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Our ref: **Deadline 2 Submission**
 Your ref: **EN020024**

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Please find enclosed National Grid’s submissions in respect of Deadline 2.

Superseded Documents and Examination Submissions

In order to assist the Examining Authority (ExA) and Interested Parties in navigating the latest submissions, and to explain where application documents have either been superseded or supplemented with examination submissions (Volume 8), National Grid has updated its **Navigation Document and Application Guide (Document 1.3(D))**. Details of the documents submitted are listed below, for ease of reference including the reason for its provision.

Document Reference and Title:	Reason:
1.3(D) Navigation Document and Application Guide (Clean)	To include latest document revisions. Requested by Examination timetable to be submitted at Deadline 2.
1.3(D) Navigation Document and Application Guide (Tracked)	To include latest document revisions. Requested by Examination timetable to be submitted at Deadline 2.
2.5.2(C) Land Plan Section B	To update the Land Plan Section B at Overton Substation only to amend the right sought over plot B2-25 now incorporated in plot B2-26, to respond to feedback from the landowner as detailed in response to ExQ4.6.16.

Document Reference and Title:	Reason:
2.7.1(B) Access, Rights of Way and Public Rights of Navigation Plan Section A	To respond to OFH1 Action Point 1.
2.7.2(B) Access, Rights of Way and Public Rights of Navigation Plan Section B	To respond to OFH1 Action Point 1.
2.7.3(B) Access, Rights of Way and Public Rights of Navigation Plan Section C	To respond to OFH1 Action Point 1.
2.7.4(B) Access, Rights of Way and Public Rights of Navigation Plan Section D	To respond to OFH1 Action Point 1.
2.7.5(B) Access, Rights of Way and Public Rights of Navigation Plan Section E	To respond to OFH1 Action Point 1.
2.7.6(B) Access, Rights of Way and Public Rights of Navigation Plan Section F	To respond to OFH1 Action Point 1.
2.15(B) Design Drawings	To update the Design Drawings to label the Northern Powergrid Substations on Parameter Plan Drawings, include finished surface levels on Elevation Drawings, and inclusion of cross-sections in response to ExQ1 Q5.1.3, Q5.1.4 and Q5.1.5 and Q7.0.2.
4.1-A(B) Statement of Reasons Appendix A (Clean)	<p>Requested by Examination timetable to be submitted at Deadline 2 and to respond to ExQ1 Q4.0.4.</p> <p>This will be updated at each Deadline shown in the Examination Timetable for 'Updating CA and TP Schedules', if required. The Statement of Reasons will then be updated at Deadline 8.</p>

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4.1-A(B) Statement of Reasons Appendix A (Tracked)	Requested by Examination timetable to be submitted at Deadline 2 and to respond to ExQ1 Q4.0.2. This will be updated at each Deadline shown in the Examination Timetable for 'Updating CA and TP Schedules', if required. The Statement of Reasons will then be updated at Deadline 8. To respond to ExQ1 Q4.0.4.
4.1-B(B) Statement of Reasons Appendix B - Schedule of Negotiations with Land Interests (Clean)	Requested by Examination timetable to be submitted at Deadline 2 and to respond to ExQ1 Q4.0.2. This will be updated at each Deadline shown in the Examination Timetable for 'Updating CA and TP Schedules', if required. The Statement of Reasons will then be updated at Deadline 8.
4.1-B(B) Statement of Reasons Appendix B - Schedule of Negotiations with Land Interests (Tracked)	Requested by Examination timetable to be submitted at Deadline 2 and to respond to ExQ1 Q4.0.2. This will be updated at each Deadline shown in the Examination Timetable for 'Updating CA and TP Schedules', if required. The Statement of Reasons will then be updated at Deadline 8.
4.3(C) Book of Reference (Clean)	Requested by Examination timetable to be submitted at Deadline 2.
4.3(C) Book of Reference (Tracked)	Requested by Examination timetable to be submitted at Deadline 2.
5.3.3A(B) ES Chapter 3 Appendix 3A - Embedded Measures Schedule (Clean)	To respond to ExQ1 Q1.0.2.
5.3.3A(B) ES Chapter 3 Appendix 3A - Embedded Measures Schedule (Tracked)	To respond to ExQ1 Q1.0.2.
5.3.3B(B) ES Chapter 3 Appendix 3B - Code of Construction Practice (Clean)	To respond to ISH1 Action Point 22 and ExQ1 Q1.0.2 and to include amendments identified in Environmental Statement Errata Document (Document 5.2.19, [REP-012]).

Document Reference and Title:	Reason:
5.3.3B(B) ES Chapter 3 Appendix 3B - Code of Construction Practice (Tracked)	To respond to ISH1 Action Point 22 and ExQ1 Q1.0.2 and to include amendments identified in Environmental Statement Errata Document (Document 5.2.19, [REP-012]).
5.3.3E(B) ES Chapter 3 Appendix 3E - Outline Soil Management Plan (Clean)	To respond to ExQ1 Q10.1.2.
5.3.3E(B) ES Chapter 3 Appendix 3E - Outline Soil Management Plan (Tracked)	To respond to ExQ1 Q10.1.2.
5.3.3G(B) ES Chapter 3 Appendix 3G - Public Rights of Way Management Plan (Clean)	To respond to ExQ1 Q14.0.9.
5.3.3G(B) ES Chapter 3 Appendix 3G - Public Rights of Way Management Plan (Tracked)	To respond to ExQ1 Q14.0.9.
5.3.7I(B) ES Chapter 3 Appendix 7I – Shipton Geophysical Survey Report	To respond to ExQ1 Q9.2.1.
5.3.8B(C) ES Chapter 8 Appendix 8B - Extended Phase 1 Habitat Survey Report (Clean)	To respond to ExQ1 Q3.2.1.
5.3.8B(C) ES Chapter 8 Appendix 8B - Extended Phase 1 Habitat Survey Report (Tracked)	To respond to ExQ1 Q3.2.1.
5.3.8H(B) ES Chapter 8 Appendix 8H - Bat Survey Report (Clean)	To respond to ExQ1 Q3.1.1
5.3.8H(B) ES Chapter 8 Appendix 8H - Bat Survey Report (Tracked)	To respond to ExQ1 Q3.1.1.
5.4.3(C) ES Chapter 3 Description of the Project Figures	To update Figures 3.10, 3.11 and 3.12 Outline Landscape Mitigation Strategy to primarily respond to ExQ1 Q7.0.2, Q7.0.5, Q11.1.6 and Q11.1.3 and Figure 3.10 only to respond to the amendment to plot B2-25 in the Land Plan (as detailed above).

Document Reference and Title:	Reason:
5.4.6 (Part 1 of 15)(B) ES Chapter 6 Landscape and Visual - Figures (Part 1 of 15)	To respond to ExQ1 Q11.1.8.
5.4.8(B) (Part 1 of 2) ES Chapter 8 Biodiversity – Figures	To respond to ExQ1 Q3.1.1 and Q3.2.1, alongside submission of documents 5.3.8B(C) and 5.3.8H(B) set out above.
5.4.8(B) (Part 2 of 2) ES Chapter 8 Biodiversity – Figures	To respond to ExQ1 Q3.1.1 and Q3.2.1, alongside submission of documents 5.3.8B(C) and 5.3.8H(B) set out above.
8.2(B) Schedule of Changes to the Book of Reference (Clean)	Requested by Examination timetable to be submitted at Deadline 2.
8.2(B) Schedule of Changes to the Book of Reference (Tracked)	Requested by Examination timetable to be submitted at Deadline 2.
8.4.5 Applicant's Deadline 2 Response to OFH1 and ISH1 Hearing Action Points	To respond to Open Floor Hearing 1 and Issue Specific Hearing 1 Action Points including associated Appendices.
8.9.1 Applicant's Response to Examining Authority's First Written Questions (ExQ1)	Requested by Examination timetable to be submitted at Deadline 2.
8.9.2 Applicant's Response to Examining Authority's First Written Questions (ExQ1) Appendices	Requested by Examination timetable to be submitted at Deadline 2. This document includes all Appendices produced in support of the Applicant's Response to Examining Authority's First Written Questions (ExQ1).
8.10 Applicant's Comments on Local Impact Reports	Requested by Examination timetable to be submitted at Deadline 2. This document includes National Grid's comments on all Local Impact Reports submitted, broken down into Table 2.1 – City of York Council; Table 2.2 – Leeds City Council; and Table 2.3 – North Yorkshire Council.
8.11 Applicant's Response to Interested Parties' Deadline 1 Submissions	Requested by Examination timetable to be submitted at Deadline 2.

Document Reference and Title:	Reason:
8.12 Protective Provisions Progress Schedule	To respond to ExQ1 Q4.0.3. This will be updated at each Deadline shown in the Examination Timetable for 'Updating CA and TP Schedules', if required.
8.13 Summary of Actions and Engagement in Relation to Traveller Community	To respond to ExQ1 Q4.9.4. As requested this will be updated at all Deadline requiring Compulsory Acquisition updates.
8.14 Compulsory Acquisition and Temporary Possession Objections Schedule	Requested by Examination timetable to be submitted at Deadline 2 and to respond to ExQ1 Q4.0.1. This will be updated at each Deadline shown in the Examination Timetable for 'Updating CA and TP Schedules', if required.
8.15 (Part 1 of 2) Additional Photomontages as requested by Examining Authority	Requested by Examination timetable to be submitted at Deadline 2.
8.15 (Part 2 of 2) Additional Photomontages as requested by Examining Authority	Requested by Examination timetable to be submitted at Deadline 2.
8.16 Annotated Photomontages for the purposes of ExQ1 Q11.1.3	To respond to ExQ1 Q11.1.3.
8.17 Annotated Photomontages for the purposes of ExQ1 Q11.1.6	To respond to ExQ1 Q11.1.6.
8.18 Design Approach to Site Specific Infrastructure	To provide more information around the design at non-linear work sites, and to respond to ExQ1 Section 7 primarily Q7.0.6.

Points to Note

The following section of this cover letter confirms National Grid's position in respect of other items that the ExA requested to be submitted at Deadline 2 as per the Examination Timetable in the Rule 8 letter (dated 29 March 2023) and any other points to note in respect of Deadline 2.

Applicant's updated National Policy Statement schedules of compliance (if required)

National Grid notes the ExA's request, as set out in Annex F, Part 8 of the **Rule 6 letter [PD-005]** for updated **Tables A.1 and B.1 (Appendices A and B)** of the submitted **Planning Statement [APP-202]** which signpost compliance with National Policy Statements (NPS) EN-1 and EN-5. The Examination timetable within the **Rule 8 letter [PD-008]** further sets out that the "Applicant's updated National Policy Statement schedules of compliance (if required)" should be submitted at Deadline 1.

National Grid has reviewed the **Tables A.1 and B.1 (Appendices A and B)** of the **Planning Statement [APP-202]** and considers that there is no update required to the Tables as a result of any of National Grid's Deadline 2 submissions. Furthermore, no new National Policy Statements have been designated during the course of the Examination. Whilst it is noted that a consultation has commenced on Draft National Policy Statements EN-1 and EN-5; due to the content of the compliances schedules this does not necessitate an update.

National Grid will consider at each of the deadlines set out in the **Rule 8 letter [PD-008]** whether any updates are required to this document.

Book of Reference

The Book of Reference (Document 4.3(C)) has been updated and submitted at Deadline 2 as required by the examination timetable. It has been noted that the districts of North Yorkshire County Council, Hambleton District Council, Selby District Council, Ryedale District Council, Scarborough Borough Council, Harrogate Borough Council, Craven District Council and Richmondshire District Council have formed a unitary North Yorkshire Council as of 01 April 2023. Any descriptions of land that reference the previous districts i.e. Selby, Hambleton and Harrogate will be replaced with 'North Yorkshire' in the next iteration of the Book of Reference submitted at Deadline 4 as per the examination timetable.

Should you require any hard copies of the documents identified above please let us know.

Yours faithfully,



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