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Dear Mr Davies,

**RE: APPLICATION BY NATIONAL GRID CARBON LIMITED FOR AN ORDER GRANTING DEVELOPMENT CONSENT FOR THE YORKSHIRE AND HUMBER CCS CROSS COUNTRY PIPELINE**

#### **ADEQUACY OF CONSULTATION REQUEST**

Thank you for your letter dated 18<sup>th</sup> June 2014 inviting the opinion of East Riding of Yorkshire Council ("ERYC") on the adequacy of consultation undertaken during the pre-application stage for the Yorkshire and Humber CCS Cross Country Pipeline.

National Grid has maintained a continuous line of communication with ERYC since the early stages of this scheme. ERYC officers have provided advice throughout the evolution of this project and on the production of the Environmental Statement. ERYC has been formally consulted by National Grid at regular intervals and provided formal feedback.

National Grid has provided the authority with a Statement of Community Consultation and the views of officers have been taken into consideration in the formulation of this document. The Statement of Community Consultation has been before the Council's Planning Committee, as required by the Council's Constitution, and its content has been agreed.

In light of the above ERYC believes that National Grid has complied with its duties under Sections 42, 47 and 48 of the 2008 Planning Act to consult with the Local Planning Authority, local communities and to publicise the proposed development.

I trust that this letter and its contents meet your requirements. Should you wish to discuss this matter further please do not hesitate to contact this office.

Yours Sincerely

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