

Planning Act 2008

The Infrastructure Planning (Applications: Prescribed Forms and Procedure) Regulations 2009

Certificate of compliance with section 56 of the Planning Act 2008

I hereby certify that, in compliance with the requirements of section 56 of the Planning Act 2008 –

- (a) notice of the accepted application was given to the required persons identified in accordance with section 56;
- (b) a copy of the accepted application and accompanying documents and information was made available to the required persons; and
- (c) the accepted application was published in the required manner

- in relation to the application for an order to grant development consent for a ground-mounted solar photovoltaic electricity generation and battery energy storage system together with associated development, at a site centred on National Grid Reference 514682 347825 northeast of Sleaford and north of Heckington, and associated development including an electricity cable connection corridor terminating at the existing National Grid Substation at Bicker Fen.

The deadline date for all representations to be received by the Secretary of State under section 56 was 2 July 2025; with the exception that a date of 5 July 2025 was given to two consultees corresponding to the delay they may have experienced in receiving the section 56 notification.

(Completed certificate to be received by the Secretary of State no later than 10 working days after the deadline date stating the applicant has fulfilled all the requirements at (a), (b) and (c) above)

Planning Inspectorate Case Reference No.: EN010151

Applicant: Beacon Fen Energy Park Limited

Signed: DWD

Name in capitals: DWD PROPERTY AND PLANNING LIMITED

Date: 8 July 2025

Warning

Section 127 of the Magistrates' Courts Act 1980 (c.43) has effect under section 58 of the Planning Act 2008 subject to section 58(6). In Scotland section 136 of Criminal Procedure (Scotland) Act 1995 (c.46) has effect.

It is an offence if a person issues this certificate as a certificate under section 58 of the Planning Act 2008, if it contains a statement which the person knows to be false or misleading in a material particular.

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