

## Keadby Hydrogen Power Station (EN0110001) – Review of Programme Document

- Good demonstration of compliance with the Planning Act 2008: pre-application stage for Nationally Significant Infrastructure Projects Guidance. The Applicant will be aware that one of the mandatory components of the new pre-application service (for all service tiers), as set out in the Nationally Significant Infrastructure Projects: 2024 Pre-application Prospectus, is demonstrating regard to advice. As such this should be clearly reflected in the application documents.
- It is noted that the Programme Document (PD) is hosted on the [Applicant's website](#). Any updated versions should also be published.
- The PD contains two different timeframes for submission – para 1.1 states Q2 2025 while Table 2.1 states it is planned for March 2025. The Applicant should clarify when it intends to submit the application.
- Table 2.1 shows the Applicant's pre-application process timetable.
- Consultation on the SoCC is planned for July/ August 2024, and SoCC publication planned for August 2024 – there is no evidence this has happened as yet and therefore the PD should be updated accordingly.
- It would be helpful if the PD could provide approximate timescales for project update meetings with the Inspectorate. It would also be helpful to list any future meetings with key stakeholders to enable those parties to deploy resources effectively.
- Targeted/ further consultation is not included in the timetable (although may not be required for this project).
- The Adequacy of Consultation Milestone is included in the timetable, 3 months before planned submission, but it would be helpful if the timeframe could be narrowed.
- The Applicant should provide a list of draft documents for review by PINS and consider whether sufficient time has been allowed for the Applicant to address any comments from PINS. It would be helpful if the timeframe could be narrowed.