

CUMNOR PARISH COUNCIL

Planning Inspectorate

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BOTLEY WEST SOLAR FARM (BWSF) REF: EN010147

Cumnor Parish Council - Comments on ExA proposed changes to dDCO for Deadline 6

1. Of the 1,418ha of land for the three solar power stations proposed by PVDP, 81ha - comprising the whole of the applicant's southern power station and the applicant's southern part of cable routes between the central and southern power stations - is located in Cumnor Parish, which in turn sits within the administrative area of the Vale of White Horse District Council (VWHDC).
2. Cumnor Parish Council (CPC) welcomes all the ExA's proposed changes to the draft Development Consent Order (dDCO) as set out in PD-015.
3. In particular, and with reference to CPC's Deadline 6 (D6) submission on the Issue Specific Hearing 2 (ISH2) held on 9th October 2025, CPC especially welcomes PC001.
4. Similarly, in view of the lack of financial data provided by the applicant thus far, and the fact that the applicant had to agree to a 15' adjournment to Compulsory Acquisition Hearing 1 (CAH1) item 3c 'funds and land' in order to attempt to provide an answer to the ExA, CPC also especially welcomes PC002.
5. End

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