

**PLANNING ACT 2008**  
**THE INFRASTRUCTURE PLANNING (EXAMINATION PROCEDURE)**  
**RULES 2010**

**CONNAH'S QUAY LOW CARBON POWER PROJECT**

**DEADLINE 4 SUBMISSION**  
**ON BEHALF OF TATA STEEL UK LIMITED**

## I. Introduction

1. This submission is made on behalf of Tata Steel UK Limited (“**Tata Steel**”), further to the relevant representation dated 27 October 2025, written representation dated 27 January 2026, response to ExQ1 and written submissions at Deadlines 2 and 3 (“**Previous Submissions**”). The issues highlighted in the Previous Submissions are not repeated in this submission.
2. For the reasons set out in the Previous Submissions and this submission, Tata Steel objects to the application seeking development consent for the Connah’s Quay Low Carbon Power Project (“**Application**”).

## II. Comments on Deadline 3 Submissions

3. The following Deadline 3 submissions are of direct relevance to Tata Steel:

Ref.	Comments
REP1-012 - 4.2 CQLCP Land Rights and Negotiations Tracker Rev 01	Tata Steel accepts the record of negotiations to date. While Tata Steel will continue to cooperate with the Applicant in respect of the heads of terms, considerably greater detail is required to address the concerns raised in the Previous Submissions.
REP3-057 - 9.14 CQLCP Applicant's Response to Deadline 2 Submissions Rev 00	In the absence of sufficient detail in the Framework CTMP [REP1-025] and the AIL Route Feasibility (dating from November 2024), the concerns raised in the Previous Submissions have not been addressed.
REP3-059 - 9.16 CQLCP Applicant's Response to ExQ1 Rev 00	As highlighted above, considerably greater detail is required to address the concerns raised in the Previous Submissions.

## III. Draft Heads of Terms

4. High level heads of terms were received by Tata Steel on 26 February 2026, with comments returned to the Applicant on 31 March 2026. While Tata Steel will continue to cooperate with the Applicant in respect of the heads of terms, considerably greater detail is required to address the concerns raised in the Previous Submissions.
5. Until such time as agreement is reached with the Applicant in respect of the HoTs and any resulting agreement has completed, Tata Steel objects to the Application and reserves the right to request the inclusion of protective provisions in the development consent order.