

Tween Bridge Solar Farm

1.3 Guide to the Application

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1 Introduction

1.1. Purpose of this Document

- 1.1.1. This document provides a guide to the Development Consent Order (DCO) application (the 'DCO Application') for Tween Bridge Solar Farm. The DCO Application is made by RWE Renewable UK Solar and Storage Ltd (the 'Applicant') to the Secretary of State for the Department of Energy Security and Net Zero (the 'SoS'), pursuant to the Planning Act 2008 (PA 2008) **[Ref 1]**.
- 1.1.2. The Applicant is seeking a DCO to consent the construction, operation (including maintenance) and decommissioning of Tween Bridge Solar Farm, a solar photovoltaic (PV) array electricity generating facility with a generating capacity of 800 megawatts (MW), Battery Energy Storage System (BESS) with a storage capacity of 400 MW, and associated infrastructure ('The Scheme').
- 1.1.3. The Scheme is a Nationally Significant Infrastructure Project (NSIP) as it includes infrastructure capable of generating more than 50 MW.
- 1.1.4. This document aims to help the Examining Authority and Interested Parties understand the DCO Application through signposting to the documents that make up the DCO Application.
- 1.1.5. Regulation 5 of the Infrastructure Planning (Applications: Prescribed Forms and Procedure) Regulations 2009 (APFP Regulations) **[Ref 2]** sets out the documents that all draft DCO applications must include. It also provides at Regulation 5(2)(q) for the submission of "any other documents considered necessary to support the application" as well as at Regulation 5(2)(o) for "any other plans, drawings and sections necessary to describe the proposals."
- 1.1.6. Regulation 6 of the APFP Regulations sets out the specific documentation required in support of DCO applications for particular types of development, including generating stations and grid connections.
- 1.1.7. The Scheme constitutes an Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) development, and, therefore, the Infrastructure Planning (Environmental Impact Assessment) Regulations 2017 (the EIA Regulations) **[Ref 3]** and requirements contained therein apply.

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1.1.8. This document provides an overview of the documents that have been submitted in order to satisfy the APFP Regulations [Ref 2], the EIA Regulations [Ref 3] and section 37 of the PA 2008 [Ref 1].

1.1.9. A full list of submitted documents can be found in Appendix A. Appendix A is a live document that will be updated throughout examination should additional documents be required, or updates be made to documents.

1.2. The Applicant

1.2.1. The Applicant is one of the top three largest solar developers in the UK with over 125 years of energy expertise, through design, construction, and operation. It is the Applicant's ambition to have a carbon neutral energy portfolio by 2040, providing clean, secure, and affordable energy to millions of households.

1.3. The Scheme

1.3.1. The main elements of the Scheme include:

- Ground-mounted solar PV generating station and associated mounting structures,
- On-site supporting equipment including inverters, transformers and switchgear,
- A BESS including batteries and associated enclosures, monitoring systems, air conditioning, electrical cable and fire safety infrastructure. The BESS is indicatively split into four separate 100MW compounds. Each 100MW compound would be located next to and connected to one of the seven on-site 132kV Substations,
- Seven on-site 132kV Substation compounds, including transformers, switchgear, circuit breakers, control equipment buildings, control functions, material storage, parking, as well as wider monitoring and maintenance equipment,
- Low voltage and 33kV interconnecting cabling to connect and transmit electricity from the solar PV modules and BESS to one of the seven on-site 132kV Substations,
- RWE on-site 400kV Substation,

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- Underground 132kV interconnecting cabling to connect the seven on-site 132kV Substations to RWE on-site 400kV Substation,
- Underground 400kV interconnecting cabling from the RWE on-site 400kV substation to edge of Order Limits
- Associated infrastructure including access tracks, parking, CCTV, gates and fencing, lighting, drainage infrastructure, storage containers, earthworks, culverts, surface water management, maintenance and welfare facilities, security cabins and any other works identified as necessary to enable the development,
- Horizontal Directional Drilling for selected cable works where trenching or culvert is not possible or appropriate, including the canal, railway and the M180,
- Highways works to facilitate access for construction vehicles, comprising passing places where necessary to ensure that heavy goods vehicles (HGVs) can be safely accommodated amongst existing traffic, new or improved site accesses and visibility splays,
- Environmental mitigation and enhancement measures, including landscaping, habitat management and biodiversity enhancement,
- Permissive pathways and bird viewing gallery, and
- Temporary development during the construction phase of the Scheme including construction compounds, parking, temporary diversions of Public Rights of Way, and temporary access roadways to facilitate access to all parts of the Order Limits.

1.4. The Order Limits

- 1.4.1. The Order Limits are shown on the **Location Plan [Document Reference 2.1]**, **Land Plans [Documents Reference 2.2]**, and the **Works Plans [Document Reference 2.3]** which accompany this DCO Application.
- 1.4.2. The Scheme comprises approximately 1,831 hectares (ha) of land that is located within both administrative boundaries of The City of Doncaster Council and North Lincolnshire Council. The administrative boundaries are shown in **ES Figure 11.1 [Document Reference 6.4.11.1]**.

2 Overview of Application Documents

- 2.1.1. The documents submitted as part of the DCO Application have been grouped into the below document volumes noted within Table 1.1 to accord with the Planning Inspectorate's Advice on the Preparation and submission of application documents published August 2024 and updated January 2025 [Ref 4].

Table 1-1: Guide to Volumes of the DCO Application

Document Volume	Content
Volume 1 – Application Forms	Contains the completed Application Form, the Application Cover Letter, this Guide to the Application, Copies of Newspaper Notices, and the Section 55 Checklist completed by the Applicant demonstrating the DCO Application can be accepted pursuant to Section 55 of the PA 2008.
Volume 2 – Plans/Drawings/Sections	Contains relevant plans for the Scheme, as required by the APFP Regulations including the location and land area plan, works plans and land plans and other plans provided to support the DCO Application.
Volume 3 – Draft Development Consent Order	Contains the draft Development Consent Order which contains the legal powers the Applicant is seeking, together with an Explanatory Memorandum which explains the provisions of the DCO and a document that sets out consents required outside of the DCO.
Volume 4 – Compulsory Acquisition Information	Provides evidence for why legal powers of compulsory acquisition are sought, as well as information on how the Scheme is to be funded and details of the land interests that are required for the Scheme.
Volume 5 – Reports and Statements	Contains additional documents pertaining to the Scheme, including the Consultation Report required by Section 37(3)(c) of the PA 2008, documents required by Regulation 6 of the APFP Regulations and other documents considered by the Applicant to be

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	required to support the DCO Application in accordance with Regulation 5(2)(q) of the APFP Regulations.
Volume 6 – Environmental Statement	Provides environmental information and an assessment of the likely significant effects of the Proposed Development in accordance with Regulation 5(2)(a) of the APFP Regulations, as well as a description of proposed mitigation measures.
Volume 7 – Other Documents	Provides other documents considered by the Applicant to be required to support the DCO Application in accordance with Regulation 5(2)(q) of the APFP Regulations.

- 2.1.2. The remainder of this document (Sections 3 to 10) provides a summary of the purpose of the documents and plans included within each Volume outlined in Table 1.1. above.
- 2.1.3. A copy of all the DCO Application documents will be available on the Planning Inspectorate's website (<http://national-infrastructure-consent.planninginspectorate.gov.uk/projects/ENO10148>) once the Application has been formally accepted.

2.2. Document Referencing Numbering

- 2.2.1. The documents submitted as part of the DCO Application each have a unique reference number, which follow a consistent numbering format, for example 'Document Reference 1.1'.
- 2.2.2. The first part 'Document Reference' confirms it is a document submitted with the application. The second part '1.1' is the unique reference for each document. This can be two to four digits, and these denote the document type and where relevant the chapter and/or appendix number. The example of 'Document Reference 1.1' is broken down to explain further as per the highlighted section.
- Document Reference 1.1 – Application Document
 - Document Reference 1.1 – A 'Volume 1' document

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- Document Reference 1.1 – Document 1 in 'Volume 1'

2.2.3. This guide and the tables within it should be used when trying to identify the relevant documents. Each document can then be located on the PINS website (<https://national-infrastructure-consenting.planninginspectorate.gov.uk/projects/EN010148/documents>)

3 Volume 1 – Application Forms

- 3.1.1. This volume provides details of the application information required by the Planning Inspectorate for the application and how to navigate the documentation.
- 3.1.2. The **Application Form [Document Reference 1.1]** is the standard application form required by Section 37(3)(b) of the PA 2008 to be submitted with the DCO Application. It provides a high-level summary of the Scheme and the documents that have been submitted for the Applicant's DCO Application
- 3.1.3. The **Application Cover Letter [Document Reference 1.2]** provides a brief description of the Scheme, its location, and a general introduction to the DCO Application
- 3.1.4. The **Guide to the Application [Document Reference 1.3]** acts as a guide to the DCO Application, providing a brief description of the volumes and documents that make up the DCO Application.
- 3.1.5. The **Copies of Newspaper Notices [Document Reference 1.4]** includes the newspaper notices, including text and any other information, that were included in newspapers to publicise the Scheme, such as for consultation events.
- 3.1.6. The **Section 55 Checklist [Document Reference 1.5]** is included to demonstrate how the DCO Application fulfils the conditions for acceptance by the Planning Inspectorate under Section 55 of the PA 2008. The Schedule of Compliance with section 55 will also be completed by the Planning Inspectorate on receipt of the DCO Application.

4 Volume 2 – Plans/Drawings/Sections

- 4.1.1. This volume contains the plans which show where and how the Applicant proposes to undertake the Scheme. Each set of plans is accompanied by a legend which shows the symbols used on the plans, to help users understand what they show. In accordance with Regulation 5(4) of the APFP Regulations, where there are three or more separate drawing sheets, a key plan is provided to enable the reader to understand the relationship between the different sheets. In accordance with Regulation 5(3), the submitted plans are no larger than A0 size, have been drawn to a scale that is not smaller than 1:2,500 and show the direction of north.
- 4.1.2. The **Location Plan [Document Reference 2.1]** identifies the location of the Scheme in its wider context.
- 4.1.3. The **Land Plans [Document Reference 2.2]** illustrate the land required for or affected, by the Scheme. This includes (a) land proposed to be permanently acquired (b) land proposed for permanent acquisition of rights or imposition of restrictive covenants and to be used temporarily and (c) land proposed for temporary possession. These plans correspond to the **Book of Reference [Document Reference 4.3]**.
- 4.1.4. The **Works Plans [Document Reference 2.3]** identifies the location of the works and the limits within which the Scheme and works may be carried out. The areas on the Works Plans are numbered, and these correspond to the numbered works set out in Schedule 1 of the **Draft DCO [Document Reference 3.1]** which are proposed to be authorised by the DCO.
- 4.1.5. The **Street Works, Access and Public Rights of Way Plans [Document Reference 2.4]** illustrate any new or altered means of access and permanent and temporary alteration of streets.
- 4.1.6. The **Water Bodies in a River Basin Management Plan [Document Reference 2.5]** illustrates the water bodies located within a 'river basin management plan' as relevant to the Scheme.
- 4.1.7. The **Trees and Hedgerows to be Removed or Managed Plans [Document Reference 2.6]** identify the trees and hedgerows to be removed or managed as part of the Scheme.

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- 4.1.8. The **Plan of Statutory and Non-statutory Sites or Features [Document Reference 2.7]** illustrates the habitats of protected species, important habitats or other diversity features as relevant to the Scheme.
- 4.1.9. The **Plan Showing Statutory and Non-Statutory Historic or Scheduled Monument Sites [Document Reference 2.8]** illustrates the statutory and non-statutory sites or features of the historic environment as relevant to the Scheme.
- 4.1.10. The **Indicative Layouts and Cross Section Plans [Document Reference 2.9]** are illustrative plans and cross-sections provided to demonstrate the anticipated design and layout of the Scheme.

5 Volume 3 – Draft Development Consent Order

- 5.1.1. In order to build the Scheme, the Applicant needs consent in the form of a DCO. The DCO and associated documents outline the legal powers the Applicant is seeking
- 5.1.2. The **Draft Development Consent Order [Document Reference 3.1]** sets out the legal powers that the Applicant is seeking to enable the construction, operation (including maintenance), and decommissioning of the Scheme. It is comprised of 49 articles and 13 schedules. The schedules are outlined below:
- Schedule 1 (Authorised development) – specifies numbered works comprised in the authorised development (the NSIP) for which development consent is sought and other associated development works. The works should be read alongside the **Works Plans [Document Reference 2.3]**;
 - Schedule 2 (Requirements) – contains draft requirements corresponding to conditions which, under section 120(2) of the Act, could have been imposed on the grant of planning permission for the authorised development had it not fallen within the regime of the Act. The requirements have a similar purpose to planning conditions;
 - Schedule 3 (Legislation to be disapplied) – lists the local legislation that the Order will disapply insofar as the provisions (in that local legislation) still in force are inconsistent with the powers contained in the Order.
 - Schedule 4 (Streets subject to street works) – lists the streets
 - Schedule 5 (Alteration of streets) – lists the streets that would be subject to a permanent alteration of layout for the Scheme;
 - Schedule 6 (Streets and public rights of way to be temporarily closed or restricted) – sets out the streets and public rights of way which are subject to temporary closure, alteration, diversion or restriction as part of the development authorised by the DCO;
 - Schedule 7 (Access to works) – contains details of the permanent means of access that would be created as a result of the Scheme;

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- Schedule 8 (Land in which only new rights etc. may be acquired) – sets out the land over which the Applicant is seeking to acquire new land rights only or on which restrictive covenants may be imposed rather than acquiring the entire freehold interest in that land. This Schedule should be read in conjunction with the **Land Plans [Document Reference 2.2]**;
- Schedule 9 (Modification of compensation and compulsory purchase enactments for the creation of new rights and imposition of new restrictive covenants) – amends relevant compulsory purchase legislation to ensure that it can apply to the DCO (particularly in connection with land and rights compulsorily acquired under the DCO);
- Schedule 10 (Removal of hedgerows) – sets out details of hedgerows to be removed.
- Schedule 11 (Documents and plans to be certified) – sets out the documents and plans that must be certified under the DCO.
- Schedule 12 (Arbitration rules) – lists the procedural guidelines that govern how an arbitration process is conducted. These rules dictate various aspects of the arbitration, such as the appointment of arbitrators, the conduct of proceedings, and the form and effect of the final award.
- Schedule 13 (Protective provisions) – sets out protective provisions for the benefit of statutory undertakers whose apparatus may be affected by the authorised development.

5.1.3. The **Explanatory Memorandum [Document Reference 3.2]** to the draft DCO explains the purpose and effect of each provision in the draft DCO including why it is considered necessary. It also identifies examples of precedents from other DCOs where applicable.

6 Volume 4 – Compulsory Acquisition Information

- 6.1.1. Volume 4 provides the evidence to justify the legal powers sought by the Applicant for compulsory acquisition as well as information on how the Scheme is to be funded.
- 6.1.2. The **Statement of Reasons [Document Reference 4.1]** – set out the reasons for the inclusion of compulsory powers within the draft DCO in order that the Applicant can acquire land interests required to enable it to construct, operate (including maintenance) and decommission the Scheme. It also explains why powers are necessary to enable the Applicant to use land temporarily and acquire, suspend, interfere with, or extinguish rights over land and impose restrictive covenants. It explains that there is a compelling case in the public interest which would justify the Applicant's exercise of such powers and Appendix 2 sets out the purpose for which powers are sought over each plot of land.
- 6.1.3. The **Funding Statement [Document Reference 4.2]** – explains how the Scheme, including any compulsory purchase acquisition, would be funded.
- 6.1.4. The **Book of Reference [Document Reference 4.3]** identifies all the parties who own or occupy land and/or have an interest in or right over the land affected by the Scheme and/or who may be entitled to make a 'relevant claim' as defined in Section 57 of the PA 2008. It is structured in five parts in accordance with the regulatory requirements:
- Part 1: Categories 1 & 2: Owners, Lessees, Tenants, Occupiers, Other Interest, Power to Convey or Release Land;
 - Part 2: Category 3: Section 10 Land Compensation Act 1965 and Part 1 Land Compensation Act 1973; and
 - Part 3: Easements or other private rights proposed to be interfered with, suspended or extinguished.
 - Part 4: Not required
 - Part 5: Land which is Special Category Land

7 Volume 5 – Reports and Statement

- 7.1.1. Volume 5 includes reports and statements pertaining to the Scheme.
- 7.1.2. Section 37(3)(c) of the PA 2008 requires that applications for Development Consent are accompanied by a **Consultation Report [Document Reference 5.1]**. The Consultation Report and its supporting **appendices [Document Reference 5.2]** explains how the Applicant has consulted on the Scheme; formal and informal, summarises the responses received and explains how the Applicant has had regard to those responses. The Consultation Report explains how the Applicant has complied with the consultation requirements set out in the PA 2008; the APFP Regulations and the EIA Regulations. The Consultation Report also accords with the guidance set out in the 'Planning Act 2008: Pre-application Stage for Nationally Significant Infrastructure Projects' (April 2024) and the Planning Inspectorate's Advice Note: Compiling the Consultation Report (August 2024).
- 7.1.3. The **Consultation Report Appendices [Document Reference 5.2]** are set out as follows:

Appendices:

- Appendix 2.1 – Adequacy of Consultation Milestone ('AoCM') report
- Appendix 3.1 – Non-Statutory Consultation Report
- Appendix 3.2 – Non-Statutory Stakeholder Letter
- Appendix 3.3 – Non-Statutory Interested Parties Letter
- Appendix 3.4 – How Section 51 advice has been addressed through the pre-application process
- Appendix 3.5 – Non-Statutory Landowner Letter
- Appendix 3.6 – Non-Statutory Consultation Newsletter
- Appendix 3.7 – Non-Statutory Start of Consultation Email
- Appendix 3.8 – Non-Statutory Consultation Poster
- Appendix 3.9 – Non-Statutory Consultation Press Release

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- Appendix 3.10 – List of Non-Statutory Consultation Press Release Media Outlets
- Appendix 3.11 – Non-Statutory Consultation Feedback Form
- Appendix 3.12 – Non-Statutory Consultation Boards
- Appendix 3.13 – Draft PEIR Non-Technical Summary
- Appendix 4.1 – EIA Scoping Report covering letter
- Appendix 4.2 – Regulation 11 list provided by the Planning Inspectorate
- Appendix 4.3 – Statutory Consultation Letter and Email to Consultees
- Appendix 4.4 – Section 47 and 48 Combined Notice
- Appendix 4.5 – Consultee Feedback and Applicant Response
- Appendix 5.1 – Draft SoCC Email to CDC
- Appendix 5.2 – Draft SoCC Email to NLC
- Appendix 5.3 – NLC Comments on the SoCC
- Appendix 5.4 – CDC Comments on the SoCC
- Appendix 5.5 – CDC Approval of the SoCC
- Appendix 5.6 – NLC Approval of the SoCC
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- Appendix 6.11 – Site Notice Locations
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- Appendix 6.13 – List of Elected Representatives, Community Organisations & Seldom Heard Groups Contacted
- Appendix 6.14 – Statutory Consultation Email to Elected Representatives
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- Appendix 6.18 – Photos of Each Consultation Event
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- Appendix 6.20 – Statutory Consultation Press Release
- Appendix 6.21 – List of Statutory Consultation Press Release Media Outlets
- Appendix 8.1 – Consultation Close Email
- Appendix 8.2 – Project Programme Document

7.1.4. The Adequacy of Consultation Milestone Report included as Appendix 2.1 of the **Consultation Report Appendices [Document Reference 5.2]** – sets out how the Applicant has fulfilled their duties under sections 42, 47 and 49 of the Planning Act 2008.

7.1.5. The **Report to Inform Habitat Regulations Assessment [Document Reference 5.3]** demonstrates the Scheme’s compliance with the Conservation of Habitats

and Species Regulations 2017 (as amended) and provides sufficient information to enable the Secretary of State to make an appropriate assessment in relation to European Sites, as required by APFP Regulation (Regulation 5(2)(g)).

- 7.1.6. The **Statement of Statutory Nuisance [Document Reference 5.4]** identifies the matters set out in Section 79 of the Environmental Protection Act 1990 in respect of statutory nuisances and considers whether the Scheme would engage one or more of those matters, as required by Regulation 5(2)(f) of the APFP Regulations. Where any matters may be potentially engaged, this statement sets out its proposals for mitigating or limiting them.
- 7.1.7. The **Planning Statement [Document Reference 5.5]** details the Scheme compliance with the relevant planning policy framework at national and local levels and other matters which the Applicant considers are important and relevant to the Secretary of State's decision. There is one Appendix to the **Planning Statement – Appendix A Policy Compliance Document [Document Reference 5.5.1]**.
- 7.1.8. The **Design Approach Document [Document Reference 5.6]** provides information regarding the context of the Scheme's location and context, the design approach and evolution, the green infrastructure strategy, and the detailed design process.
- 7.1.9. The **Design Approach Document Appendix A: Parameters Document [Document Reference 5.6.1]** details the parameters that will be secured in relation to the detailed design of the Scheme.
- 7.1.10. The purpose of the **Other Consents and Licences [Document Reference 5.7]** is to provide information on the additional consents and licences that are or may be required outside of the DCO to construct and operate the Scheme.
- 7.1.11. The **Grid Connection Statement [Document Reference 5.8]** has been submitted in accordance with Regulation 6(1)(a)(i) of the APFP Regulations. It outlines the details for connecting the solar PV arrays to the National Grid.
- 7.1.12. The **Potential Main Issue for Examination [Document Reference 5.9]** document summarises the principal areas of disagreement with relevant statutory bodies on the proposals to inform the examination of the Scheme.

8 Volume 6 – Environmental Statement

- 8.1.1. The Applicant has undertaken an Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) for the Scheme to consider what potential significant effects the Scheme is likely to have on the surrounding environment.
- 8.1.2. Volume 6 – Environmental Statement reports the finds of the EIA within the following volumes:
- ES Volume 1: Introduction Chapters
 - ES Volume 2: Aspect Chapters
 - ES Volume 3: Appendices
 - ES Volume 4: Figures
- 8.1.3. ES Volume 1: Introduction Chapters of the Environmental Statement is formed of the following chapters:
- **Chapter 0 – Contents, Glossary and Abbreviations [Document Reference 6.1.0]**
 - **Chapter 1 – Introduction [Document Reference 6.1.1]**
 - **Chapter 2 – Scheme Description [Document Reference 6.1.2]**
 - **Chapter 3 – Site Description, Site Selection and Iterative Design Process [Document Reference 6.1.3]**
 - **Chapter 4 – Approach to Environmental Impact Assessment [Document Reference 6.1.4]**
 - **Chapter 5 – Policy and Legislative Context [Document Reference 6.1.5]**
- 8.1.4. ES Volume 2: Aspect Chapter of the Environmental Statement includes the technical assessment chapters. These are as follows:
- **Chapter 6 – Landscape and Visual [Document Reference 6.2.6]**
 - **Chapter 7– Ecology and Nature Conservation [Document Reference 6.2.7]**

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- **Chapter 8– Cultural Heritage and Archaeology [Document Reference 6.2.8]**
- **Chapter 9 – Ground Conditions [Document Reference 6.2.9]**
- **Chapter 10 – Water Resource [Document Reference 6.2.10]**
- **Chapter 11– Socio Economics [Document Reference 6.2.11]**
- **Chapter 12 – Transport and Access [Document Reference 6.2.12]**
- **Chapter 13 – Noise and Vibration [Document Reference 6.2.13]**
- **Chapter 14 – Air Quality & Greenhouse Gases [Document Reference 6.2.14]**
- **Chapter 15 – Agricultural Circumstances [Document Reference 6.2.15]**
- **Chapter 16 – Other Environmental Topics [Document Reference 6.2.16]**
- **Chapter 17 – Cumulative Impacts [Document Reference 6.2.17]**
- **Chapter 18 – Summary [Document Reference 6.2.18]**

8.1.5. ES Volume 3: Appendices of the Environmental Statement includes the relevant Appendices which support the findings discussed within the Environmental Statement. The Appendices are as follows:

- **Technical Appendix 1.1 EIA Scoping Opinion [Document Reference 6.3.1.1]**
- **Technical Appendix 1.2 Applicant's EIA Scoping Report [Document Reference 6.3.1.2]**
- **Technical Appendix 1.3 Statement of Competence [Document Reference 6.3.1.3]**
- **Technical Appendix 4.1 Schedule 4 Requirements of The Infrastructure Planning (Environmental Impact Assessment) Regulations 2017, As Amended. [Document Reference 6.3.4.1]**
- **Technical Appendix 6.1 Landscape and Visual Impact Assessment Criteria [Document Reference 6.3.6.1]**

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- **Technical Appendix 6.2 Residential Visual Amenity Assessment [Document Reference 6.3.6.2]**
- **Technical Appendix 6.3 Viewpoint Photographs [Document Reference 6.3.6.3]**
- **Technical Appendix 6.4 Photomontage Visualisations [Document Reference 6.3.6.4]**
- **Technical Appendix 6.5 Viewpoint Assessment [Document Reference 6.3.6.5]**
- **Technical Appendix 6.6 Arboricultural Impact Assessment [Document Reference 6.3.6.6]**
- **Technical Appendix 6.7 Stainforth & Keedby Canal – Thorne to Crowles Corridor Study [Document Reference 6.3.6.8]**
- **Technical Appendix 7.1 Baseline Habitats and Desk Study Report [Document Reference 6.3.7.1]**
- **Technical Appendix 7.2 Breeding Bird Survey Report [Document Reference 6.3.7.2]**
- **Technical Appendix 7.3 Non-Breeding Bird Survey Report (Year 1 and Year 2) [Document Reference 6.3.7.3]**
- **Technical Appendix 7.4 Nightjar Survey Results [Document Reference 6.3.7.4]**
- **Technical Appendix 7.5 Confidential Report – Badger Survey Report [Document Reference 6.3.7.5]**
- **Technical Appendix 7.6 Confidential Report – Otter and Water Vole Survey Report [Document Reference 6.3.7.6]**
- **Technical Appendix 7.7 Great Crested Newt Presence / Absence Survey Report [Document Reference 6.3.7.7]**
- **Technical Appendix 7.8 Natural England Request For Discretionary Advice Note – 2023 [Document Reference 6.3.7.8]**

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- **Technical Appendix 7.9 Natural England Discretionary Advice Note – December 2024 [Document Reference 6.3.7.9]**
- **Technical Appendix 7.10 Non-Breeding Bird Mitigation Strategy [Document Reference 6.3.7.10]**
- **Technical Appendix 7.11 Invertebrate Scoping Report [Document Reference 6.3.7.11]**
- **Technical Appendix 7.12 Biodiversity Net Gain Assessment [Document Reference 6.3.7.12]**
- **Technical Appendix 7.13 Bat Survey Results Spring and Summer 2025 Biodiversity Net Gain Assessment [Document Reference 6.3.7.13]**
- **Technical Appendix 8.1 Heritage Baseline Assessment [Document Reference 6.3.8.1]**
- **Technical Appendix 8.2 Geophysical Survey Report [Document Reference 6.3.8.2]**
- **Technical Appendix 8.3 Geoarchaeological Assessment [Document Reference 6.3.8.3]**
- **Technical Appendix 8.4 Trial Trenching Report [Document Reference 6.3.8.4]**
- **Technical Appendix 8.5 Test Pitting Report [Document Reference 6.3.8.5]**
- **Technical Appendix 8.6 Outline Archaeological Mitigation Strategy [Document Reference 6.3.8.6]**
- **Technical Appendix 9.1 Phase 1 Ground Conditions Desk Study Reports for Land Parcels A to F. [Document Reference 6.3.9.1]**
- **Technical Appendix 9.2 Phase 1 Ground Conditions Desk, Volume 3: Tween Bridge Wind Farm Factual Site Investigation Report [Document Reference 6.3.9.2]**
- **Technical Appendix 10.1 Flood Risk Assessment [Document Reference 6.3.10.1]**

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- Technical Appendix 10.2 Water Framework Directive Assessment [Document Reference 6.3.10.2]
- Technical Appendix 12.1 Transport Statement [Document Reference 6.3.12.1]
- Technical Appendix 12.2 Summary of Sensitive Receptors [Document Reference 6.3.12.2]
- Technical Appendix 12.3 Baseline Traffic Survey Report [Document Reference 6.3.12.3]
- Technical Appendix 13.1 Baseline Noise Survey Report [Document Reference 6.3.13.1]
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- **Technical Appendix 16.3 High Level Electromagnetic Fields Assessment (Human Health) [Document Reference 6.3.16.3]**
- **Technical Appendix 16.4 Climate Change Resilience and Adaptation Assessment [Document Reference 6.3.16.4]**
- **Technical Appendix 17.1 Cumulative Long List [Document Reference 6.3.17.1]**
- **Technical Appendix 17.2 Cumulative Short List [Document Reference 6.3.17.2]**
- **Technical Appendix 17.3 Transport Assessment Table [Document Reference 6.3.17.3]**

8.1.6. ES Volume 4: Figures of the Environmental Statement includes the relevant Appendices which support the finding discussed within the Environmental Statement. The Figures are as follows:

- **Figure 1.1 – Order Limits [Document Reference 6.4.1.1]**
- **Figure 1.2 – Land Parcel Plan [Document Reference 6.4.1.2]**

8.1.7. **Figure 1.3 – Development Parcel Plan [Document Reference 6.4.1.3]**

- **Figure 1.4 – Site Selection Buffer Plan [Document Reference 6.4.1.4]**
- **Figure 2.1 – Indicative Construction Layout Plan [Document Reference 6.4.2.1]**
- **Figure 2.2a – Indicative Operational Layout Plan (Fixed Solar Panel) [Document Reference 6.4.2.2]**
- **Figure 2.2b – Indicative Operational Layout Plan (Fixed and Tracker Solar Panels) [Document Reference 6.4.2.2]**
- **Figure 2.3 – Heights Parameters Zonal Plan [Document Reference 6.4.2.3]**
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- **Figure 3.5 – Sites Constraints Plan [Document Reference 6.4.3.5]**
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- **Figure 8.3 – Important Hedgerows (Heritage) [Document Reference 6.4.8.3]**
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- **Figure 10.6 – Hydrogeology Aquifer Classification [Document Reference 6.4.10.6]**
- **Figure 10.7 – Environment Agency Reservoir Flood Extents [Document Reference 6.4.10.7]**
- **Figure 10.8 – Environment Agency Historic Flood Map [Document Reference 6.4.10.8]**
- **Figure 11.1 – Site Location in Context of Surrounding Administrative Boundaries [Document Reference 6.4.11.1]**
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8.1.8. **A Non-Technical Summary of the Environmental Statement [Document Reference 6.3.1.0]** been prepared to accompany the application.

9 Volume 7 – Other Documents

- 9.1.1. Volume 7 provides other documents which the Applicant has submitted to adhere to the APFP Regulations and/or which are considered by the Applicant to be required to support the DCO Application.
- 9.1.2. The **Outline Construction Environmental Management Plan [Document Reference 7.1]** sets out the measures that will be included in a detailed Construction Environmental Management Plan to control potential environmental and amenity effects during the construction of the Scheme.
- 9.1.3. The **Outline Operational Environmental Management Plan [Document Reference 7.2]** sets out the measures that will be included in a detailed Operational Environmental Management Plan to control potential environmental and amenity impacts of the operation of the Scheme.
- 9.1.4. The **Outline Decommissioning Environmental Management Plan [Document Reference 7.3]** sets out the measures that will be included in a detailed Decommissioning Environmental Management Plan to control potential environmental and amenity impacts of decommissioning.
- 9.1.5. The **Outline Battery Safety Management Plan [Document Reference 7.4]** sets out the risks associated with BESS fires and sets out the commitments/measures proposed to minimise the impact of such an incident during construction, operation and decommissioning of the Scheme.
- 9.1.6. The **Outline Ecological Construction Management Plan [Document Reference 7.5]** sets out the measures that will be included in a detailed Ecological Construction Management Plan to control potential effects on ecological receptors during the construction of the Scheme.
- 9.1.7. The **Outline Landscape Ecological Management Plan [Document Reference 7.6]** sets out the measures that will be included in a detailed Landscape and Ecology Management Plan.
- 9.1.8. The **Outline Construction Traffic Management Plan [Document Reference 7.7]** sets out the measures that will be provided in a detailed Construction Traffic Management Plan for the traffic generated during the Scheme's construction phase.

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- 9.1.9. The **Outline Soil Management Plan [Document Reference 7.8]** sets out the principal construction and decommissioning activities that will be covered by a detailed Soil Management Plan and the measures that will be followed during these stages to protect soil resource.
- 9.1.10. The **Outline Supply Chain, Employment and Skills Plan [Document Reference 7.9]** provides an overview of the supply chain, employment, training, and educational opportunities associated with the construction, operation and decommissioning of the Scheme.
- 9.1.11. The **Commitments Register [Document Reference 7.10]** sets out all mitigation measures to be delivered for the Scheme and how they are to be secured.
- 9.1.12. The **Flood Risk Sequential Test and Exception Test [Document Reference 7.11]** assesses if there are any areas of land suitable and available in areas at lower risk of flooding within the defined search area, in compliance with the requirements of national planning policy.
- 9.1.13. The **Statutory Undertakers Position Statement [Document Reference 7.12]** summarises the Applicant's engagement with relevant statutory undertakers to-date and the status of those discussions.

Appendix A – DCO Application Document Schedule

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	6.1.3	ES Chapter 3 Site Description, Site Selection and Iterative Design Process	5(2)(a)	26 August 2025	1
	6.1.4	ES Chapter 4 Approach to Environmental Impact Assessment	5(2)(a)	26 August 2025	1
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	6.3.1.3	Statement of Competence	5(2)(a)	26 August 2025	1
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	6.3.7.1	Baseline Habitats and Desk Study Report	5(2)(a)	26 August 2025	1
	6.3.7.2	Breeding Bird Survey Report	5(2)(a)	26 August 2025	1
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	6.3.7.4	Nightjar Survey Results	5(2)(a)	26 August 2025	1
	6.3.7.5	Confidential Report – Badger Survey Report	5(2)(a)	26 August 2025	1
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	6.3.7.9	Natural England Discretionary Advice Note – December 2024	5(2)(a)	26 August 2025	1
	6.3.7.10	Non-Breeding Bird Mitigation Strategy	5(2)(a)	26 August 2025	1
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	6.3.10.1	Flood Risk Assessment Parts 1 to 2	5(2)(e)	26 August 2025	1
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