

Additional Information for Specific Types of Infrastructure (Regulation 6(4))

River Humber Gas Pipeline Replacement Project

*Under Regulations 5(2)(p)
and 6(4) of the Infrastructure Planning
(Applications: Prescribed Forms and Procedure)
Regulations 2009*

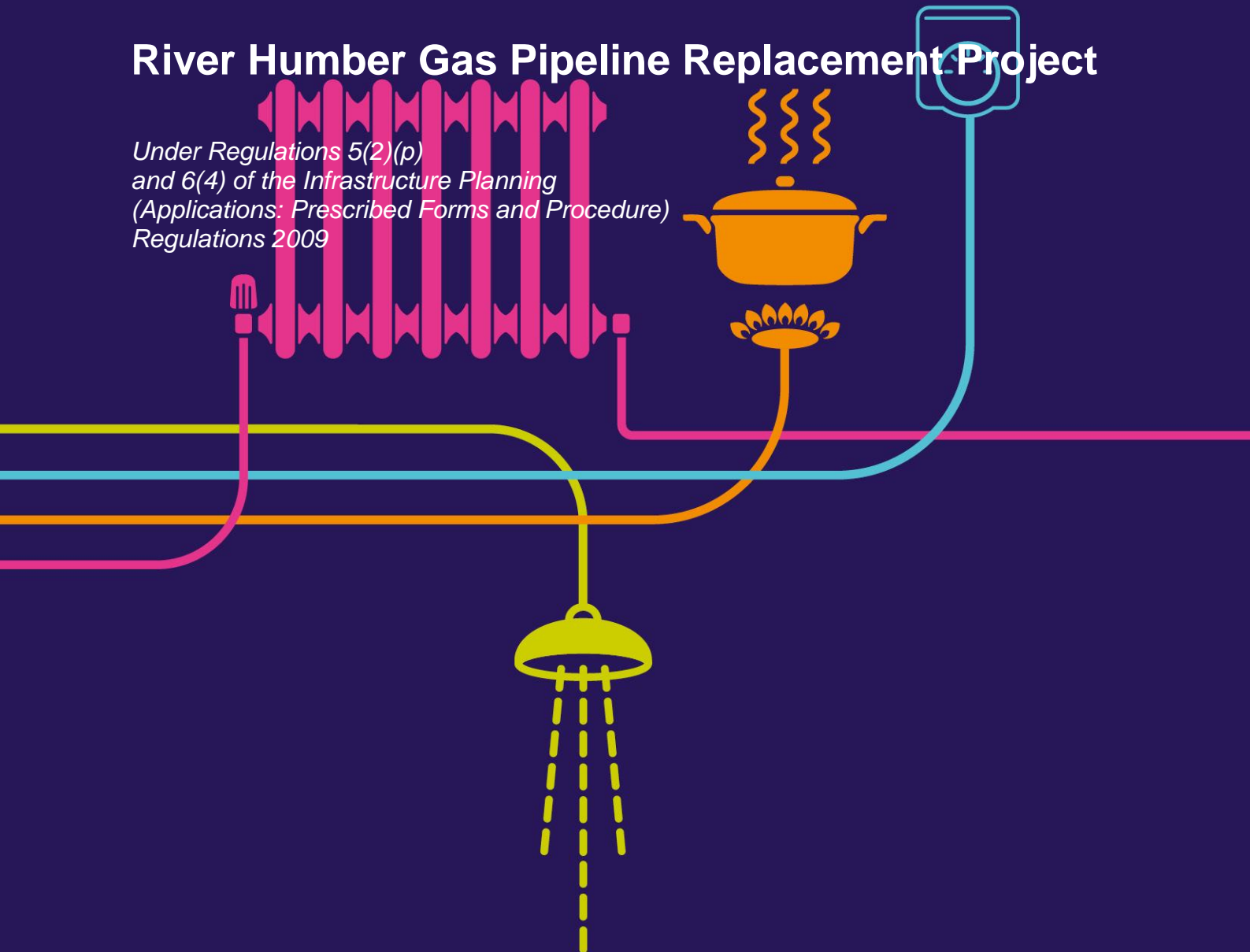


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1. INTRODUCTION

- 1.1 National Grid Gas Plc is proposing to construct and operate a replacement high-pressure gas transmission pipeline crossing under the Humber Estuary to ensure the long term security of the Number 9 Feeder Gas Transmission Pipeline (the "Project").
- 1.2 The river bed cover over the existing pipeline is being denuded by the erosive action of the estuary. This pipeline carries a high level of importance within the National Transmission System (NTS) as a strategic pipeline carrying significant volumes of natural gas away from the Easington importation terminal south towards the Hatton compressor facility.
- 1.3 The proposed pipeline requires authorisation under the Planning Act 2008. This document has been prepared to comply with the requirements of Regulation 6 of The Infrastructure Planning (Applications: Prescribed Forms and Procedure) Regulations 2009 which defines the information that needs to be included in an application for Development Consent.
- 1.4 Where an application for Development Consent is for the construction of a pipeline, regulation 6(4) of the Infrastructure Planning (Applications: Prescribed Forms and Procedure) Regulations 2009 provides that the application must be accompanied by the following information:
 - 1.4.1 the name of the proposed pipeline (regulation 6(4)(a));
 - 1.4.2 the owner of the proposed pipeline (regulation 6(4)(b));
 - 1.4.3 the start and end point of the proposed pipeline (regulation 6(4)(c));
 - 1.4.4 the length of the proposed pipeline in kilometres (regulation 6(4)(d));
 - 1.4.5 the external diameter in millimetres of the proposed pipeline (regulation 6(4)(e));
 - 1.4.6 what will be conveyed by the proposed pipeline (regulation 6(4)(f)); and
 - 1.4.7 whether the grant of any rights in land or consents to road or river crossing works are required and if so whether they can be obtained by agreement (regulation 6(4)(g)).

2. REQUIRED INFORMATION

2.1 The following table sets out the required information under regulation 6(4) of The Infrastructure Planning (Applications: Prescribed Forms and Procedure) Regulations 2009:

Regulation	Requirement	Response
6(4)(a)	Name of the proposed pipeline	The name of the proposed pipeline is the Replacement No 09 Crossing
6(4)(b)	Owner of the proposed pipeline	National Grid Gas Plc (Company registration number 02006000) whose registered address is 1-3 Strand, London, WC2N 5EH
6(4)(c)	Start point of the proposed pipeline	Subject to the limits of deviation in article 6 of the Order, the indicative start point is grid reference E513500, N423163 at the existing Goxhill AGI in North Lincolnshire
6(4)(c)	End point of the proposed pipeline	Subject to the limits of deviation in article 6 of the Order, the indicative end point is grid reference E517951, N425196 at the existing Paull AGI in the East Riding of Yorkshire
6(4)(d)	Length of the proposed pipeline in kilometres	The length of the proposed pipeline is up to 6km.
6(4)(e)	External diameter of the proposed pipeline in millimetres	The external diameter of the proposed pipeline is up to 1050mm.
6(4)(f)	What will be conveyed by the proposed pipeline	The proposed pipeline will convey natural gas.
6(4)(g)	Whether the grant of any rights in land or	Land – The applicant is in negotiations for private

	<p>consents to road or river crossing works are required?</p> <p>Can these be obtained by agreement?</p>	<p>treaty rights with affected landowners and it is anticipated that all necessary rights and interests can be obtained by voluntary agreement.</p> <p>However, compulsory rights in land are sought at a number of locations to ensure that the necessary rights and interests for delivery of the Project can be secured. Full details can be found in the Book of Reference and other compulsory purchase documents (document numbers 4.1, 4.2 and 4.3).</p> <p>Roads – it is proposed that street works necessary for the Project are authorised by the Order rather than a licence.</p> <p>The Order seeks the following powers in relation to roads:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • the power to undertake street works for the purposes of the Project including powers to break up or open the street, tunnel or bore under the street and place and maintain apparatus in the street;
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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • the power to alter the layout of streets; • the power to construct new streets and to maintain any street which is constructed, altered or diverted under the Order; • to temporarily stop up any streets or public rights of way for the purposes of carrying out the Project; • the power to form and lay out new means of access or improve existing means of access for the purpose of constructing and maintaining the Project; and • traffic regulation powers necessary for the Project. <p>Rivers – A deemed marine licence in the Order will be sought from the Marine Management Organisation for abstraction of water from the River Humber within the tidal estuary for flooding the tunnel post-construction.</p> <p>Flood defence, water discharge and land drainage</p>
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		consents will be required for works in watercourses and flood risk areas. It is proposed to obtain these voluntarily from the Environment Agency and relevant internal drainage boards closer to the time of construction.
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