae'r datblygiad yn NSIP neu'n ffurfio rhan o NSIP (adran 31 Deddf Cynllunio 2008)

	caniatâd datblygu ar ei gyfer?	
3	Crynodeb - adran 55(3)(a) ac adran 55(3)(c)	Darparwyd tystiolaeth ddigonol i ddangos bod y cais, fel y'i cyflwynwyd, yn gais am orchymyn yn rhoi caniatâd datblygu o dan Ddeddf Cynllunio 2008.
Adran 55(3)(e) Bod yr Ymgeisydd, o ran y cais a gyflwynwyd, wedi cydymffurfio â Phennod 2 Rhan 5 (y weithdrefn cyn-ymgeisio)		
4	Yn unol â'r Rheoliadau AEA ⁴ , a wnaeth yr Ymgeisydd (cyn cynnal ymgynghoriad yn unol ag adran 42) naill ai (a) ofyn i'r Ysgrifennydd Gwladol roi barn sgrinio mewn perthynas â'r datblygiad y mae'r cais yn ymwneud ag ef, neu (b) hysbysu'r Ysgrifennydd Gwladol yn ysgrifenedig ei fod yn bwriadu darparu datganiad amgylcheddol mewn perthynas â'r datblygiad hwnnw?	Do. Mae Atodiad 1.1 y Datganiad Amgylcheddol (Dogfen 5.1.2.1) yn darparu copi o lythyr gan yr Ymgeisydd, dyddiedig 23 Mai 2016, yn hysbysu'r Ysgrifennydd Gwladol yn ysgrifenedig ei fod yn bwriadu darparu Datganiad Amgylcheddol ar gyfer y datblygiad arfaethedig.
5	A dderbyniwyd unrhyw gynrychiolaethau digonolrwydd ymgynghori ⁵ gan awdurdodau "A", "B", "C" a "D"; os felly, a ydynt yn cadarnhau bod yr Ymgeisydd wedi cydymffurfio â'r dyletswyddau o dan adran 42, adran 47 ac adran 48?	Do. Mae saith awdurdod lletyol a chyfagos, y gwnaeth pedwar ohonynt ddarparu Cynrychiolaethau Digonolrwydd Ymgynghori: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cyngor Gwynedd (Awdurdod 'B') • Cyngor Sir Ynys Môn (Awdurdod 'B') • Cyngor Sir Ddinbych (Awdurdod 'A') • Cyngor Bwrdesitref Sir Conwy (Awdurdod 'A') Cadarnhaodd Cyngor Gwynedd ei fod o'r farn bod yr Ymgeisydd wedi ymgynghori'n ddigonol yn unol ag Adranau 42, 47 a 48 y Ddeddf, ond fe gynghorodd er bod mwyafrif y wybodaeth ar gael yn ystod y broses cyn gwneud cais, nid oes yr holl wybodaeth allweddol ar gael. Fodd bynnag, nododd ei fod yn ymddangos bod y

⁴ Rheoliad 8 Rheoliadau Cynllunio Seilwaith (Asesu Effeithiau Amgylcheddol) 2017 (Rheoliadau AEA 2017), neu Reoliad 6 Rheoliadau Cynllunio Seilwaith (Asesu Effeithiau Amgylcheddol) 2009 (Rheoliadau AEA 2009) (lle mae Rheoliad 37 Rheoliadau AEA 2017 yn berthnasol).

⁵ Mae adran 55(4) Deddf Cynllunio 2008 yn darparu bod rhaid i'r Ysgrifennydd Gwladol ystyried yr adroddiad ymgynghori, ac unrhyw gynrychiolaethau digonolrwydd ymgynghori a dderbyniwyd

	<p>wybodaeth hon bellach yn ffurfio rhan o'r cais.</p> <p>Cynghorodd Cyngor Sir Ynys Môn ei fod o'r farn bod yr Ymgeisydd wedi ymgynghori'n ddigonol yn unol â darpariaethau adrannau 42,47 a 48 y Ddeddf. Fodd bynnag, mae'n bryderus iawn ac yn siomedig na fu lefel y manylder mewn perthynas ag elfennau o'r cynnig mor ystyrlon ag y byddai wedi disgwyl ar brosiect o arwyddocâd cenedlaethol.</p> <p>Cynghorodd Cyngor Sir Ddinbych nad oedd o'r farn ei bod yn briodol rhoi sylwadau ar ddigonolrwydd ymgynghori, gan gyfeirio at bellter y datblygiad arfaethedig o'r sir.</p> <p>Cadarnhaodd Cyngor Bwrdeistref Sir Conwy nad oedd yn dymuno gwneud sylwadau ar y mater.</p> <p>Ystyriwyd y cynrychiolaethau digonolrwydd ymgynghori hyn yn ofalus, ac maent i'w gweld ar dudalen y prosiect (https://infrastructure.planninginspectorate.gov.uk/cy/projects/cysylltiad-gogledd-cymru/?ipcsection=docs) ar y wefan Cynllunio Seilwaith Cenedlaethol.</p> <p>Er bod yr Arolygiaeth yn nodi'r pryderon a fynegwyd ynghylch argaeledd dogfennau a gwybodaeth fanwl yn ystod y cyfnod cyn gwneud cais, mae o'r farn bod yr Ymgeisydd wedi cydymffurfio â'i rwymedigaethau o dan a42, a47 ac a48.</p>
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Adran 42: Dyletswydd i Ymgynghori

	A wnaeth yr Ymgeisydd ymgynghori â'r unigolion perthnasol a amlinellir yn adran 42 Deddf Cynllunio 2008 ynglŷn â'r cais arfaethedig?	
6	Adran 42(1)(a) unigolion rhagnodedig ⁶ ?	<p>Do.</p> <p>Darparodd yr Ymgeisydd restr o'r unigolion yr ymgynghorwyr â nhw o dan a42(1)(a) ar 4 Hydref 2016 yn Nhabl 8.1 yr Adroddiad Ymgynghori (Dogfen 6.1).</p> <p>Mae'r Arolygiaeth Gynllunio wedi nodi'r partïon canlynol, ar sail dehongliad rhagofalus o'r rheoliadau, nad yw'r Ymgeisydd wedi ymgynghori â nhw o dan a42:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Asiantaeth Gwarchod Pysgodfeydd yr Alban • Ymddiriedolaeth Harbwr Caernarfon

⁶ Amlinellir ymgynghoreion statudol yn Atodlen 1 Rheoliadau Cynllunio Seilwaith (Ceisiadau: Ffurflenni a Gweithdrefn Rhagnodedig) 2009

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dickies International (Port Penrhyn) • Energy Assets Networks Limited • Energy Assets Power Networks Limited • Fulcrum Electricity Assets Limited • G2 Energy IDNO Limited • Leep Electricity Networks Limited • Murphy Power Distribution Limited • Vattenfall Networks Limited • East West Cable One Limited <p>O ystyried amgylchiadau unigol yr achos hwn, a chan ddefnyddio dull rhagofalus er mwyn sicrhau y rhoddir cyfle i bawb y gallai'r cais effeithio arnynt, neu sy'n debygol o fod â buddiant ynddo, gyfranogi'n llawn yn yr archwiliad o'r cais, mae'r Arolygiaeth Gynllunio yn awgrymu efallai yr hoffai'r Ymgeisydd gynnwys y cyrff uchod ymhlith y rhai y bydd yn cyflwyno hysbysiad o'r cais a dderbyniwyd o dan a56(2)(a) Deddf Cynllunio 2008 iddynt, oni bai bod cyfiawnhad penodol pam nad oes angen gwneud hynny.</p>
7	Adran 42(1)(aa) y Sefydliad Rheoli Morol ⁷ ?	Nid yw'n berthnasol.
8	Adran 42(1)(b) pob awdurdod lleol o fewn adran 43 ⁸ ?	<p>Do.</p> <p>Mae'r Ymgeisydd wedi ymgynghori â phobl awdurdod lleol o fewn a42, fel y disgrifir yn Adran 7.3.19 yr Adroddiad Ymgynghori (Dogfen 6.1) ar 4 Hydref 2016 (Atodiad 18 yr Adroddiad Ymgynghori, Dogfen 6.2). Mae'r rhain fel a ganlyn:</p> <p>Awdurdodau Lletyol</p>

⁷ O ran unrhyw achos lle y byddai'r datblygiad arfaethedig yn effeithio ar unrhyw un o'r ardaloedd a nodir yn adran 42(2) Deddf Cynllunio 2008, neu a fyddai'n debygol o effeithio arnynt

⁸ Dyma'r diffiniad o "awdurdod lleol" yn adran 43(3): Yr awdurdod "B" lle mae tir yr Ymgeisydd o fewn ardal yr awdurdod; yr awdurdod "A" lle mae unrhyw ran o ffin ardal A hefyd yn rhan o ffin ardal B; yr awdurdod "C" (haen uwch) lle mae tir y cais o fewn ardal yr awdurdod hwnnw; yr awdurdod "D" lle mae awdurdod o'r fath yn rhannu ffin ag awdurdod "C"

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cyngor Sir Ynys Môn • Cyngor Gwynedd <p>Awdurdodau Cyfagos</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Awdurdod Parc Cenedlaethol Eryri • Cyngor Sir Powys • Cyngor Sir Ddinbych • Cyngor Sir Ceredigion • Cyngor Bwrdeistref Sirol Conwy
9	Adran 42(1)(c) Awdurdod Llundain Fwyaf (os yw yn ardal Llundain Fwyaf)?	Nid yw'n berthnasol.
10	Adran 42(1)(d) pob unigolyn o fewn un categori adran 44 neu fwy ⁹ ?	<p>Do.</p> <p>Mae'r Ymgeisydd wedi ymgynghori â phob unigolyn mewn un neu fwy o'r categorïau a44, fel y disgrifir yn Adran 9.1.12 yr Adroddiad Ymgynghori (Dogfen 6.1) ar 23 Hydref 2016 (Atodiad 18 yr Adroddiad Ymgynghori, Dogfen 6.2).</p> <p>Mae ymgynghori ychwanegol wedi'i dargedu ag unigolion yn a44 wedi'i amlinellu yn Nhabl 9.2 yr Adroddiad Ymgynghori (Dogfen 6.1). Darperir llythyrau enghreifftiol yn Atodiad 35 yr Adroddiad Ymgynghori (Dogfen 6.2).</p>
Adran 45: Amserlen ar gyfer Ymgynghoriad adran 42		
11	A oedd yr Ymgeisydd wedi hysbysu ymgynghoreion adran 42 o'r dyddiad cau ar gyfer derbyn ymatebion i'r ymgynghoriad; ac, os felly, a oedd y dyddiad cau a nodwyd gan yr Ymgeisydd yn rhoi 28 niwrnod neu fwy iddynt ymateb, yn dechrau y diwrnod ar ôl	<p>Oedd.</p> <p>Anfonwyd y llythyrau dyddiedig 3 a 4 Hydref 2016 at ymgynghoreion a42 ac roeddent yn cadarnhau dyddiad cau ar gyfer ymatebion, sef 16 Hydref 2016, sy'n fwy na 28 niwrnod ar ôl dyddiad y llythyr hysbysu a42 (Atodiadau 16-18 yr Adroddiad</p>

⁹ Categori 1: perchennog, deiliad prydles, tenant neu feddiannwr tir; Categori 2: unigolyn sydd â buddiant yn y tir neu sydd â'r pŵer i werthu a throsglwyddo'r tir neu ryddhau'r tir; Categori 3: unigolyn sydd â hawl i wneud hawliad perthnasol. Nid oes gofyniad i wirio cywirdeb y rhestr(au) na ph'un a yw'r Ymgeisydd wedi gwneud ymholiadau diwyd

	iddynt dderbyn y dogfennau ymgynghori?	Ymgynghori, Dogfen 6.2).
Adran 46: Dyletswydd i hysbysu'r Ysgrifennydd Gwladol o'r cais arfaethedig		
12	A gyflenwodd yr Ymgeisydd wybodaeth i hysbysu'r Ysgrifennydd Gwladol o'r cais arfaethedig; ac, os felly, a gyflwynwyd y wybodaeth i'r Ysgrifennydd Gwladol ar y dyddiad y'i hanfonwyd at yr ymgynghoreion adran 42 neu cyn hynny? A wnaed hyn wrth ddechrau ymgynghori o dan adran 42 neu cyn hynny?	Do. Anfonodd yr Ymgeisydd hysbysiad o dan a46 ar 3 Hydref 2016, a oedd cyn dechrau'r ymgynghoriad a42. Mae copi o'r llythyr dyddiedig 3 Hydref 2016 a'r dogfennau ymgynghori a anfonwyd at yr Ysgrifennydd Gwladol wedi'u cynnwys yn Atodiad 19 yr Adroddiad Ymgynghori (Dogfen 6.2).
Adran 47: Dyletswydd i ymgynghori â'r gymuned leol		
13	A baratôdd yr Ymgeisydd ddatganiad ymgynghori â'r gymuned (SoCC) ynglŷn â sut yr oedd yn bwriadu ymgynghori â phobl sy'n byw yng nghyffiniau'r tir?	Do. Lluniodd yr Ymgeisydd SoCC, sydd wedi'i gynnwys yn Atodiad 32 yr Adroddiad Ymgynghori (Dogfen 6.2).
14	A ymgynghorwyd ag awdurdodau "B" a (lle y bo'n berthnasol) "C" ynglŷn â chynnwys y SoCC; os felly, a oedd y terfyn amser ar gyfer derbyn ymatebion yn rhoi 28 niwrnod, yn dechrau y diwrnod ar ôl y diwrnod yr oedd awdurdodau "B" a (lle y bo'n berthnasol) "C" wedi derbyn y dogfennau ymgynghori?	Do. Mae Adran 10.3 yr Adroddiad Ymgynghori (Dogfen 6.1) yn cadarnhau yr ymgynghorwyd â'r Awdurdodau "B" lletyol, sef Cyngor Sir Ynys Môn a Chyngor Gwynedd, ynghylch y SoCC drafft. Nid oes unrhyw awdurdodau "C" yng Nghymru. Roedd y dyddiad cau ar gyfer rhoi sylwadau ar y SoCC drafft yn hwy na 28 niwrnod, ac fe gynhaliwyd o 9 Mai i 10 Mehefin 2016. Mae copïau o'r llythyron wedi'u cynnwys yn Atodiad 29 yr Adroddiad Ymgynghori (Dogfen 6.2).
15	A yw'r Ymgeisydd wedi rhoi ystyriaeth i unrhyw ymatebion a dderbyniwyd wrth baratoi'r SoCC?	Ydy. Mae Tablau 10.1 (ymatebion Cyngor Sir Ynys Môn) a 10.2 (ymatebion Cyngor Gwynedd) yn yr Adroddiad Ymgynghori (Dogfen 6.1) yn amlinellu'r sylwadau a

		wnaed gan yr awdurdodau lleetyl ynghylch paratoi'r SoCC. Mae'r tablau hefyd yn amlinellu sut mae'r Ymgeisydd wedi rhoi ystyriaeth i'r sylwadau.
16	A sicrhawyd bod y SoCC ar gael i'w archwilio mewn ffordd sy'n gymharol gyfleus i bobl sy'n byw yng nghyffiniau'r tir; ac a gyhoeddwyd hysbysiad mewn papur newydd sy'n cylchredeg yng nghyffiniau'r tir yn datgan ble a phryd y gellir archwilio'r SoCC?	<p>Do.</p> <p>Hysbysebwyd y SoCC ym mhapur newydd y Daily Post, sy'n cael ei gylchredeg yng nghyffiniau'r llwybr arfaethedig, ar 5 Hydref 2016; mae copi ohono wedi'i gynnwys yn Atodiad 20 yr Adroddiad Ymgynghori (Dogfen 6.2).</p> <p>Roedd y SoCC ar gael ym mhob un o'r digwyddiadau ymgynghori a gynhaliwyd ar draws llwybr y datblygiad arfaethedig, mewn mannau rhesymol o gyfleus i bobl sy'n byw yng nghyffiniau'r tir, yn Ynys Môn a Gwynedd. Roedd hefyd ar gael mewn lleoliadau lle'r oedd dogfennau ar gael i'r cyhoedd eu gweld, ar wefan y prosiect ac ar gofbinnau USB a ddarparwyd gan yr Ymgeisydd. Mae Tablau 10.3, 10.4, 10.5 a 10.6 yn yr Adroddiad Ymgynghori (Dogfen 6.1) yn rhestru'r lleoliadau lle'r oedd y SoCC ar gael i'w weld.</p>
17	A yw'r SoCC yn nodi p'un a yw'r datblygiad yn ddatblygiad AEA ¹⁰ ; ac a yw'n amlinellu sut mae'r Ymgeisydd yn bwriadu rhoi cyhoeddusrwydd i'r wybodaeth amgylcheddol ragarweiniol ac ymgynghori arni?	<p>Ydy.</p> <p>Mae tudalen 15 y SoCC, sydd wedi'i gynnwys yn Atodiad 32 yr Adroddiad Ymgynghori (Dogfen 6.2), yn esbonio bod y cynllun yn ddatblygiad AEA a sut mae'r Ymgeisydd yn bwriadu ymgynghori ar y wybodaeth amgylcheddol ragarweiniol.</p>
18	A yw'r Ymgeisydd wedi cynnal yr ymgynghoriad yn unol â'r SoCC?	<p>Ydy.</p> <p>Mae Adran 10.5 yr Adroddiad Ymgynghori (Dogfen 6.1) yn esbonio sut y cynhaliodd yr Ymgeisydd yr ymgynghoriad yn unol â'r SoCC terfynol, sydd ar gael yn Atodiad 32 yr Adroddiad Ymgynghori (Dogfen 6.2).</p>
Adran 48: Dyletswydd i roi cyhoeddusrwydd i'r cais arfaethedig		

¹⁰ Rheoliad 12 Rheoliadau AEA 2017, neu Reoliad 10 Rheoliadau AEA 2009 (Ile mae Rheoliad 37 Rheoliadau AEA 2017 yn berthnasol).

19	A roddodd yr Ymgeisydd gyhoeddusrwydd i'r cais arfaethedig, o dan adran 48, yn y modd a ragnodir yn Rheoliad 4(2) Rheoliadau Cynllunio Seilwaith (Ceisiadau: Ffurflenni a Gweithdrefn Ragnodedig) (CFfGR) 2009?	<p>Do.</p> <p>Mae'r Ymgeisydd wedi rhestru'r papurau newydd a dyddiadau cyhoeddusrwydd a48 ar dudalen 81 yr Adroddiad Ymgynghori (Dogfen 6.1), fel yr amlinellir isod:</p> <p>Darperir copïau o'r hysbysiadau papur newydd yn Atodiad 21 yr Adroddiad Ymgynghori (Dogfen 6.2).</p>	
		Papur(au) newyddion	Dyddiad
am ddwy wythnos yn olynol o leiaf mewn un papur newydd lleol neu fwy sy'n cylchredeg yn y cyffiniau y byddai'r datblygiad arfaethedig yn cael ei leoli ynddynt;		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Daily Post • North Wales Chronicle 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Daily Post rhwng 5 Hydref 2016 ac 12 Hydref 2016 • North Wales Chronicle rhwng 6 Hydref 2016 ac 13 Hydref 2016
unwaith mewn papur newydd cenedlaethol;		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Guardian 	5 Hydref 2016
unwaith yn Gazette Llundain ac, os yw'r datblygiad yn effeithio ar dir yn yr Alban, Gazette Caeredin; a		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • London Gazette 	5 Hydref 2016
lle mae'r cais arfaethedig yn ymwneud â datblygiad ar y môr – (i) unwaith yn Rhestr Lloyds; ac (ii) unwaith mewn cyfnodolyn masnach pysgota priodol?		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lloyd's List • Fishing News 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lloyd's List 5 Hydref 2016 • Fishing News 6 Hydref 2016
20	A oedd yr hysbysiad adran 48 yn cynnwys y wybodaeth sy'n ofynnol yn Rheoliad 4(3) y Rheoliadau CFfGR?	<p>Oedd.</p> <p>Mae copïau o'r hysbysiad a48 a gyhoeddwyd ar gael yn Atodiad 21 yr Adroddiad Ymgynghori (Dogfen 6.2) ac mae'n cynnwys y wybodaeth ofynnol fel yr amlinellir</p>	

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	Gwybodaeth	Paragraff		Gwybodaeth	Paragraff
a)	Enw a chyfeiriad yr Ymgeisydd.	Paragraff Rhif 1	b)	Datganiad bod yr Ymgeisydd yn bwriadu gwneud cais i'r Ysgrifennydd Gwladol am ganiatâd datblygu	Paragraff Rhif 1
c)	datganiad ynghylch p'un a yw'r cais yn ddatblygiad AEA	Paragraff Rhif 10	d)	crynodeb o'r prif gynigion, gan nodi lleoliad neu lwybr y datblygiad arfaethedig	Paragraff Rhif 2 i 7
e)	datganiad bod y dogfennau, y cynlluniau a'r mapiau sy'n dangos natur a lleoliad y datblygiad arfaethedig ar gael i'w harchwilio yn rhad ac am ddim yn y manau (gan gynnwys o leiaf un cyfeiriad yng nghyffiniau'r datblygiad arfaethedig) ac ar yr amserau a nodwyd yn yr hysbysiad	Paragraff Rhif 11	f)	y dyddiad olaf y bydd y dogfennau, y cynlluniau a'r mapiau hynny ar gael i'w harchwilio	Paragraff Rhif 11
g)	p'un a godir tâl am gopiâu o unrhyw un o'r dogfennau, y cynlluniau neu'r mapiau, a swm unrhyw dâl	Paragraff Rhif 12	h)	manylion sut i ymateb i'r cyhoeddusrwydd	Paragraff Rhif 13
i)	terfyn amser ar gyfer derbyn yr ymatebion hynny gan yr Ymgeisydd, nad yw'n llai na 28 niwrnod ar ôl dyddiad olaf cyhoeddi'r hysbysiad	Paragraff Rhif 14			
21	A oes unrhyw arsylwadau mewn perthynas â'r hysbysiad adran 48 a ddarparwyd uchod?				
	Nac oes.				

22	A anfonwyd copi o'r hysbysiad adran 48 at y cyrff ymgynghori AEA ac unrhyw unigolyn yr hysbyswyd yr Ymgeisydd amdano yn unol â'r Rheoliadau AEA ¹¹ ?	<p>Do.</p> <p>Anfonwyd yr hysbysiad a48 at y cyrff ymgynghori AEA a'r cyrff Rheoliad 9 ar 4 Hydref 2016, fel y cadarnhawyd ar dudalen 60 (rhes 2) a pharagraffau 12.2.6 – 12.2.7 yr Adroddiad Ymgynghori (Dogfen 6.1).</p> <p>Mae copïau o'r llythyron wedi'u cynnwys yn Atodiadau 16, 17 ac 18 yr Adroddiad Ymgynghori (Dogfen 6.2).</p>
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Adran 49: Dyletswydd i ystyried ymatebion i ymgynghori a chyhoedduswydd

23	A yw'r Ymgeisydd wedi rhoi ystyriaeth i unrhyw ymatebion perthnasol i'r ymgynghoriad adran 42, adran 47 ac adran 48?	<p>Ydy.</p> <p>Mae tablau 8.2 – 8.31 (ymgyngoreion rhagnodedig); 8.32 - 8.34 (awdurdodau lleol), 9.1 (unigolion â buddiant mewn tir), ac 11.1 – 11.13 (sefydliadau nad ydynt yn rhagnodedig) yn yr Adroddiad Ymgynghori (Dogfen 6.1) yn rhestru'r camau gweithredu a gymerwyd mewn perthynas â'r ymatebion a dderbyniwyd i'r ymgynghoriad. Mae'r ymatebion gan y gymuned leol wedi'u crynhoi ym mharagraffau 11.3.4 – 11.15.15.</p> <p>Mae adran 1.11 yr Adroddiad Ymgynghori (Dogfen 6.1) hefyd yn crynhoi'r prif newidiadau a wnaed i'r prosiect o ganlyniad i'r ymatebion a dderbyniwyd i'r ymgynghoriad. Mae hefyd wedi disgrifio yn adran 1.12 yr Adroddiad Ymgynghori (Dogfen 6.1) yr ystyriaeth a roddwyd i'r ymatebion nad arweiniodd at newid.</p> <p>Ymddengys bod y camau gweithredu wedi'u hadlewyrchu yn ffurf derfynol y cais a gyflwynwyd, a lle nad yw ymateb wedi arwain at newid i'r cais, mae'n ddigon amlwg y rhoddwyd ystyriaeth iddo.</p>
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Arweiniad ynglŷn â'r weithdrefn cyn-ymgeisio

¹¹ Rheoliad 13 Rheoliadau AEA 2017, neu Reoliad 11 Rheoliadau AEA 2009 (lle mae Rheoliad 37 Rheoliadau AEA 2017 yn berthnasol).

24	I ba raddau mae'r Ymgeisydd wedi rhoi ystyriaeth i arweiniad yr Adran Cymunedau a Llywodraeth Leol (DCLG) 'Deddf Cynllunio 2008: Arweiniad ar y broses cyn-ymgeisio' ¹² ?	Mae tabl 4.2 ('Sut mae National Grid wedi cydymffurfio ag arweiniad 'Deddf Cynllunio 2008: Arweiniad ar y broses cyn-ymgeisio' DCLG') yn yr Adroddiad Ymgynghori (Dogfen 6.1) yn esbonio sut mae'r Ymgeisydd wedi ystyried arweiniad DCLG ar y broses cyn-ymgeisio. Ar ôl ystyried y cais, ymddengys bod yr Ymgeisydd wedi ystyried arweiniad perthnasol DCLG.
25	Crynodeb – adran 55(3)(e)	Mae'r cais, fel y'i cyflwynwyd, wedi cydymffurfio â Phennod 2 Rhan 5 (gweithdrefn cyn-ymgeisio). Cydymffurfiwyd â'r holl ddyletswyddau perthnasol.
Adran 55(3)(f) ac Adran 55(5A) Bod y cais (gan gynnwys atodiadau) o safon foddhaol o ystyried i ba raddau y mae'n cydymffurfio ag adran 37(3) (ffurf a chynnwys cais) ac unrhyw safonau a osodwyd o dan adran 37(5) ac yn dilyn unrhyw arweiniad perthnasol o dan adran 37(4)		
26	A yw wedi'i lunio gan ddilyn y ffurf ragnodedig a amlinellir yn Atodiad 2 y Rheoliadau CFfGR, ac a yw'n cynnwys: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • datganiad byr sy'n esbonio pam mae'n dod o fewn cylch gorchwyl yr Ysgrifennydd Gwladol; a • datganiad byr sy'n nodi'n glir lleoliad safle'r cais, neu'r llwybr os yw'n gynllun llinol? 	Ydy. Mae Blwch 4 y Ffurflen Gais (Dogfen 1.3) yn esbonio pam y mae'r datblygiad yn dod o fewn cylch gorchwyl yr Ysgrifennydd Gwladol. Mae Blwch 5 y Ffurflen Gais (Dogfen 1.3) yn darparu disgrifiad annhechnegol byr o'r prosiect. Mae Blwch 6 y Ffurflen Gais (Dogfen 1.3) yn darparu llwybr y cynnig. Darparwyd Cynllun Cyffredinol o'r Lleoliad (Dogfen 4.0.1) sy'n dangos y llwybr yn ei gyfanrwydd o isbwerdy Wylfa i isbwerdy Pentir.
27	A gyflwynwyd adroddiad ymgynghori gydag ef?	Do. Mae Adroddiad Ymgynghori (Dogfen 6.1) ac Atodiadau'r Adroddiad Ymgynghori (Dogfen 6.2) yn cyd-fynd â'r cais.

¹² Mae'n rhaid i'r Ysgrifennydd Gwladol roi ystyriaeth i'r graddau y mae'r Ymgeisydd wedi rhoi ystyriaeth i'r arweiniad a gyhoeddwyd o dan adran 50

28	Lle mae cynllun yn cynnwys tair dalen ar wahân neu fwy, a ddarparwyd cynllun allwedd sy'n dangos y berthynas rhwng y gwahanol ddalenni? ¹³	Do.			
29	A gyflwynwyd y dogfennau a'r wybodaeth a amlinellir yn Rheoliad CFfGR 5(2) gydag ef?	Do. Mae'r dogfennau a'r wybodaeth sydd eu hangen dan reoliad 5(2) CFfGR wedi'u hamlinellu yn y dogfennau a'r manau yn y cais a restrir isod:			
Gwybodaeth		Dogfen	Gwybodaeth		Dogfen
a)	Lle y bo'n berthnasol, y datganiad amgylcheddol sy'n ofynnol o dan y Rheoliadau AEA ¹⁴ ac unrhyw farn neu gyfarwyddyd cwmpasu neu sgrinio	Cyfrol 5 (Dogfennau 5.0-5.30)	b)	Y gorchymyn arfaethedig drafft	Gorchymyn Caniatâd Datblygu Drafft (Dogfen 2.1)
	A yw hwn o safon foddhaol?	Ydy (â mân anghysondebau, fel y nodwyd ym Mlwch 30).		A yw hwn o safon foddhaol?	Ydy.
c)	Memorandwm esboniadol yn esbonio diben ac effaith darpariaethau yn y gorchymyn drafft	Memorandwm Esboniadol (Dogfen 2.2)	d)	Lle y bo'n berthnasol, llyfr cyfeirio (lle mae'r cais yn ymwneud ag unrhyw gaffael gorfodol)	Llyfr Cyfeirio (Dogfen 3.3)
	A yw hwn o safon foddhaol?	Ydy.		A yw hwn o safon foddhaol?	Ydy.
e)	Copi o unrhyw asesiad perygl llifogydd	Cyfrol 1 (Dogfen 5.12.2.1) – Asesiad Canlyniad Llifogydd	f)	Datganiad ynghylch p'un a yw'r cynnig yn ymwneud ag un neu fwy o'r materion a amlinellir yn adran 79(1) Deddf Diogelu'r Amgylchedd 1990 (niwsans statudol) ac, os felly, sut mae'r Ymgeisydd yn bwriadu eu lliniaru neu gyfyngu	Datganiad Niwsans Statudol (Dogfen 5.24)

¹³ Rheoliad 5(4) Rheoliadau Cynllunio Seilwaith (Ceisiadau: Ffurflenni a Gweithdrefn Ragnodedig) 2009

¹⁴ Rheoliadau AEA 2017, neu Reoliadau AEA 2009 (lle mae Rheoliad 37 Rheoliadau AEA 2017 yn berthnasol)

		<p>Cyffredinol (FCA)</p> <p>Cyfrol 2 (Dogfen 5.12.2.2) Aseiad Canlyniad Llifogydd Estyniad Isbwerdy Pentir</p> <p>Cyfrol 3 (Dogfen 5.12.2.3) Aseiad Canlyniad Llifogydd Tai Pen Twnnel a Chaeadloedd Selio Ceblau</p> <p>Cyfrol 4 (Dogfen 5.12.2.4) Aseiad Canlyniad Llifogydd Llinell Uwchben.</p>		arnynt	
	A yw hwn o safon foddhaol?	Ydy.		A yw hwn o safon foddhaol?	Ydy.
h)	Datganiad o resymau a datganiad ariannu (lle mae'r cais yn ymwneud ag unrhyw gaffael gorfodol)	<p>Datganiad o Resymau (Dogfen 3.1)</p> <p>Datganiad Ariannu (Dogfen 3.2)</p>	i)	<p>Cynllun tir sy'n amlygu'r canlynol:-</p> <p>(i) y tir sy'n ofynnol ar gyfer y datblygiad arfaethedig, neu y bydd y datblygiad arfaethedig yn effeithio arno;</p> <p>(ii) lle y bo'n berthnasol, unrhyw dir y bwriedir arfer pwerau caffael gorfodol drosto neu unrhyw hawliau i ddefnyddio'r tir;</p> <p>(iii) unrhyw dir y bwriedir dileu hawddfrentiau, ymrwymadau caeth a hawliau preifat eraill mewn perthynas ag ef; ac</p>	Dogfen 4.2

			(iv) ac unrhyw dir categori arbennig a thir cyfnewid		
	A yw hwn o safon foddhaol?	Ydy.	A yw hwn o safon foddhaol?	Ydy.	
j)	Cynllun gwaith sy'n dangos, mewn perthynas â nodweddion presennol:- (i) lleoliad arfaethedig neu (o ran cynllun llinol) lwybr ac aliniad arfaethedig y datblygiad a'r gwaith; (ii) a'r terfynau ar gyfer cynnal y datblygiad a'r gwaith ac unrhyw derfynau gwyro a ddarperir yn y gorchymyn drafft	Dogfen 4.4	k)	Lle y bo'n berthnasol, cynllun sy'n amlygu unrhyw ffordd fynediad newydd neu wedi'i newid, cau strydoedd neu ffyrdd neu unrhyw achosion o ddargyfeirio, diddymu neu greu hawliau tramwy neu hawliau mordwyo cyhoeddus	Dogfen 4.5
	A yw hwn o safon foddhaol?	Ydy.	A yw hwn o safon foddhaol?	Ydy.	
l)	Lle y bo'n berthnasol, cynllun gyda gwybodaeth gysylltiedig sy'n amlygu:- (i) unrhyw safleoedd neu nodweddion cadwraeth natur statudol/anstatudol e.e. safleoedd o bwysigrwydd daearegol/tirwedd; (ii) cynefinoedd rhywogaethau a warchodir, cynefinoedd pwysig neu nodweddion bioamrywiaeth eraill; ac (iii) ardaloedd dŵr mewn cynllun rheoli basn afon, ynghyd ag asesiad o unrhyw effeithiau y mae'r datblygiad arfaethedig yn debygol o'u cael ar safleoedd, nodweddion, cynefinoedd neu ardaloedd o'r fath	(i) Safleoedd neu nodweddion cadwraeth natur statudol/anstatudol – wedi'u dangos ar Ddogfen 4.7-Setiau lluniadau 4.7.A – 4.7.F, Ffigurau 5.9.1.1 i 5.9.1.4 a Ffigur 5.9.1.5. Darperir asesiad o'r effeithiau yn Nogfen 5.9, Dogfen 5.11 a Dogfen 5.23. Dynodiadau tirwedd – wedi'u dangos ar Ddogfen 4.6 –	m)	Lle y bo'n berthnasol, cynllun gyda gwybodaeth gysylltiedig sy'n amlygu unrhyw safleoedd neu nodweddion amgylchedd hanesyddol statudol/anstatudol (e.e. henebion cofrestredig, safleoedd Treftadaeth y Byd, adeiladau rhestredig, safleoedd archaeolegol a meysydd brwydr cofrestredig) ynghyd ag asesiad o unrhyw effeithiau y mae'r datblygiad arfaethedig yn debygol o'u cael ar safleoedd, nodweddion neu adeileddau o'r fath	Dangosir yn Ffigurau 5.10.1.1, 5.10.1.2 a Dogfen 4.10. Darperir asesiad o'r effeithiau yn Nogfen 5.10.

	<p>Nodweddion Amgylcheddol Eraill, Setiau Iluniadau 4.6.A – 4.6.F. Darperir asesiad o'r effeithiau yn Nogfen 5.7 – Asesiad o'r Dirwedd a Dogfen 5.8 – Asesiad Gweledol.</p> <p>Cynlluniau Cynefinoedd a lleoliadau rhywogaethau a warchodir a gadarnhawyd - wedi'i dangos ar Ddogfen 4.8 - Setiau Iluniadau 4.8.A - 4.8.F a Dogfen 4.9. Darperir asesiad o'r effeithiau yn Nogfen 5.9 - Ecoleg a Chadwraeth Natur.</p> <p>Coed sydd wedi'u cwmpasu gan Orchymyn Gwarchod Coed, Coetiroedd Hynafol a Pherthi Pwysig o dan delerau Rheoliadau Perthi 1997 – wedi'u</p>			
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		dangos ar Ddogfen 4.11 – Cynlluniau Coed a Pherthi y Gellir Effeithio Arnynt – Setiau Iluniadau 4.11.A – 4.11.F. Darperir asesiad o'r effaith yn Nogfen 5.7. Cyrff dŵr mewn cynllun rheoli basn afon – wedi'u dangos ar Ddogfen 4.7 – Setiau Iluniadau 4.7.A – 4.7.F. Darperir asesiad o'r effeithiau yn Nogfen 5.12.2.5.			
	A yw hwn o safon foddhaol?	Ydy.		A yw hwn o safon foddhaol?	Ydy.
n)	Lle y bo'n berthnasol, cynllun gydag unrhyw wybodaeth gysylltiedig sy'n amlygu unrhyw dir y Goron	Cynlluniau Tir y Goron a Thir mewn Categori Arbennig (Dogfen 4.3).	o)	Unrhyw gynlluniau, lluniadau a thrychiadau eraill sy'n angenrheidiol i ddisgrifio'r cynnig ar gyfer caniatâd datblygu sy'n dangos manylion dylunio, golwg allanol, a gosodiad delfrydol adeiladau/adeileddau, draenio, rheoli dŵr wyneb, dull mynediad i gerbydau a cherddwyr, ac unrhyw le parcio a thirweddu	Lluniadau Dylunio (Dogfen 4.13) Cynlluniau Coed a Pherthi y Gellir Effeithio Arnynt (Dogfen 4.11) Cynlluniau Gorchymyn Rheoleiddio Traffig (Dogfen 4.12)
	A yw hwn o safon foddhaol?	Nid yw'n		A ydynt o safon foddhaol?	Ydynt.

		berthnasol.			
p)	Unrhyw un o'r dogfennau a ragnodir gan Reoliad 6 y Rheoliadau CFfGR:	Nid yw'n berthnasol.	q)	Unrhyw ddogfennau eraill yr ystyrir eu bod yn angenrheidiol i ategu'r cais.	Mae Adran 23 y Ffurflen Gais (Dogfen 1.3) yn rhestru'r dogfennau eraill yr ystyrir eu bod yn angenrheidiol i ategu'r cais.
	A ydynt o safon foddhaol?	Nid yw'n berthnasol.		A ydynt o safon foddhaol?	Ydynt.
30	<p>A oes unrhyw arsylwadau mewn perthynas â'r dogfennau a ddarparwyd uchod?</p> <p><i>Crynodeb byr o'r sylw perthnasol a wnaed ym MIwch 29</i></p> <p>Rheoliad 5(2)(a)</p> <p>Nid yw'r Ymgeisydd wedi darparu copi o Farn Gwmpasu'r Ysgrifennydd Gwladol. Fodd bynnag, mae Adran 3 pob un o'r penodau ar agweddau technegol yn y DA (Dogfennau 5.7 - 5.18) yn amlinellu sut yr aethpwyd i'r afael â'r materion a godwyd yn y Farn Gwmpasu. Ar ben hynny, darperir crynodeb o'r holl faterion a godwyd yn y Farn Gwmpasu a lle yr aethpwyd i'r afael â nhw yn y DA yn Atodiad 5.1 y DA (Dogfen 5.5.2.1).</p> <p>Mae'r Farn Gwmpasu ar gael ar dudalen y prosiect ar wefan yr Arolygiaeth Gynllunio: https://infrastructure.planninginspectorate.gov.uk/projects/wales/north-wales-connection/?ipcsection=docs&stage=1&filter1=Environmental+Impact+Assessment</p>				
31	A yw'r cais yn cynnwys adroddiad sy'n amlygu unrhyw safle(oedd) Ewropeaidd y mae rheoliad 48 Rheoliadau Cadwraeth (Cynefinoedd Naturiol ac ati) 1994 yn berthnasol iddo/iddynt; neu unrhyw safle(oedd) Ramsar y gallai'r datblygiad arfaethedig effeithio arno/arnynt, ynghyd â digon o wybodaeth a fydd yn galluogi'r Ysgrifennydd Gwladol i wneud asesiad priodol o'r goblygiadau i'r safle os yw'n ofynnol gan	<p>Ydy.</p> <p>Darperir Adroddiad yr Asesiad Rheoliadau Cynefinoedd yn Adroddiad Asesiad Rheoliadau Cynefinoedd y Datganiad Amgylcheddol (Dogfen 5.23).</p> <p>Mae'r adroddiad yn amlygu safleoedd Ewropeaidd perthnasol a'r effeithiau tebygol ar y safleoedd hynny. Ystyrir bod y wybodaeth a ddarparwyd yn yr adroddiad yn ddigonol i'w derbyn.</p>			

	reoliad 48(1)? ¹⁵	Sylwer: gall yr Awdurdod Archwilio ofyn cwestiynau yn ystod yr archwiliad. Gallai hyn olygu y gallai fod angen gwybodaeth ychwanegol i lywio adroddiad yr Asesiad Rheoliadau Cynefinoedd a'r awdurdod cymwys. Yn dibynnu ar y math o wybodaeth sydd ei hangen a'i hargaeledd, efallai na fydd yn bosibl ei chael yn ystod amserlen statudol yr archwiliad.
32	Os yw'r Ysgrifennydd Gwladol yn gofyn amdanynt, dau gopi papur o'r ffurflen gais a dogfennau a chynlluniau ategol eraill ¹⁶	Gofynnodd yr Arolygiaeth Gynllunio am un copi papur o ddogfennau'r cais, ac fe'u cyflenwyd gan yr Ymgeisydd.
33	A yw'r Ymgeisydd wedi rhoi ystyriaeth i arweiniad y DCLG 'Deddf Cynllunio 2008: Arweiniad ar lenwi ffurflen gais', ac a yw hyn wedi golygu bod y cais wedi cael ei baratoi i safon sy'n dderbyniol ym marn yr Ysgrifennydd Gwladol?	Ydy. Ymddengys bod y cais yn cydymffurfio'n gyffredinol â'r Arweiniad, ac mae'r Arolygiaeth Gynllunio'n fodlon bod yr Ymgeisydd wedi ystyried yr Arweiniad.
34	Crynodeb – adran 55(3)(f) ac adran 55(5A)	Mae'r Arolygiaeth Gynllunio o'r farn bod y cais a gyflwynwyd yn cydymffurfio â gofynion a55(3)(f) ac wedi rhoi ystyriaeth i a55(5A), a daw i'r casgliad bod y cais o safon foddhaol i symud ymlaen i'r archwiliad.
Rheoliadau Cynllunio Seilwaith (Ffioedd) 2010 (SI106)		
Ffioedd i gyd-fynd â chais		
35	A dalwyd y ffi yr un pryd ag y cyflwynwyd y cais ¹⁷ ?	Derbyniwyd y Ffi Ymgeisio cyn i'r cais gael ei gyflwyno.

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¹⁵ Rheoliad 5(2)(g) Rheoliadau Cynllunio Seilwaith (Ceisiadau: Ffurflenni a Gweithdrefn Ragnodedig) 2009

¹⁶ Rheoliad 5(2)(r) Rheoliadau Cynllunio Seilwaith (Ceisiadau: Ffurflenni a Gweithdrefn Ragnodedig) 2009

¹⁷ Mae'n rhaid i'r Ysgrifennydd Gwladol godi ffi ar yr Ymgeisydd mewn perthynas â'r penderfyniad gan yr Ysgrifennydd Gwladol o dan adran 55. Os na fydd yr Ymgeisydd yn talu'r ffi, ni fydd angen i'r Ysgrifennydd Gwladol ystyried y cais hyd nes y bydd yn derbyn y taliad. Mae'n rhaid talu'r ffi yr un pryd ag y cyflwynir y cais.

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The Planning Act 2008

Section 55 Acceptance of Applications*

(Appendix 3 of [advice note six: Preparation and submission of application documents](#))

- (1) The following provisions of this section apply where the Secretary of State receives an application that purports to be an application for an order granting development consent.
- (2) The Secretary of State must, by the end of the period of 28 days beginning with the day after the day on which the Secretary of State receives the application, decide whether or not to accept the application.
- (3) The Secretary of State may accept the application only if the Secretary of State concludes -
 - (a) that it is an application for an order granting development consent,
 - (b) deleted
 - (c) that development consent is required for any of the development to which the application relates,
 - (d) deleted
 - (e) that the Applicant has, in relation to a proposed application that has become the application, complied with Chapter 2 of Part 5 (pre-application procedure), and
 - (f) that the application (including accompaniments) is of a standard that the Secretary of State considers satisfactory.
- (4) The Secretary of State, when deciding whether the Secretary of State may reach the conclusion in subsection (3)(e), must have regard to -
 - (a) the consultation report received under section 37(3)(c),
 - (b) any adequacy of consultation representation received by the Secretary of State from a local authority consultee, and
 - (c) the extent to which the Applicant has had regard to any guidance issued under section 50.
- (5) In subsection (4) -

“local authority consultee” means -

 - (a) a local authority consulted under section 42(1)(b) about a proposed application that has become the application, or

- (b) the Greater London Authority if consulted under section 42(1)(c) about that proposed application;

“adequacy of consultation representation” means a representation about whether the Applicant complied, in relation to that proposed application, with the Applicant’s duties under sections 42, 47 and 48.

(5A) The Secretary of State when deciding whether the Secretary of State may reach the conclusion in subsection (3)(f) must have regard to the extent to which –

- a) the application complies with the requirements in section 37(3) (form and contents of application) and any standards set under section 37(5) and
- b) any applicable guidance given under section 37(4) has been followed in relation to the application.

(6) If the Secretary of State accepts the application, the Secretary of State must notify the Applicant of the acceptance.

(7) If the Secretary of State is of the view that the application cannot be accepted, the Secretary of State must -

- (a) notify that view to the Applicant, and
- (b) notify the Applicant of the Secretary of State’s reasons for that view.

(8) If in response the Applicant modifies (or further modifies) the application, subsections (2) to (7) then apply in relation to the application as modified.

* Section 55 of the Planning Act 2008 as amended by the Localism Act 2011

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NB: See DCLG Application Form Guidance for guidance on how the application form should be completed and what should be included with it.

Section 55 Application Checklist¹

Section 55(2) Acceptance of Applications				
1	Within 28 days (starting day after receipt) the Secretary of State must decide whether or not to accept the application.	Date received	28 day due date	Date of decision
		07 September 2018	05 October 2018	04 October 2018
Section 55(3) – the Secretary of State may <u>only</u> accept an application if the Secretary of State concludes that:-		Planning Inspectorate Comments		
s55(3)(a) and s55(3)(c) It is an application for an order granting development consent				
2	Is the development a nationally significant infrastructure project ² (NSIP) (or does it form part of an NSIP); and does the application state on the face of it that it is an application for a development consent order ³ (DCO) under the Planning Act 2008 (the PA2008), or equivalent words? Does the application specify the development to which it relates (i.e. which category or categories in ss14-30 does the application scheme fall)? If the development does not fall within the categories in	<p>Yes.</p> <p>The proposed development set out in Schedule 1 of the draft DCO (dDCO) (Doc 2.1) is a Nationally Significant Infrastructure Project (NSIP), which is a development falling within the categories in s14(1)(b) and s16(1)(b) of the PA2008.</p> <p>This is consistent with the summary of the proposal which is provided in Box 5 of the Application Form (Doc 1.3).</p>		

¹ References in this document to the Secretary of State include references (where applicable) to the Planning Inspectorate Major Applications and Plans Directorate which carries out functions related to consenting nationally significant infrastructure projects on behalf of the Secretary of State

² NSIP is defined generally in s14 with the detailed thresholds for each of the specified categories being set out in ss15-30

³ Development consent is required for development to the extent that the development is or forms part of an NSIP (s31 of the PA2008)

	ss14-30, has a direction been given by the Secretary of State under s35 of the PA2008 for the development to be treated as development for which development consent is required?	
3	Summary – s55(3)(a) and s55(3)(c)	Sufficient evidence has been provided to demonstrate that the application as submitted is an application for an order granting development consent under the PA2008.
s55(3)(e) The Applicant in relation to the application made has complied with Chapter 2 of Part 5 (pre-application procedure)		
4	In accordance with the EIA Regulations ⁴ , did the Applicant (prior to carrying out consultation in accordance with s42) either (a) request the Secretary of State to adopt a screening opinion in respect of the development to which the application relates, or (b) notify the Secretary of State in writing that it proposed to provide an environmental statement in respect of that development?	Yes. Appendix 1.1 of the Environmental Statement (Doc 5.1.2.1) provides a copy of a letter from the Applicant, dated 23 May 2016, notifying the Secretary of State in writing that it proposed to provide an Environmental Statement for the proposed development.
5	Have any adequacy of consultation representations ⁵ been received from “A”, “B”, “C” and “D” authorities; and if so do they confirm that the Applicant has complied with the duties under s42, s47 and s48?	Yes. There are seven host and neighbouring authorities, of which four provided Adequacy of Consultation Representations (AoCR): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gwynedd Council (‘B’ Authority) • Isle of Anglesey County Council (‘B’ Authority) • Denbighshire County Council (‘A’ Authority)

⁴ Regulation 8 of The Infrastructure Planning (Environmental Impact Assessment) Regulations 2017 (2017 EIA Regulations), or Regulation 6 of The Infrastructure Planning (Environmental Impact Assessment) Regulations 2009 (2009 EIA Regulations) (where Regulation 37 of the 2017 EIA Regulations applies).

⁵ S55(4) of the PA2008 provides that the Secretary of State must have regard to the consultation report, and any adequacy of consultation representations received

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Conwy County Borough Council ('A' Authority) <p>Gwynedd Council confirmed that they consider the Applicant adequately consulted in accordance with Sections 42, 47 and 48 of the Act but advised that whilst the majority of the relevant information was available during the pre-application process not all of this key information was available. However they noted that it appears that this information now forms part of the application.</p> <p>Isle of Anglesey County Council advised that they consider the Applicant has adequately consulted in accordance with the provisions of sections 42, 47 and 48 of the Act. However they are very concerned and disappointed that the level of detail provided in respect of the elements of the proposal has not been as meaningful as they would have expected on a project of national significance.</p> <p>Denbighshire County Council advised that it did not consider it appropriate to comment on the adequacy of the consultation, referring to the distance of the proposed development from the county.</p> <p>Conwy County Borough Council confirmed that it did not wish to comment on the matter.</p> <p>These AoCRs have been carefully considered and are available to view on the project page (https://infrastructure.planninginspectorate.gov.uk/projects/wales/north-wales-connection/?ipcsection=docs) of the National Infrastructure Planning website.</p> <p>Whilst noting the concerns raised relating to the availability of documents and detailed information during the pre-application stage the Inspectorate is of the view that the Applicant has complied with its obligations under s42, s47 and s48.</p>
s42: Duty to Consult		
	Did the Applicant consult the applicable persons set out in s42 of the PA2008 about the proposed application?	

6	s42(1)(a) persons prescribed ⁶ ?	<p>Yes.</p> <p>The Applicant provided a list of persons consulted under s42(1)(a) on 4 October 2016 at Table 8.1 of the Consultation Report (Doc 6.1).</p> <p>The Planning Inspectorate has identified the following parties based on a precautionary interpretation of the regulations that have not been consulted by the Applicant under s42:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Scottish Fisheries Protection Agency • Caernarfon Harbour Trust (Caernarfon Harbour Master was consulted) • Dickies International (Port Penrhyn) • Energy Assets Networks Limited • Energy Assets Power Networks Limited • Fulcrum Electricity Assets Limited • G2 Energy IDNO Limited • Leep Electricity Networks Limited • Murphy Power Distribution Limited • Vattenfall Networks Limited • East West Cable One Limited <p>Given the individual circumstances of this case, and taking a precautionary approach to ensure that all persons potentially affected by, or potentially likely to have an interest in, the application are given the opportunity to participate fully in the examination of the application, the Planning Inspectorate suggests that the Applicant may wish to include the above bodies amongst those on whom they serve notice of the accepted application under s56(2)(a) of PA2008 unless there is a specific justification why this is</p>
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⁶ Statutory consultees set out in Schedule 1 of The Infrastructure Planning (Applications: Prescribed Forms and Procedure) Regulations 2009

		not necessary.
7	s42(1)(aa) the Marine Management Organisation ⁷ ?	Not Applicable.
8	s42(1)(b) each local authority within s43 ⁸ ?	<p>Yes.</p> <p>The Applicant has consulted each local authority within s43 as described in Section 7.3.19 of the Consultation Report (Doc 6.1) on 4 October 2016 (Appendix 18 of the Consultation Report, Doc 6.2). These are:</p> <p>Host Authorities</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Isle of Anglesey County Council • Gwynedd Council <p>Neighbouring Authorities</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Snowdonia National Park Authority • Powys County Council • Denbighshire County Council • Ceredigion County Council • Conwy County Borough Council
9	s42(1)(c) the Greater London Authority (if in Greater London area)?	Not applicable.

⁷ In any case where the proposed development would affect, or would be likely to affect, any of the areas specified in s42(2) of the PA2008

⁸ Definition of “local authority” in s43(3): The “B” authority where the application land is in the authority’s area; the “A” authority where any part of the boundary of A’s area is also a part of the boundary of B’s area; the “C” authority (upper tier) where the application land is in that authority’s area; the “D” authority where such an authority shares a boundary with a “C” authority

10	s42(1)(d) each person in one or more of s44 categories ⁹ ?	<p>Yes.</p> <p>The Applicant has consulted each person in one or more s44 categories as described in Section 9.1.12 of the Consultation Report (Doc 6.1) on 3 October 2016 (Appendix 18 of the Consultation Report, Doc 6.2).</p> <p>Additional targeted consultation with persons within s44 is set out in Table 9.2 of the Consultation Report (Doc 6.1). Sample letters are provided at Appendix 35 of the Consultation Report (Doc 6.2).</p>
s45: Timetable for s42 Consultation		
11	Did the Applicant notify s42 consultees of the deadline for receipt of consultation responses; and if so was the deadline notified by the Applicant 28 days or more starting with the day after receipt of the consultation documents?	<p>Yes.</p> <p>The letters dated 3 and 4 October 2016 were sent to s42 consultees and confirm a deadline of responses being 16 December 2016, which is more than 28 days after the date of the s42 notification letter (Appendices 16-18 of the Consultation Report, Doc 6.2).</p>
s46: Duty to notify Secretary of State of proposed application		
12	Did the Applicant supply information to notify the Secretary of State of the proposed application; and if so was the information supplied to the Secretary of State on or before the date it was sent to the s42 consultees? Was this done on or before commencing consultation under s42?	<p>Yes.</p> <p>The Applicant gave notice under s46 on 3 October 2016, which was before the beginning of s42 consultation.</p> <p>A copy of the letter dated 3 October 2016 and consultation documents sent to the Secretary of State is included in Appendix 19 of the Consultation Report (Doc 6.2).</p>
s47: Duty to consult local community		

⁹ Category 1: owner, lessee, tenant or occupier of land; Category 2: person interested in the land or has power to sell and convey the land or to release the land; Category 3: person entitled to make a relevant claim. There is no requirement to check the accuracy of the list(s) or whether the Applicant has made diligent inquiry

13	Did the Applicant prepare a Statement of Community Consultation (SoCC) on how it intended to consult people living in the vicinity of the land?	<p>Yes.</p> <p>The Applicant produced a SoCC which is included in Appendix 32 of the Consultation Report (Doc 6.2).</p>
14	Were “B” and (where relevant) “C” authorities consulted about the content of the SoCC; and if so was the deadline for receipt of responses 28 days beginning with the day after the day that “B” and (where applicable) “C” authorities received the consultation documents?	<p>Yes.</p> <p>Section 10.3 of the Consultation Report (Doc 6.1) confirms that the host “B” Authorities, Isle of Anglesey County Council and Gwynedd Council, were consulted on the draft SOCC. There are no “C” authorities in Wales.</p> <p>The deadline for comment on the draft SoCC was greater than 28 days and ran from 9 May to 10 June 2016. Copies of the letters are included in Appendix 29 of the Consultation Report (Doc 6.2).</p>
15	Has the Applicant had regard to any responses received when preparing the SoCC?	<p>Yes.</p> <p>Tables 10.1 (Isle of Anglesey County Council responses) and 10.2 (Gwynedd Council responses) of the Consultation Report (Doc 6.1) set out the comments made by the host authorities on the preparation of the SoCC. The tables also set out how the Applicant has taken the comments into consideration.</p>
16	Has the SoCC been made available for inspection in a way that is reasonably convenient for people living in the vicinity of the land; and has a notice been published in a newspaper circulating in the vicinity of the land which states where and when the SoCC can be inspected?	<p>Yes.</p> <p>The SoCC was advertised in the Daily Post newspaper, which circulates in the vicinity of the proposed route, on 5 October 2016; a copy of which is included in Appendix 20 of the Consultation Report (Doc 6.2).</p> <p>The SoCC was available at all consultation events which took place across the route of the proposed development, in reasonably convenient places for people living in the vicinity of the land, in Anglesey and Gwynedd. It was also present at locations where documents were available for the public to view, on the project website and also available on USB sticks which could be provided by the Applicant. Tables 10.3, 10.4,</p>

		10.5 and 10.6 of the Consultation Report (Doc 6.1) list the locations where the SoCC was available for inspection.
17	Does the SoCC set out whether the development is EIA development ¹⁰ ; and does it set out how the Applicant intends to publicise and consult on the preliminary environmental information?	Yes. Page 15 of the SoCC, which is included in Appendix 32 of the Consultation Report (Doc 6.2) , explains that the scheme is EIA development and how the Applicant proposes to consult on the preliminary environmental information.
18	Has the Applicant carried out the consultation in accordance with the SoCC?	Yes. Section 10.5 of the Consultation Report (Doc 6.1) explains how the Applicant has carried out consultation in accordance with the final SoCC, which is available in Appendix 32 of the Consultation Report (Doc 6.2) .
s48: Duty to publicise the proposed application		
19	Did the Applicant publicise the proposed application, under s48, in the prescribed manner set out in Regulation 4(2) of The Infrastructure Planning (Applications: Prescribed Forms and Procedure) Regulations 2009?	Yes. The Applicant has listed the newspapers and dates of s48 publicity in page 81 of the Consultation Report (Doc 6.1) as set out below: Copies of the newspaper notices are provided in Appendix 21 to the Consultation Report (Doc 6.2) .
		Newspaper(s)
		Date
	for at least two successive weeks in one or more local newspapers circulating in the vicinity in which the proposed development would be situated;	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Daily Post • North Wales Chronicle
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Daily Post between 5 October 2016 and 12 October

¹⁰ Regulation 12 of the 2017 EIA Regulations, or Regulation 10 of the 2009 EIA Regulations (where Regulation 37 of the 2017 EIA Regulations applies).

				2016 • North Wales Chronicle between 6 October 2016 and 13 October 2016	
	once in a national newspaper;		• The Guardian	5 October 2016	
	once in the London Gazette and, if land in Scotland is affected, the Edinburgh Gazette; and		• London Gazette	5 October 2016	
	where the proposed application relates to offshore development – (i) once in Lloyd's List; and (ii) once in an appropriate fishing trade journal?		• Lloyd's List • Fishing News	• Lloyd's List 5 October 2016 • Fishing News 6 October 2016	
20	Did the s48 notice include the required information set out in Regulation 4(3) of APFP Regulations?	Yes. Copies of the published s48 notice are supplied in Appendix 21 to the Consultation Report (Doc 6.2) and contains the required information as set out below:			
	Information	Paragraph		Information	Paragraph
a)	The name and address of the Applicant.	Paragraph Number 1	b)	A statement that the Applicant intends to make an application for development consent to the Secretary of State	Paragraph Number 1
c)	a statement as to whether the application is EIA development	Paragraph Number 10	d)	a summary of the main proposals, specifying the location or route of the proposed development	Paragraph Numbers 2

				to 7	
e)	a statement that the documents, plans and maps showing the nature and location of the proposed development are available for inspection free of charge at the places (including at least one address in the vicinity of the proposed development) and times set out in the notice	Paragraph Number 11	f)	the latest date on which those documents, plans and maps will be available for inspection	Paragraph Number 11
g)	whether a charge will be made for copies of any of the documents, plans or maps and the amount of any charge	Paragraph Number 12	h)	details of how to respond to the publicity	Paragraph Number 13
i)	a deadline for receipt of those responses by the Applicant, being not less than 28 days following the date when the notice is last published	Paragraph Number 14			
21	Are there any observations in respect of the s48 notice provided above?				
	No.				
22	Has a copy of the s48 notice been sent to the EIA consultation bodies and to any person notified to the Applicant in accordance with the EIA Regulations ¹¹ ?	Yes. The s48 notice was sent to the EIA consultation bodies and Regulation 9 bodies on the 4 October 2016 as confirmed in Page 60 (row 2) and paragraphs 12.2.6 – 12.2.7 of the Consultation Report (Doc 6.1) . Copies of the letters are included in Appendices 16, 17 and 18 of the Consultation			

¹¹ Regulation 13 of the 2017 EIA Regulations, or Regulation 11 of the 2009 EIA Regulations (where Regulation 37 of the 2017 EIA Regulations applies).

Report (Doc 6.2).

s49: Duty to take account of responses to consultation and publicity

23	Has the Applicant had regard to any relevant responses to the s42, s47 and s48 consultation?	<p>Yes.</p> <p>Tables 8.2 – 8.31 (prescribed consultees); 8.32 - 8.34 (local authorities), 9.1 (persons with an interest in land), and 11.1 – 11.13 (non-prescribed organisations) of the Consultation Report (Doc 6.1) list the actions that have been taken having regard to the consultation responses received. Responses from the local community are summarised in paragraphs 11.3.4 – 11.15.15.</p> <p>Section 1.11 of the Consultation Report (Doc 6.1) also summarises the main changes that were made to the project as a result of the consultation responses received. They have also described at section 1.12 of the Consultation Report (Doc 6.1), the consideration given to responses that did not lead to a change.</p> <p>The actions appear to be reflected in the final form of the application submitted, and where a response has not led to a change in the application, it is sufficiently clear that regard was had to it.</p>
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Guidance about pre-application procedure

24	To what extent has the Applicant had regard to DCLG guidance 'The Planning Act 2008: Guidance on the pre-application process' ¹² ?	<p>Table 4.2 ('How National Grid has complied with DCLG Guidance Planning Act 2008: Guidance on Pre-application Process') of the Consultation Report (Doc 6.1) explains how the Applicant has had regard to DCLG guidance on the pre-application process. Having reviewed the application it appears that the Applicant has had regard to the relevant DCLG guidance.</p>
25	Summary - s55(3)(e)	The application as submitted has complied with Chapter 2 of Part 5 (pre-application procedure). All relevant duties have been complied with.

¹² The Secretary of State must have regard to the extent to which the Applicant has had regard to guidance issued under s50

s55(3)(f) and s55(5A) The application (including accompaniments) achieves a satisfactory standard having regard to the extent to which it complies with section 37(3) (form and contents of application) and with any standards set under section 37(5) and follows any applicable guidance under section 37(4)			
26	<p>Is it made in the prescribed form as set out in Schedule 2 of the APFP Regulations, and does it include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • a brief statement which explains why it falls within the remit of the Secretary of State; and • a brief statement that clearly identifies the location of the application site, or the route if it is a linear scheme? 	<p>Yes.</p> <p>Box 4 of the Application Form (Doc 1.3) explains why the development falls within the remit of the Secretary of State.</p> <p>Box 5 of the Application Form (Doc 1.3) provides a brief non-technical description of the project.</p> <p>Box 6 of the Application Form (Doc 1.3) provides the route of the proposal.</p> <p>An Overall Location Plan (Doc 4.0.1) has been provided showing the route in its entirety from the Wylfa substation to Pentir substation.</p>	
27	Is it accompanied by a consultation report?	<p>Yes.</p> <p>The application is accompanied by a Consultation Report (Doc 6.1) and Consultation Report Appendices (Doc 6.2).</p>	
28	Where a plan comprises three or more separate sheets has a key plan been provided showing the relationship between the different sheets? ¹³	<p>Yes.</p>	
29	Is it accompanied by the documents and information set out in APFP Regulation 5(2)?	<p>Yes.</p> <p>The documents and information required by APFP regulation 5(2) are set out in the documents and locations within the application as listed below:</p>	
Information		Document	
Information		Document	

¹³ Regulation 5(4) of The Infrastructure Planning (Applications: Prescribed Forms and Procedure) Regulations 2009

a)	Where applicable, the environmental statement required under the EIA Regulations ¹⁴ and any scoping or screening opinions or directions	Volume 5 (Docs 5.0-5.30)	b)	The draft proposed order	Draft Development Consent Order (Doc 2.1)
	Is this of a satisfactory standard?	Yes (with minor discrepancies as noted in Box 30).		Is this of a satisfactory standard?	Yes.
c)	An explanatory memorandum explaining the purpose and effect of provisions in the draft order	Explanatory Memorandum (Doc 2.2)	d)	Where applicable, a book of reference (where the application involves any compulsory acquisition)	Book of Reference (Doc 3.3)
	Is this of a satisfactory standard?	Yes.		Is this of a satisfactory standard?	Yes.
e)	A copy of any flood risk assessment	Volume 1 (Doc 5.12.2.1) – Overarching Flood Consequence Assessment (FCA) Volume 2 (Doc 5.12.2.2) Pentir Substation Extension FCA Volume 3 (Doc 5.12.2.3) Tunnel	f)	A statement whether the proposal engages one or more of the matters set out in section 79(1) of the Environmental Protection Act 1990 (statutory nuisances) and if so how the Applicant proposes to mitigate or limit them	Statement of Statutory Nuisance (Doc 5.24)

¹⁴ The 2017 EIA Regulations, or the 2009 EIA Regulations (where Regulation 37 of the 2017 EIA Regulations applies)

		Head Houses and Cable Sealing end Compounds FCA Volume 4 (Doc 5.12.2.4) Overhead Line FCA.			
	Is this of a satisfactory standard?	Yes.		Is this of a satisfactory standard?	Yes.
h)	A statement of reasons and a funding statement (where the application involves any compulsory acquisition)	Statement of Reasons (Doc 3.1) Funding Statement (Doc 3.2)	i)	A land plan identifying:- (i) the land required for, or affected by, the proposed development; (ii) where applicable, any land over which it is proposed to exercise powers of compulsory acquisition or any rights to use land; (iii) any land in relation to which it is proposed to extinguish easements, servitudes and other private rights; and (iv) any special category land and replacement land	Doc 4.2
	Is this of a satisfactory standard?	Yes.		Is this of a satisfactory standard?	Yes.
j)	A works plan showing, in relation to existing features:- (i) the proposed location or (for a linear scheme) the proposed route and alignment of the development and	Doc 4.4	k)	Where applicable, a plan identifying any new or altered means of access, stopping up of streets or roads or any diversions, extinguishments or creation of rights of way or public rights of navigation	Doc 4.5

	works; and (ii) the limits within which the development and works may be carried out and any limits of deviation provided for in the draft order			
	Is this of a satisfactory standard?	Yes.		Is this of a satisfactory standard? Yes.
l)	Where applicable, a plan with accompanying information identifying:- (i) any statutory/non-statutory sites or features of nature conservation e.g. sites of geological/ landscape importance; (ii) habitats of protected species, important habitats or other diversity features; and (iii) water bodies in a river basin management plan, together with an assessment of any effects on such sites, features, habitats or bodies likely to be caused by the proposed development	(i) Statutory/non-Statutory sites or features of Nature Conservation - shown on Doc 4.7- Drawings sets 4.7.A – 4.7.F, Figures 5.9.1.1 to 5.9.1.4 and Figure 5.9.1.5. An assessment of effects is provided in Doc 5.9, Doc 5.11 and Doc 5.23. Landscape designations - shown on Doc 4.6 – Other Environmental Features Plans Drawings sets 4.6.A – 4.6.F. An	m)	Where applicable, a plan with accompanying information identifying any statutory/non-statutory sites or features of the historic environment, (e.g. scheduled monuments, World Heritage sites, listed buildings, archaeological sites and registered battlefields) together with an assessment of any effects on such sites, features or structures likely to be caused by the proposed development Shown on Figures 5.10.1.1, 5.10.1.2 and Doc 4.10. An assessment of effects is provided in Doc 5.10.

	<p>assessment of effects is provided in Doc 5.7 - Landscape Assessment and Document 5.8 - Visual Assessment.</p> <p>Habitat Plans and locations of confirmed Protected Species - shown on Doc 4.8 - Drawings sets 4.8.A – 4.8.F and Doc 4.9. An assessment of effects is provided in Doc 5.9 – Ecology and Nature Conservation.</p> <p>Trees covered by TPO, Ancient Woodlands and Important Hedgerow under the terms of the Hedgerow Regulations 1997 - shown on Doc 4.11 – Trees and Hedgerows Potentially</p>			
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		<p>Affected Plans-Drawings sets 4.11.A – 4.11.F. An assessment of effects is provided in Doc 5.7.</p> <p>Water bodies in a river basin management plan - shown on Doc 4.7-Drawings sets 4.7.A – 4.7.F. An assessment of effects is provided in Doc 5.12.2.5.</p>			
	Is this of a satisfactory standard?	Yes.		Is this of a satisfactory standard?	Yes.
n)	Where applicable, a plan with any accompanying information identifying any Crown land	Crown and Special Category Land Plans (Doc 4.3)	o)	Any other plans, drawings and sections necessary to describe the development consent proposal showing details of design, external appearance, and the preferred layout of buildings/structures, drainage, surface water management, means of vehicular and pedestrian access, any car parking and landscaping	<p>Design Drawings (Doc 4.13)</p> <p>Trees and Hedges Potentially Affected Plans (Doc 4.11)</p> <p>Traffic Regulation Order Plans (Doc 4.12)</p>
	Is this of a satisfactory standard?	Yes.		Are they of a satisfactory standard?	Yes.

p)	Any of the documents prescribed by Regulation 6 of the APFP Regulations:	Not applicable.	q)	Any other documents considered necessary to support the application.	Section 23 of the Application Form (Doc 1.3) lists other documents considered necessary to support the application.
	Are they of a satisfactory standard?	Not applicable.		Are they of a satisfactory standard?	Yes.
30	Are there any observations in respect of the documents provided above?				
	<p><i>Brief summary of relevant observation made in Box 29</i></p> <p>Regulation 5(2)(a)</p> <p>The Applicant has not provided a copy of the Secretary of State's Scoping Opinion. However, Section 3 of each of the technical aspect chapters of the ES (Docs 5.7 - 5.18) sets out how the issues raised in the Scoping Opinion have been addressed. In addition, a summary of all of the matters raised in the Scoping Opinion and where they have been addressed in this ES is provided in ES Appendix 5.1 (Doc 5.5.2.1).</p> <p>The Scoping Opinion is available on the project page on the Planning Inspectorate's website: https://infrastructure.planninginspectorate.gov.uk/projects/wales/north-wales-connection/?ipcsection=docs&stage=1&filter1=Environmental+Impact+Assessment</p>				
31	Is the application accompanied by a report identifying any European site(s) to which regulation 48 of the Conservation (Natural Habitats, &c.) Regulations 1994 applies; or any Ramsar site(s), which may be affected by the proposed development, together with	<p>Yes.</p> <p>A Habitat Regulations Assessment Report is provided in the Environmental Statement Habitats Regulations Assessment Report (Doc 5.23).</p> <p>The report identifies relevant European sites and the likely effects on those sites. It is considered that the information provided in the report is adequate for acceptance.</p>			

	sufficient information that will enable the Secretary of State to make an appropriate assessment of the implications for the site if required by regulation 48(1)? ¹⁵	Note: the Examining Authority will be able to ask questions during the examination. This may result in additional information being required to inform the HRA report and the competent authority. Depending upon the type and availability of information required, it may not be possible to obtain this during the statutory timetable of the examination.
32	If requested by the Secretary of State, two paper copies of the application form and other supporting documents and plans ¹⁶	One paper copy of the application documents was requested by the Planning Inspectorate and supplied by the Applicant.
33	Has the Applicant had regard to DCLG guidance 'Planning Act 2008: Application form guidance', and has this regard led to the application being prepared to a standard that the Secretary of State considers satisfactory?	Yes. The application appears to be in general conformity with the Guidance and the Planning Inspectorate is satisfied that the Applicant has had regard to the Guidance.
34	Summary - s55(3)(f) and s55(5A)	The Planning Inspectorate considers that the submitted application accords with the requirements of s55(3)(f) having regard to s55(5A) and concludes that the application is of a satisfactory standard to proceed to Examination.
The Infrastructure Planning (Fees) Regulations 2010 (SI106)		
Fees to accompany an application		
35	Was the fee paid at the same time that the application was made ¹⁷ ?	The Application Fee was received before the submission of the application.

¹⁵ Regulation 5(2)(g) of The Infrastructure Planning (Applications: Prescribed Forms and Procedure) Regulations 2009

¹⁶ Regulation 5(2)(r) of The Infrastructure Planning (Applications: Prescribed Forms and Procedure) Regulations 2009

¹⁷ The Secretary of State must charge the Applicant a fee in respect of the decision by the Secretary of State under section 55. If the Applicant fails to pay the fee, the Secretary of State need not consider the application until payment is received by the Secretary of State. The fee must be paid at the same time that the application is made.

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