

Application by Cleve Hill Solar Park Ltd for an Order granting Development Consent for the Cleve Hill Solar Park

Agenda for Open Floor Hearing 3

In its letter dated 9 August 2019, the Examining Authority notified Interested Parties of its decision to hold an Open Floor Hearing on the following date:

Hearing	Date and time	Location
Open Floor Hearing 3	Tuesday 10 September 2019 10.00am (Seating available from 9.30am)	Hempstead House Hotel, London Road, Bapchild, Sittingbourne, ME9 9PP

Participation, conduct and management of Hearing

This is the third Open Floor Hearing in this Examination. It is being held to allow Interested Parties who have not been able to attend previous Hearings to make oral representations about the application, or for Interested Parties to speak on any new matters that they have not been able to raise so far. The Examining Authority has noted contributions provided at Open Floor Hearing 1 and Open Floor Hearing 2 and repetition of those matters will not assist the Examination of the application.

The Hearing will be subject to the powers of control of the Examining Authority and registered participants will be invited to make an oral representation to us. Each Interested Party will be strictly limited to 5 minutes. Please run through your representation in advance to ensure it can be completed within 5 minutes to avoid us having to cut your contribution short. To facilitate an efficient hearing, we would also ask those with common points to come together and to nominate a spokesperson or representative speakers to cover specific topics, so as to avoid repetition.

All representations should be based on the Relevant Representations or Written Representations made by the person by whom (or on whose behalf) the oral representations are made¹. However, representations made at the Hearing should not simply repeat matters previously covered in a written submission. Rather, they should draw attention to those submissions in summary form and provide further detail, explanation and evidential corroboration to help inform the Examining Authority.

The Examining Authority may ask questions about representations or ask the Applicant or other party to comment or respond.

Breaks will be taken during the hearing as directed by the Examining Authority.

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¹ s91 Planning Act 2008



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Sittingbourne, ME9 9PP

Attendees Invitees

1. Welcome and introductions

2. Arrangements for the Open Floor Hearing

3. Confirmation of those who have notified the Examining Authority of a wish to be heard at the Open Floor Hearing

4. Oral submissions from Interested Parties

- Each Interested Party who has indicated a wish to speak will be invited forward in turn to speak at a table set up in front of the Examining Authority. Each Interested Party will be strictly limited to 5 minutes.
- Following each submission, the Examining Authority may wish to ask the speaker questions.
- The Applicant is likely to be requested to briefly respond to any matters raised by each of the Interested Parties or in summary at the close of the Open Floor Hearing.
- Oral submissions should be based on representations previously made in writing by the particular participant. However, representations made at the Hearing should not simply repeat matters previously covered in a written submission, but rather provide further detail, explanation and evidential corroboration to help inform the Examining Authority.

5. Close of Open Floor Hearing

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