



Meeting note

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Meeting with	Eggborough Power Limited
Venue	Telecon
Attendees	The Planning Inspectorate: Tom Carpen (Infrastructure Planning Lead) Kay Sully (Case Manager) Eggborough Power Limited James Crankshaw (Eggborough Power Limited) Jake Barnes-Gott (Eggborough Power Limited) Emma Cottam (Pinsent Masons) Richard Lowe (AECOM)
Meeting objectives	Project update meeting
Circulation	EN010081

Summary of key points discussed and advice given:

The Applicant and the Planning Inspectorate (the Inspectorate) case team introduced themselves and their respective roles. The Inspectorate continued by outlining its openness policy and ensured those present understood that any issues discussed and advice given would be recorded and placed on the Inspectorate's website under s.51 of the Planning Act 2008 (PA 2008). Further to this, it was made clear that any advice given did not constitute legal advice upon which the Applicant (or others) can rely.

General project update

The Applicant's s42 consultation will commence on 16 January 2017 and the s46 notification will be sent today with postal copies tomorrow. Adverts have been issued and s48 notices will be in Newspapers on 12 January. The Applicant's website is also being updated and exhibitions will be taking place with documents on public display, letter drops in the inner consultation zone as well as posters displayed.

The Applicant advised that the draft consultation report has been compiled as far as possible following non-statutory consultation, and will be updated to reflect the statutory consultation.

The applicant is currently looking at additional highway considerations including additional traffic surveys, and looking at concluding agriculture land classification. There is also continuous work being undertaken on the Preliminary Environmental Impact Report (PEIR) as well as ongoing monitoring.

The Applicant is currently considering additional options for access to the Above Ground Installation (AGI) and landowner negotiations are ongoing. Whilst there has been no statutory consultation with the public on the potential additional options as yet, . The Inspectorate confirmed with that the Applicant that they should ensure that those who need to be consulted have been and, particularly, to identify if there is a need for additional full consultation or targeted consultation. Whichever is adopted, thought should also be given on how this is reflected in the consultation report.

Decommissioning

The Applicant stated that there are no update on the position with the demolition of the old coal fired power station and consider the Preliminary Environmental Impact Report makes clear that the worst case scenario has been assessed. The applicant also advised that consultation material is clear that the demolition would not form part of the draft Development Consent Order (DCO) application.

Timescales

The Applicant confirms that they are still on target to produce draft documents for the Inspectorate to review from mid-March 2017 with an aim of submitting the application in May 2017.