



The Planning Inspectorate

Application by Chrysaor Production (UK) Limited for an Order Granting Development Consent for the Viking Carbon Capture and Storage (CCS) Pipeline

Agenda for Compulsory Acquisition Hearing (CAH):

Hearing	Date and Time	Location
Compulsory Acquisition Hearing 1 (CAH1)	Wednesday 27 March 2024 Hearing Starts at 09:30am Registration and seating available at venue from 9:00am and virtual Registration Process from 9:00am	Stallingborough Grange Hotel, Riby Road, Grimsby, DN41 8BU and By virtual means using Microsoft Teams Full instructions on how to join online or by telephone will be provided in advance to those who have pre-registered

- 1. Welcome, introductions, arrangements for the Hearing**
- 2. Purpose of the Compulsory Acquisition Hearing**
- 3. Examining Authority’s Questions**

(a) The Case for Compulsory Acquisition (CA)/ Temporary Possession (TP)	a) How the relevant statutory and policy tests under the Planning Act 2008 and the Department for Communities and Local Government Guidance to CA would be met; b) The Applicant’s strategy and criteria for determining whether to seek powers for CA of land, CA of rights or TP of land; and c) Consideration of alternatives to CA and TP. d) The extent of land sought to be subject to TP e) Update on negotiations with landowners f) The purpose and adequacy of the Funding Statement [APP-009]
(b) Human Rights	Applicant to set out how the relevant Human Rights Legislation and the Equality Act have been taken into account.

(c) Statutory Undertakers	The Applicant's current position in respect of sections 127 and 138, PA2008, including an update on negotiations with all statutory undertakers with regards to Protective Provisions
(d) Crown Land	Applicant to provide an update towards obtaining consent under s135 PA2008
(e) Special land, Common land and open spaces	Applicant to provide an update on negotiations and whether there are any unresolved conditions under sections 131 and 132, PA2008.
(f) Any other business	a) Review of options to exit the Immingham Facility b) Category 3 persons outside of the Order Limits c) Any other matters

4. Next Steps

5. Closing

Purpose of CAH1

The purpose of CAH1 is to examine:

1. Applicant's strategic case for CA and TP, including regard given to Human Rights and Equality Act;
2. Robustness of the CA and TP related material in Examination so far;
3. Updates on Special Land, Common Land, Open Spaces and Crown Land;
4. Update on negotiations with Affected Persons;
5. Update on negotiations with Statutory Undertakers; and
6. draft Development Consent Order.

Attendees

The Examining Authority (ExA) would find it helpful if the following parties could attend this Hearing:

- Applicant
- All host local authorities
- Associated Petroleum Terminals (Immingham) Ltd and Humber Oil Terminals Trustees Ltd
- Cadent Gas Ltd
- Calor Gas Ltd
- Mablethorpe Flexible Generation Ltd
- National Grid Electricity Transmission
- National Gas Transmissions Plc
- Northern Powergrid (Yorkshire) Ltd
- Phillips 66
- VPI Immingham

The ExA welcomes observation from any other persons or their representatives whose land and/ or rights are affected. However, any person speaking will only be able to do so in the context of the ExA's questions on the day. An alternative CAH is scheduled for the w/c 24 June 2024 for personal representations to be made by Affected Persons.

The ExA has sought to provide sufficient detail to assist the parties to prepare for the Hearing. The details set out above are indicative and the ExA may find it necessary to include additional Agenda items or to amend the order in which the items are dealt with.

Anyone wishing to attend the Hearing in person, who has not already advised the Case Team of this, should do so as soon as possible.

If you are experiencing any COVID-19 symptoms please do not attend the Hearing in person. Contact the Case Team who will ensure you have access to the Hearing virtually.

The event will be livestreamed and a link for watching the livestream will be posted on the [project webpage of the National Infrastructure Planning website](#) closer to the Hearing date. Interested Parties (IPs) and members of the public who wish to observe the Hearing can therefore view and listen to the Hearing using the livestream, or view and listen to the recording, after it has concluded.

Registration Process

Parties who have registered to speak (both in person and virtually) will receive a Joining Instruction email shortly before the Hearing which will include a link to the virtual event on Microsoft Teams, and a telephone number should they need to participate by telephone. To enable the Hearing to start on time at **9:30am** those attending virtually should join promptly at **9:00am**. This will ensure that all virtual attendees can complete the Registration Process in good time.

Procedure at CAH

Guidance under the Planning Act 2008 and the Infrastructure Planning (Examination Procedure) Rules 2010 provides that it is for the ExA to probe, test and assess the evidence through direct questions of persons making oral representations at Hearings. Questioning at the Hearing will be led by the ExA. Cross questioning of a person giving evidence by another person will only be permitted if the ExA decides it is necessary to ensure representations are adequately tested or that an IP/AP has had a fair chance to put its case.