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Dear Mr Harrold,

Further to my email of 4 June 2021, I write to clarify NPG's position in relation to their objection to the DCO. NPG do not have any particular land interests which are being acquired by the promoter under the DCO and therefore, they do not object to the CPO provisions being sought for the scheme. However, our objection does remain in relation to the drafting of the DCO on the basis that the draft protective provisions are not adequate. That said, NPG are working with the promoter to negotiate alternative provisions and we are hopeful that these will be in place by the end of this month. However, until such time as the alternative provisions are agreed, our objection to the DCO remains in place. With regard to the hearing, I'm afraid that we are not able to attend the w/c 7th July or 14th July but as mentioned above, we hope that the outstanding issues can be addressed without the need to submit any further representations.

Please can I also request that you include Elaine Field of Weightmans, our instructed solicitor, into any future correspondence.

Kind regards.

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Dear Mr Potts,

Many thanks for your email, the contents of which are noted.

I can confirm that the Examining Authority has accepted this as a formal submission for Deadline 8a of the Examination which will be published in due course.

Kind regards,

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Dear Mr Harrold,

Thank you for your email setting out the hearing dates relating to the above CPO.

I am writing to advise that I am withdrawing the objection for NPG to this scheme as we have an appropriate costs undertaking from Highways England. However I would like it noted that

subsequent negotiations with third party landowners for new equipment resulting from the CPO can become protracted and inevitably leads to delays on the delivery of the scheme all of which are outside of Northern Powergrid control.

I am happy to continue to find a solution for such delays with Highways England and have today written to them in this effect.

Kind regards,

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Dear Sirs,

Please note that the agendas for the hearings to be held during the weeks commencing 7 and 14 June 2021 have now been published. These can be viewed on the [project webpage](#).

The agenda for Compulsory Acquisition Hearing 3 lists Northern Powergrid as a Statutory Undertaker that the Examining Authority would like to attend this hearing. It would be helpful if you could confirm who from your team will be in attendance for this hearing, if you're able to attend, by Friday 4 June 2021.

Kind regards,

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