The Planning Inspectorate
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Transboundary screening undertaken by the Planning Inspectorate (the Inspectorate) on behalf of the Secretary of State (SoS)	
Project name:	
Address/Location:	
Planning Inspectorate Ref:	
Date(s) screening undertaken:	
EEA States identified for notification:	

TRANSBOUNDARY SCREENING	
Document(s) used for transboundary Screening:	
Screening Criteria:	**The Inspectorate's Comments:**
Characteristics of the Development	- Size of the development - Use of natural resources - Production of waste - Pollution and nuisances - Risk of accidents - Use of technologies
Location of Development (including existing use) and Geographical area	- What is the existing use? - What is the distance to another EEA state? (Name EEA state) - What is the extent of the area of a likely impact under the jurisdiction of another EEA state?
Environmental Importance	- Are particular environmental values (eg protected areas – name them) likely to be affected? - Capacity of the natural environment. - Wetlands, coastal zones, mountain and forest areas, nature reserves and parks, Natura 2000 sites, areas where environmental quality standards already exceeded, densely populated areas, landscapes of historical, cultural or archaeological significance.

Potential impacts and Carrier	• By what means could impacts be spread (ie what pathways)?
Extent	• What is the likely extent of the impact (geographical area and size of the affected population)?
Magnitude	• What will the likely magnitude of the change in relevant variables relative to the status quo, taking into account the sensitivity of the variable?
Probability	• What is the degree of probability of the impact? • Is the impact likely to occur as a consequence of normal conditions or exceptional situations, such as accidents?
Duration	• Is the impact likely to be temporary, short-term or long-term? • Is the impact likely to relate to the construction, operation or decommissioning phase of the activity?
Frequency	• What is likely to be the temporal pattern of the impact?
Reversibility	• Is the impact likely to be reversible or irreversible?
Cumulative impacts	• Are other major developments close by?

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Under Regulation 32 of The Infrastructure Planning (Environmental Impact Assessment) Regulations 2017 (the 2017 EIA Regulations) and on the basis of the current information available from the Applicant, the Inspectorate is of the view that the Proposed Development **[is likely/is not likely]** to have a significant effect on the environment in another EEA State.

In reaching this view the Inspectorate has applied the precautionary approach (as explained in its Advice Note Twelve: Transboundary Impacts), and taken into account the information currently supplied by the Applicant.

Action:

Date:

Note: The SoS' duty under Regulation 32 of the 2017 EIA Regulations continues throughout the application process.

Note:

The Inspectorate's screening of transboundary issues is based on the relevant considerations specified in the Annex to its Advice Note Twelve, available on our website at http://infrastructure.planninginspectorate.gov.uk/legislation-and-advice/advice-notes/