

Planning Act 2008

The Infrastructure Planning (Environmental Impact Assessment) Regulations 2017

Certificate of compliance with regulation 16

I hereby certify that in compliance with the requirements under regulation 17 of the Infrastructure Planning (Environmental Impact Assessment) Regulations 2017–

- a) notice of the application was given to the persons identified under regulation 11; and
- b) a copy of the accepted application, including the environmental statement and a map was given to the consultation bodies in accordance with regulation 16

in relation to the application for an order to grant development consent to construct, operate and maintain, and decommission The Droves Solar Farm (the “Scheme”) on land within the administrative boundaries of Breckland Council and Norfolk County Council. The Scheme includes a solar photovoltaic generating station with a generating capacity of more than 50MW (AC) and associated infrastructure.

(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) and (b)).

Case Reference No.: EN0110013

Applicant: The Droves Solar Farm Limited

Signed: 

Name in capitals: HARMAN SOND

Date: 02/03/2026

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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 to construct, operate and maintain, and decommission The Droves Solar Farm (the “Scheme”) on land within the administrative boundaries of Breckland Council and Norfolk County Council. The Scheme includes a solar photovoltaic generating station with a generating capacity of more than 50MW (AC) and associated infrastructure.

The deadline date set for all representations to be received by the Secretary of State under section 56 was 11.59pm on 27 February 2026.

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

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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.

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

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Certificate of compliance with section 59 of the Planning Act 2008

The names, addresses for service and contact details of the affected persons are–

EITHER

(a) as described in Part 1 of the book of reference (persons within Category 1 set out in section 57(1) of the Planning Act 2008 and persons within Category 2 set out in section 57(2) of that Act): **YES**

OR

(b) as described in Part 1 of the book of reference (persons within Category 1 set out in section 57(1) of the Planning Act 2008 and persons within Category 2 set out in section 57(2) of that Act) subject to the changes described in documentation attached to this notice: **NO**

OR

(c) as described in the documentation attached to this notice: **NO**

in relation to the application for an order to grant development consent to construct, operate and maintain, and decommission The Droves Solar Farm (the “Scheme”) on land within the administrative boundaries of Breckland Council and Norfolk County Council. The Scheme includes a solar photovoltaic generating station with a generating capacity of more than 50MW (AC) and associated infrastructure.

(Completed notice, and where applicable, revised documentation, to be sent to the Secretary of State at the same time as the applicant, in accordance with section 58 of the Planning Act 2008, certifies compliance with its commitments under section 56 of that Act)

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Notes

- a. Section 56 of the Planning Act 2008 requires the applicant to have: (a) given notice of an accepted application to the required persons; (b) made available to the required persons a copy of the application and accompanying documents and information; and (c) publicised the application in the prescribed manner.
- b. Section 57 of the Planning Act 2008 defines a person as being within Categories 1 and 2 as follows:
 - (1) A person is within Category 1 if the applicant, after making diligent inquiry, knows that the person is an owner, lessee, tenant (whatever the tenancy period) or occupier of the land.
 - (2) A person is within Category 2 if the applicant, after making diligent inquiry, knows that the person: (a) is interested in the land; or (b) has power to either sell or convey the land or to release the land.
- c. Section 58 of the Planning Act 2008 requires the applicant to certify to the Secretary of State that the applicant has complied with the requirements of section 56 of the Act.
- d. The book of reference is defined in Regulation 7 of the Infrastructure Planning (Applications: Prescribed Forms and Procedure) Regulations 2009.