Theberton and Eastbridge Parish Council Issue Specific Hearing 1 Oral Contribution by Cllr. Paul Collins

Draft DCO and s.106 agreement / Deed of obligation

2. Draft DCO

- Securing mitigation, Code of Construction Practice, oLEMPs and related documentation, the appropriateness of "reasonable endeavours" and, "general accordance" as standards
 - In the draft DCO version 4 (<u>REP2-015</u>) Schedule 17 Land of which only temporary possession may be taken, Fen Meadow sites at Halesworth, Benhall and Pakenham are all only subject to temporary possession, whereas the potential compensation they will provide should be permanent give the loss of Fen Meadow at Sizewell Marsh is permanent and given that the land will be developed into the power station platform. How is this compatible with these sites being provided as permanent compensation?
 - In (<u>AS-202</u>) section 2.8.1 it is clearly stated that the three fen meadow sites are "to compensate for the permanent loss of approximately 0.46 ha of fen meadow habitat from within Sizewell Marshes SSSI". Temporary acquisition is not compatible with the requirement of permanent compensation.