

Tween Bridge Solar Farm

9.1 Statement of Commonality

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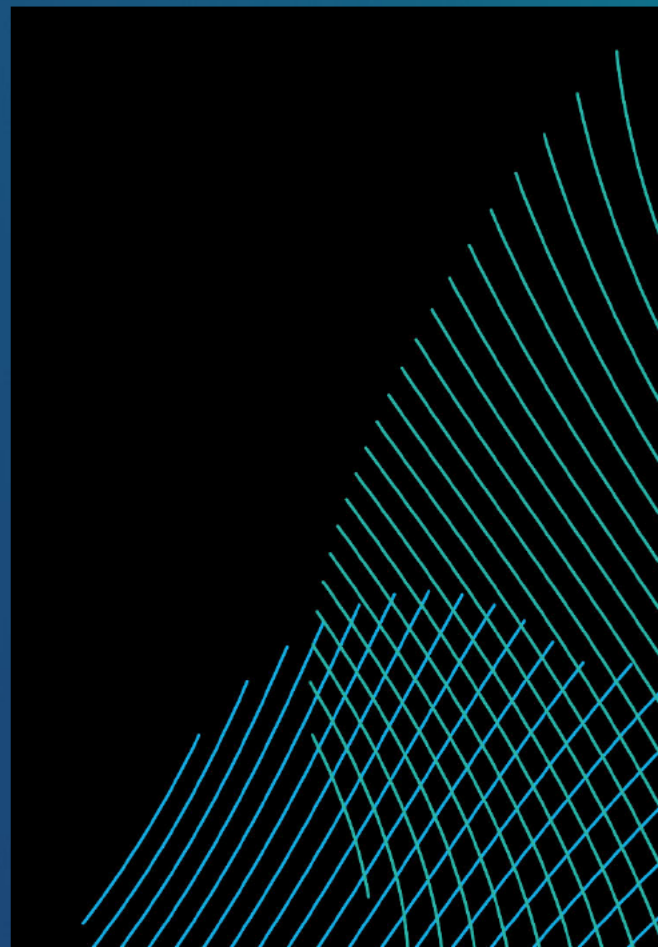


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1 Introduction

1.1. Overview

- 1.1.1. This Statement of Commonality has been prepared on behalf of RWE Renewables UK Solar and Storage Ltd (the 'Applicant'). This document provides the Examining Authority (ExA) with the position on Statements of Common Ground (SoCG) between the Applicant and relevant statutory consultees and Interested Parties in relation to the proposed Tween Bridge Solar Farm. It has been updated throughout the course of the Examination. The content of this revision (Revision 8), submitted at Deadline ~~98~~, is accurate as of ~~86~~ October 2026.

1.2. Structure of Statement of Commonality

- 1.2.1. This Statement of Commonality document is structured as follows:
- Section 2 – Details the structure of each SoCG document and provides a list of the SoCGs that ~~are~~ have been ~~being~~ produced;
 - Section 3 – Addresses the status of each SoCG; and
 - Section 4 – Sets out the commonality between SoCGs and a summary of their position

2 List of SoCGs and Content Structure

2.1. List of SoCGs

2.1.1. The following SoCGs have been ~~discussed~~ signed by ~~between~~ the Applicant and the relevant parties and submitted at Deadline 8: ~~throughout the examination. The following final revisions are now submitted at Deadline 8::~~

- City of Doncaster Council Statement of Common Ground [Document Reference 9.1 Revision 6]
- North Lincolnshire Council Statement of Common Ground [Document Reference 9.2 Revision 6]
- Environment Agency Statement of Common Ground [Document Reference 9.4 Revision 5]
- National Grid Energy Transmission Statement of Common Ground [Document Reference 9.5 Revision 5]
- Lincolnshire Wildlife Trust Statement of Common Ground [Document Reference 9.6 Revision 3]
- ~~Doncaster East Internal Drainage Board Statement of Common Ground [Document Reference 9.7 Revision 5]~~
- ~~Isle of Axholme and North Nottingham Water Level Management Statement of Common Ground [Document Reference 9.8 Revision 5]~~
- Natural England Statement of Common Ground [Document Reference 9.9 Revision 5]
- National Highways Statement of Common Ground [Document Reference 9.10 Revision 6]
- ~~Network Rail Infrastructure Statement of Common Ground [Document Reference 9.11 Revision 4]~~
- Canal and River Trust Statement of Common Ground [Document Reference 9.12 Revision 4]

2.1.2. South Yorkshire Fire and Rescue Service Statement of Common Ground [Document Reference 9.13 Revision 4]

2.1.3. The following SoCGs have been signed by both the Applicant and the relevant stakeholder and have been submitted at Deadline 9.

~~2.1.3.2.1.4. The remaining SoCGs have been updated by the Applicant and are awaiting final review and signature by the relevant stakeholders. The Applicant hopes to receive signed copies of the SoCGs shortly and will submit these at Deadline 9 if possible. If signed copies are not received in advance of Deadline 9, the Applicant will submit the current version of the SoCG, unsigned by the stakeholder, as the Applicant's view of the final position at the end of the Examination. These are as follows:~~

- Network Rail Infrastructure [Document Reference 9.10 Revision 46];
- ~~Isle of Axholme and North Nottingham Water Level Management SoCG~~ [Document Reference 9.8 Revision 45]; and,

2.1.5. Doncaster East IDB [Document Reference 9.7 Revision 5].

~~2.1.4.~~2.1.6. The ExA requested in the **Rule 6 Letter [PD-005]** that a SoCG be prepared with Historic England. Historic England confirmed that no SoCG was required for this application. A copy of this correspondence is provided at Appendix A of this document.

~~2.1.5.~~2.1.7. As explained at the Preliminary Meeting (PM), and confirmed in the Written Summary of Oral Submissions at the Open Floor Hearing 1 [REP1-045], the Applicant has contacted Humberside Fire and Rescue Service to enquire about preparing a SoCG regarding the scheme. Humberside Fire & Rescue Service have confirmed that they do not require a SoCG for this application. A copy of this correspondence is provided at Appendix B of this document.

2.2. Structure of the SoCGs

2.2.1. In terms of the final ~~and remaining draft~~ SoCGs submitted at Deadline 8 (6 October 2026) and Deadline 9 (8 October 2026), they adopt a uniform structure as follows:

- Section 1 – Introduction, setting out the purpose of the document, stating the parties the SoCG is relevant to, and cross reference to the definition of terminology.

- Section 2 – Record of Engagement, presented in a table from the initial correspondence through to present day.
- Section 3 – Final Position at the end of the examination, outlining separate topics including each party's position and whether each matter is 'agreed' or 'not agreed'.
- Section 4 – Signatures of each party.

3 Status of SoCGs

3.1. Summary of Final Position

- 3.1.1. Table 1 provides a high-level position on the status of each SoCG and where necessary includes further detail to aid the understanding of the status.

Table 1: Summary of current position of each SoCG

Document Reference	Party	Position at Deadline 1	Position at Deadline 2	Position at Deadline 3	Position at Deadline 4	Position at Deadline 5	Position at Deadline 6	Position at Deadline 8	<u>Position at Deadline 9</u>
9.2 Revision 6	City of Doncaster Council	SoCG in draft. Comments received from relevant party and addressed by Applicant in version submitted.	No changes to content since Deadline 1. The Applicant and stakeholder are continuing discussions.	Updated SoCG by both parties in draft. Content updated to reflect latest engagement with officers. Some transport matters progressed to 'agreed'. The Council added more rows under the topic of landscape (Table 3-7) which the Applicant has responded to. The Applicant will update their position	Updated SoCG by both parties in draft. Content updated to reflect latest engagement with officers and submitted at Deadline 4. Table 3-11 is a new addition to the SoCG, which outlines matters under discussion regarding the draft DCO. Other changes include moving some heritage matters to 'not	Updated SoCG by both parties in draft. Content updated to reflect latest engagement with officers and submitted at Deadline 5. The content reflects the latest position informed by the Deadline 4 submission made by both parties. Additional text has been added at Table 3-4 regarding ecology and	Updated SoCG by both parties in draft. The content reflects the current position at Deadline 6. Content has been updated to confirm the position ('agreed' or 'not agreed') for as many matters as possible. Table 2-7 has been added to outline the record of engagement between parties regarding the	SoCG updated and signed by both parties at Deadline 8. A number of matters progressed to 'agreed'. Environmental matters not agreed relate to landscape & visual assessment and archaeological assessment. The position on these matters has remained 'not agreed' throughout the examination.	<u>Final signed SoCG submitted at Deadline 8</u>

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				re Archaeology for Deadline 4.	agreed' in Table 3-2. Updates also made to Table 3-7 regarding Landscape and Visual Impacts. Additional comments were received from CDC on 21 July which will be included in the next submission of the SoCG.	nature conservation, by CDC and the Applicant. CDC have provided additional input to Table 3-11 regarding the draft DCO, which was added at Deadline 4. CDC has added a schedule of proposed amendments to the draft DCO, at the end of the SoCG. The Applicant has explained in Table 3-11 why these changes	drafting for the draft DCO. A significant number of matters are now agreed between parties. The areas where most matters are 'not agreed' relate to landscape and archaeology.	The parties are also not agreed on several matters relating to the draft DCO. <u>These includes:</u> (1) Deemed consent provisions – time period, (2) some consent provisions, (3) Article 42 (Trees subject to tree preservation orders), (3) Requirement 3, and (4) Schedule 2, Part 2, Paragraph 4. All other matters are 'agreed'.	

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						are not agreed with CDC .			
9.3 Revision 6	North Lincolns hire Council	SoCG in draft. Comments received from relevant party and addressed by Applicant in version submitted.	No changes to content since Deadline 1. The Applicant and stakeholder are continuing discussions.	Updated SoCG by both parties in draft. Most matters regarding flooding have been progressed to 'agreed'. Other matters are continuing to be progressed.	Updated SoCG by both parties in draft. Content updated to reflect latest engagement with officers and submitted at Deadline 4. Table 3-9 is a new addition to the SoCG, and confirms there are no outstanding points of difference on the draft DCO. Table 3-2 regarding heritage and	Updated SoCG by both parties in draft. Content updated to reflect latest engagement with officers and submitted at Deadline 5. The content reflects the latest position informed by the Deadline 4 submission made by both parties. Updates have been made to Table 3-1 to confirm that	Updated SoCG by both parties in draft. The content reflects the current position at Deadline 6. A significant number of matters are now agreed between parties. The areas where most matters are 'not agreed' relate to landscape and archaeology. NLC have made the Applicant aware (10.09.26),	SoCG updated and signed by both parties at Deadline 8. A number of matters progressed to 'agreed'. Environmental matters not agreed relate to landscape & visual assessment and archaeological assessment. The position on these matters has remained 'not agreed'	<u>Final signed SoCG submitted at Deadline 8</u>

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					archaeology has been updated to confirm the position where matters are not agreed regarding fieldwork and some moved to agreed regarding datasets and the setting of heritage assets, Matters regarding the Outline Supply Chain, Employment and Skills Plan (Table 3-6) have also progressed to agreed.	the Applicant and NLC do not agreed on excluding the cable route from the Order Limits. Table 3-2 has also been updated to confirm NLC's position on matters relating to Cultural Heritage and Archaeology. Table 3-7 has been updated regarding Landscape & Visual Matters. These remain under discussion.	that they expect the protective provisions to apply to NLC as well as CDC. The Applicant is engaging with NLC on this update.	throughout the examination. The parties are also 'not agreed' on certain matters relating to the draft DCO. All other matters are 'agreed'.	

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						Matters relating to noise have now been agreed.			
9.4 Revision 5	Environment Agency	SoCG in draft. Comments received from relevant party and addressed by Applicant in version submitted.	No changes to content since Deadline 1. The Applicant and stakeholder are continuing discussions.	Updated SoCG in draft. The content has been updated by both parties following latest correspondence. Some additional items have been progressed to 'agreed'.	No changes to content since Deadline 3 so has not been submitted at Deadline 4. The Applicant and stakeholder are continuing discussions.	Updated SoCG by both parties in draft. Content updated to reflect latest engagement with the EA and submitted at Deadline 5. A number of matters have been progressed to 'agreed'. This includes matters relating to Protective Provisions, Fire Water Containment,	Updated SoCG by both parties in draft. The content reflects the current position at Deadline 6. The majority of matters are now agreed. The exclusions are matters relating to the dDCO Article 2 and dDCO Requirements. The EA Land Interests remain under discussion.	SoCG updated and signed by both parties at Deadline 8. The only matters 'not agreed' relate to the draft DCO and including the Schedule 2 requirements. All other matters are 'agreed' between both parties.	<u>Final signed SoCG submitted at Deadline 8</u>

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						Ground Conditions, and Private Water Supplies.			
9.5 Revision 5	National Grid Energy Transmission (NGET)	SoCG in draft. Comments received from relevant party and addressed by Applicant. The second revision is submitted.	No changes to content since Deadline 1. The Applicant and stakeholder are continuing discussions.	SoCG, updated by the Applicant, in draft pending input from NGET. Content updated to be consistent with responses provided to ExQ1.	No changes to content since Deadline 3 so has not been submitted at Deadline 4. The Applicant and stakeholder are continuing discussions.	SoCG, updated by the Applicant and submitted at Deadline 5. No further input from NGET in this revision.	Updated SoCG by both parties in draft. The content reflects the current position at Deadline 6. Four matters remain under discussion; protection for retained or proposed NGET infrastructure, protection for NGET's rights of access to apparatus, protective	SoCG updated and signed by both parties at Deadline 8. Four matters are 'not agreed' between the parties. These are: (1) Protection for retained or proposed NGET infrastructure, (2) Protection for NGET's rights of access to apparatus, (3) Protective provisions, and (4) Compulsory	<u>Final signed SoCG submitted at Deadline 8</u>

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							provisions, and compulsory acquisition power in relation to NGET land and rights. All other matters are agreed.	acquisition powers in relation to NGET land and rights. All other matters are 'agreed' between parties.	
9.6 Revision 3	Lincolns hire Wildlife Trust (LWT)	SoCG in draft. The first revision has been issued to the party and comments are expected w/c 4 May 2026. Subsequent additions made to the draft SoCG, included in	No changes to content since Deadline 1. LWT have confirmed they are engaging with Natural England. The Applicant and stakeholder are continuing discussions.	No changes to content so has not been submitted at Deadline 3. The Applicant is waiting to receive latest revision back from LWT.	The Applicant is waiting for a response from LWT on the SoCG. Whilst the Applicant are LWT are corresponding via email and having meetings, the SoCG has not been updated for submission at Deadline 4.	LWT issued the draft SoCG back to the Applicant on 30 July 2026. This was issued in a different format and structure to the consistent format the Applicant has adopted across the suite of SoCGs. The Applicant has not submitted	Updated SoCG by both parties in draft. The content reflects the current position at Deadline 6. Both parties have continued engagement with multiple iterations of the SoCG being discussed and progressed.	SoCG updated and signed by both parties at Deadline 8. Parties remain in disagreement on two matters: (1) adequacy of consultation by the Applicant; and (2) Bird Impacts (Nightjar commuting and foraging).	<u>Final signed SoCG submitted at Deadline 8</u>

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		this submission, to reflect latest correspondence.				the latest version of the SoCG at Deadline 5 as they do not consider it beneficial for the ExA's understanding. The Applicant has notified LWT of their decision and is working with LWT to update the SoCG so it is clear and concise on the matters, agreed, under discussion and not agreed. The SoCG will be submitted by Deadline 6.	A number of matters remain 'under discussion'. A final position on each matter will be confirmed by Deadline 8.	All others matters are agreed.	

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9.7 Revision 5	Doncaster East Internal Drainage Board	SoCG in draft. Comments received from relevant party and updated by the Applicant. Meeting to be arranged to discuss. The second revision is submitted.	Updated SoCG submitted to confirm additional item, regarding Byelaw Number 10 (row 2 of Document Reference 9.7 Revision 2), is agreed between parties.	Updated SoCG in draft including latest input from the IBD. One item updated to 'agreed'.	No changes to content since Deadline 3 so has not been submitted at Deadline 4.	No changes to content since Deadline 3 so has not been submitted at Deadline 5.	Updated SoCG by both parties in draft. The content reflects the current position at Deadline 6. The matters that remain 'under discussion' are relating to protective provisions. The Applicant is confident that the matters will be 'agreed' by Deadline 8, following the IBD's review of the latest content.	Updated SoCG not submitted at Deadline 8. The Applicant is pending a response from the IBD. The Applicant is hopeful the SoCG will be signed and submitted at Deadline 9.	<u>An updated SoCG is submitted at Deadline 9, signed by both parties.</u> <u>One matter is 'not agreed' relating to protective provisions.</u> <u>All other matters are 'agreed'.</u>

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9.8 Revision ~~4~~ ⁵	Isle of Axholme and North Nottingham Water Level Management	SoCG in draft. Comments received from relevant party and addressed by Applicant in version submitted.	No changes to content since Deadline 1. The Applicant and stakeholder are continuing discussions.	Updated SoCG by both parties in draft including latest input from the IBD. One item updated to 'agreed'.	No changes to content since Deadline 3 so has not been submitted at Deadline 4.	No changes to content since Deadline 3 so has not been submitted at Deadline 5.	Updated SoCG by both parties in draft. The content reflects the current position at Deadline 6. The matters that remain 'under discussion' are relating to protective provisions. The Applicant is confident that the matters will be 'agreed' by Deadline 8, following the IBD's review of the latest content.	Updated SoCG not submitted at Deadline 8. The Applicant is pending a response from the IBD. The Applicant is hopeful the SoCG will be signed and submitted at Deadline 9.	<u>An updated SoCG is submitted at Deadline 9, signed by both parties.</u> <u>One matter is 'not agreed' relating to protective provisions.</u> <u>All other matters are 'agreed'</u>

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9.9 Revision 5	Natural England	SoCG in draft. First draft issued by Applicant and pending comments from relevant party. Subsequent additions made to the draft SoCG to reflect latest correspondence.	Additional comments received from Natural England which the Applicant is considering. This includes additional records of engagement and details regarding items of discussion. This revision is submitted at Deadline 2.	SoCG is progressing but not submitted at Deadline 3 by the Applicant. Natural England have advised they will provide comments on the Deadline 2 version by the end of June 2026. Updated SoCG to be submitted at Deadline 4.	The Applicant is continuing to engage with Natural England regarding the Scheme. The Applicant is intending to submit a updated SoCG at Deadline 5.	Updated SoCG by both parties in draft. Content updated to reflect latest engagement with NE and submitted at Deadline 5. The Applicant is continuing to engage with Natural England regarding the Scheme, and intends to submit another version of the SoCG at Deadline 6.	Updated SoCG by both parties in draft. The content reflects the current position at Deadline 6. Table 3-1 has been created to give an overarching summary on the details provided on each matter in Table 3-2. All matters are now agreed, except for ref NE23d (Protected Species – Great Crested Newt) which remains under discussion. The Applicant	SoCG updated and signed by both parties at Deadline 8. All matters are 'agreed' between both parties.	<u>Final signed SoCG submitted at Deadline 8</u>

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							expects this to be 'agreed' before the end of the examination.		
9.10 Revision 6	National Highways (NH)	SoCG in draft. Comments received from relevant party and addressed by Applicant in version submitted.	The Applicant and NH are continuing to discuss items within the SoCG. An updated SoCG is submitted at Deadline 2.	The Applicant has updated content following the continued engagement with NH. NH have not provided comments on the latest content prior to Deadline 3 submission. The Applicant proposes to provide a further updated version at Deadline 4 reflecting any	Updated SoCG by both parties in draft. Content updated to reflect latest engagement with National Highways and has been submitted at Deadline 4.	No changes to content since Deadline 4 so has not been submitted at Deadline 5.	Updated SoCG by both parties in draft. The content reflects the current position at Deadline 6. Some matters remain 'under discussion'. These matters are relating to protective provisions and compulsory acquisition. A final position on each matter will be provided by Deadline 8.	SoCG updated and signed by both parties at Deadline 8. Four matters are 'not agreed' between the parties, regarding: (1) compulsory acquisition, (2) Glint & Glare Assessment and Outline Landscape Ecological Management Plan, (3) certain aspects of the Draft DCO, and	<u>Final signed SoCG submitted at Deadline 8</u>

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				comments received by NH in advance of that deadline.			Some matters are 'not agreed' between parties. These are matters relating to Glint & Glare Assessment, the draft dDCO requirements	(4) Protective Provisions. All other matters are 'agreed'.	
9.11 Revision <u>46</u>	Network Rail Infrastructure	SoCG in draft. First draft issued by Applicant and pending comments.	No changes to content since Deadline 1. The Applicant and stakeholder are continuing discussions regarding protective provisions.	No changes to content since Deadline 1. so no updated version submitted at Deadline 3 The Applicant and stakeholder are continuing discussions regarding protective provisions.	No changes to content since Deadline 1 so has not been submitted at Deadline 4. The Applicant is continuing to engage with Network Rail Infrastructure.	The SoCG has been updated by the Applicant and submitted at Deadline 5. The Applicant has updated the protective provisions in Part 8 of Schedule 14 of Draft DCO to incorporate any changes to the drafting which have been	Updated SoCG by both parties in draft. The content reflects the current position at Deadline 6. All matters within the SoCG remain under discussion between the two parties. A final position on each matter will be	Updated SoCG not submitted at Deadline 8. As drafted, two matters remain 'under discussion'. These are relating to (1) Technical Approvals & Clearances, and (2) Glint & Glare Impacts.	<u>An updated SoCG submitted at Deadline 9, signed by both parties.</u> <u>All matters within the SoCG are 'not agreed'. These include matters</u>

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						agreed between the Applicant and Network Rail Infrastructure.	provided by Deadline 8.	All other matters are 'not agreed' between the parties. These include: (1) Compulsory acquisition powers in relation to Network Rail Infrastructure Ltd land and rights, and (2) Protective Provisions. The Applicant is waiting for Network Rail to return the signed copy of the SoCG. The Applicant is continuing to chase Network Rail on finalising the SoCG and is	<u>relating to:</u> <u>(1) compulsor y acquisition powers in relation to Network Rail Infrastructure Ltd land and rights.</u> <u>(2) Protective provisions.</u> <u>(3) Technical Approval & Clearances</u> <u>and (4) Glint and Glare Impacts.</u>

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								hopeful to submit the final version at Deadline 9.	
9.12 Revision 3	Canal and River Trust	SoCG in draft. First draft issued by Applicant and pending comments.	No changes to content since Deadline 1. The Applicant and stakeholder are continuing discussions regarding protective provisions.	SoCG updated by the Applicant in draft, pending comments from the Canal & River Trust. Content updated regarding protective provisions updated.	No changes to content since Deadline 3 so has not been submitted at Deadline 4. The Applicant is continuing to engage with Canal & River Trust.	No changes to content since Deadline 3 so has not been submitted at Deadline 5. The Applicant is continuing to engage with Canal & River Trust.	Updated SoCG by both parties in draft. The content reflects the current position at Deadline 6. Some matters remain 'under discussion'. These matters are relating disapplication of legislation sought through the draft DCO and compulsory acquisition. A final position on each matter will	SoCG updated and signed by both parties at Deadline 8. Two matters are 'not agreed' between the parties, including: (1) Protective Provisions and (2) Disapplication of legislation sought through the draft DCO, One matters remains 'under discussion' relating to Compulsory	<u>Final signed SoCG submitted at Deadline 8</u>

Document Reference	Party	Position at Deadline 1	Position at Deadline 2	Position at Deadline 3	Position at Deadline 4	Position at Deadline 5	Position at Deadline 6	Position at Deadline 8	<u>Position at Deadline 9</u>
							be provided by Deadline 8. One matter is 'not agreed' between parties, relating to protective provisions.	Acquisition. The Applicant is continuing to engage with CRT and is confident that agreement can be reached. All other matters are 'agreed'.	
9.13 Revision 2	South Yorkshire Fire and Rescue Service (SYFRS)	SoCG in draft. First draft issued by Applicant and pending comments.	SYFRA confirmed they have no comments on the draft SoCG issued by the Applicant and await any questions from the ExA.	Updated SoCG submitted. All matters now 'agreed' between SYFRS and the Applicant.	All matters agreed at Deadline 3 so no update is submitted at Deadline 4. Final signed SoCG will be submitted at Deadline 8.	All matters agreed at Deadline 3 so no update is submitted at Deadline 5. Final signed SoCG will be submitted at Deadline 8.	Updated SoCG not submitted at Deadline 6. The Applicant is in discussion with SYFRS to progress the SoCG to being signed by both parties, for submission at Deadline 8.	SoCG updated and submitted at Deadline 8 with all matters 'agreed'. However, SYFRS have advised they do not formally sign SoCGs. A copy of this email correspondence is provided at Appendix C of	<u>Final SoCG submitted at Deadline 8.</u>

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								this document for reference.	

4 Summary of Commonality

- 4.1.1. This section provides a summary of the main topics covered by the final SoCGs and identifies where there is a commonality in topics between the SoCG parties.
- 4.1.2. The colour coding within Table 2 is described below.

Cell Colour	Status
	Agreed
	Not agreed
	Not applicable

Table 2: Summary of Commonality with Relevant Stakeholders

Document Reference	Party	Agricultural Land	Air Quality	Approach to EIA	Biodiversity	Consultation & Engagement	Cultural Heritage & Archaeology	Design of Development	Draft DCO	Export Connection	Glint & Glare	Human Health	Hydrology & Flood Risk	Landscape and Visual	Noise and Vibration	Principle of Development	Policy & Legislation	Socio Economics	Transport and Access	Waste
9.2 Revision 6	City of Doncaster Council																			
9.3 Revision 6	North Lincolnshire Council																			
9.4 Revision 5	Environment Agency																			
9.5 Revision 5	NGET																			
9.6 Revision 3	Lincolnshire Wildlife Trust																			
9.7 Revision 5	Doncaster East Internal Drainage Board																			
9.8 Revision 5	Isle of Axholme and North Nottingham Water Level Management																			
9.9 Revision 5	Natural England																			
9.10 Revision 6	National Highways																			
9.11 Revision 4	Network Rail Infrastructure																			
9.12 Revision 4	Canal and River Trust																			
9.13 Revision 4	South Yorkshire Fire and Rescue Service																			

5 References

Ref.1: Planning Act 2008. Available online:

<https://www.legislation.gov.uk/ukpga/2008/29/section/14>

Ref.2: Department for Energy Security and Net Zero (2023). Overarching National Policy Statement for Energy (EN-1). Available online:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/overarching-national-policy-statement-for-energy-en-1-2025>

APPENDIX A – Letter from Historic England



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APPENDIX B – Humberside Fire & Rescue Service Correspondence

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Cc: [REDACTED]@pegasusgroup.co.uk
Subject: Re: Tween Bridge Solar Farm Development Consent Order Application

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Thank you for confirming that a SoCG is not requested.

The Applicant has been committed to using the NFCC guidance to inform the design and will continue to use the guidance to inform the design through the development process.

Please refer to Table 1-1 of the Outline Battery Safety Management Plan [Document Ref. APP-179] submitted with the application, whereby the NFCC recommendations have been considered against the design. A copy of the document is available on the Planning Inspectorate website, here: <https://nsip-documents.planninginspectorate.gov.uk/published-documents/EN010148-000244-7.4%20Outline%20Battery%20Safety%20Management%20Plan.pdf>

To confirm, we are in communication with South Yorkshire Fire & Rescue directly on this application.

Kind regards,

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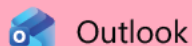
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APPENDIX C – South Yorkshire Fire & Rescue Service Email Correspondence



Re: [External] Tween Bridge Solar Farm DCO Statement of Common Ground (SoCG)

From Amber Merrills <AMerrills@syfire.gov.uk>
Date Tue 2026-09-29 10:19 AM
To Henri Scanlon <Henri.Scanlon@pegasusgroup.co.uk>

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Morning Henri,

I can confirm the Statement of Common Ground (SoCG) accurately reflects the discussions held. While South Yorkshire Fire & Rescue does not comment on the technical detail of the battery storage system and associated installations, I can confirm that the applicant has addressed the comments raised by SYFR in the SoCG, giving assurance that the design will be in line with relevant available guidance.

Kind regards,

Amber Merrills

District Manager - Fire Safety
Business Fire Safety
South Yorkshire Fire & Rescue
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From: Henri Scanlon <Henri.Scanlon@pegasusgroup.co.uk>
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Hi Amber,

Thank you for your continued engagement with the Applicant regarding the above DCO application.

Please see attached the final 'clean' version of the SoCG, which confirms all matters are agreed, for your records.

Minor updates since your last review include:

1. Document referencing to ensure these are up to date with the end of the examination documents
2. Additional content added to Table 2-1: Record of Engagement, to summarise the correspondence between Sout Yorkshire Fire and Rescue Service (SYFRS) and the Applicant.

The Applicant understands from previous correspondence that SYFRS do not usually proceed to sign SoCGs with applicants. Please can you confirm this position in response to this email. The Applicant intends to submit this email correspondence to the ExA for confirmation all matters are 'agreed' between the Applicant and SYFRS in the absence of signature on the SoCG itself.

Please respond by COP 1 October 2026.

Kind regards,

Henri Scanlon

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