

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 Meridian Solar Farm (the Scheme). The Scheme comprises the construction, operation (including maintenance) and decommissioning of a solar PV electricity generating station with associated infrastructure, including colocated Battery Energy Storage System (BESS), Inter-Array Connections to link the land parcels that form the Solar Development Areas, and an up to 13km overhead line Grid Connection (with one short undergrounded section) which would run north towards a point of connection (PoC) at the proposed Weston Marsh B National Grid Electricity Transmission (NGET) substation, to the north of Weston. The Scheme would be located within the administrative boundaries of South Holland District Council and Lincolnshire County Council.

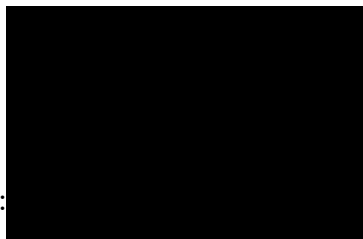
The deadline date for all representations to be received by the Secretary of State under section 56 was 11:59pm on 2 July 2026.

(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).

Case Reference No: EN010169

Application: Meridian Solar Farm Limited

Signed:

A large black rectangular redaction box covering the signature of David Vernon.

Name in capitals: DAVID VERNON

Date: 10 July 2026

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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