

## Response to Examining Authority's First Written Questions (ExQ1)

### PACE Nano Energy Limited | National Grid Electricity Transmission Norwich to Tilbury Project (PINS reference: EN020027)

PACE Nano Energy Limited (company number 12645785) (**PACE Nano**) is a wholly owned subsidiary of Egg Power AssetCo Limited (company number 16485175) (**Egg Power**) which is a well-established renewable energy investment company. Further to PACE Nano's Relevant Representation [\[RR-2789\]](#) and Written Representation [\[REP1-264\]](#) PACE Nano affirms that it does not have an in-principle objection to National Grid Electricity Transmission's (**NGET**) application for a Development Consent Order (**DCO**) for the proposed Norwich to Tilbury project (**Proposed Development**) but would like to reserve its position in the examination until the interface between the projects is settled commercially.

PACE submits this representation in response to the Examining Authority's First Written Questions (ExQ1) [\[PD-014\]](#) issued on 20 March 2026. PACE Nano refers to ExQ1 reference GEN 1.9 which requests developers of the projects listed in in Table 2.1 of the Interrelationship Report submitted by NGET (the **Applicant**) at Deadline 1 [\[REP1-134\]](#) who are interested parties in this examination to provide comment on the content of the report, cross referencing to any relevant statements of common ground (**SoCG**) where necessary. A response is to be provided by Deadline 3 (10 April 2026).

As requested in its Written Representation [\[REP1-264\]](#), PACE Nano's interest has been recognised in the Interface Report [\[REP1-134\]](#) as ID reference BMS63 in Table 2.1 of the report. The report accurately reflects that PACE Nano holds a planning permission for Grange Solar Farm (Ref: DC/22/02667). The entry refers to an indicative construction phase of October 2025 – October 2026, with an expected operational start date of 2026. PACE Nano confirms this is accurate, with the development currently in its construction phase and with an anticipated operational date of December 2026.

The report expands upon PACE Nano's interest at paragraphs 3.3.10 to 3.3.13 under the heading 'PS Renewables / PACE Nano Energy Limited – Grange Solar Farm – Grange Farm Old Bury Road Palgrave Suffolk IP22 1AZ (BMS63)'. PACE Nano notes that it is no longer a subsidiary of PS Renewables, but rather of Egg Power. PACE Nano otherwise confirms that the negotiations between the parties are progressing constructively. The parties have agreed Head of Terms and are in the process of negotiating a commercial agreement to manage the interface. This includes provision of the design modifications referred to in paragraph 3.3.13 to modify and underground an existing overhead line, and for PACE Nano to facilitate alternative access rights for NGET to certain NGET towers.

PACE Nano confirms that the position above is reflected in the parties' SoCG, a draft of which was submitted at Deadline 1 [\[REP1-093\]](#). The parties will continue to keep the SoCG updated as negotiations in respect of the commercial agreement progress. PACE Nano notes a mid-examination update is required with respect to the Interrelationship Report and SoCG by Deadline 4 which is 12 May 2026 and will continue to progress the position with the Applicant in advance of this date.

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