



Meeting note

Project name	Invicta Polygen L2 Project
File reference	N/A
Status	Final
Author	The Planning Inspectorate
Date	28 February 2019
Meeting with	Invicta Hydrogen Systems Ltd
Venue	Gromit - Temple Quay House
Meeting objectives	Inception meeting
Circulation	All attendees

Summary of key points discussed and advice given

The Planning Inspectorate (the Inspectorate) advised that a note of the meeting would be taken and published on its website in accordance with section 51 of the Planning Act 2008 (the PA2008). Any advice given under section 51 would not constitute legal advice upon which applicants (or others) could rely. The Inspectorate explained that the publication of the meeting note could be delayed up to six months, or until a formal scoping request had been submitted.

Background and Introduction to the project

The Applicant set out an initial overview of the type of project that they were considering, but at this time it was noted that they had not confirmed a location or site for the proposals. The type of development proposed would be an 852MW combined cycle gas fired power plant (CCGT) with 100% carbon capture storage. The Applicant was currently in discussions with National Grid with regard to connections to potential substations at either of Pentir (North Wales) or Ferrybridge (West Yorkshire).

The Inspectorate set out advice and guidance with regard to the various stages of the Planning Act 2008 process, highlighting the various guidance notes and advice notes that were available on the National Infrastructure website. The Applicant was advised to familiarise themselves with all the guidance and advice available, and also consider the National Policy Statements which provide the policy background.

The Inspectorate provided the Applicant with an overview of the scoping process, and advised that they consider the advice set out in [Advice Note Seven: Environmental Impact Assessment: Preliminary Environmental Information, Screening and Scoping](#).

The Applicant was advised to contact the Inspectorate again once further detail and information on a project could be provided so that a further meeting could be arranged.