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Statements of Common Ground

1. Overview

- 1.1.1 In accordance with government guidance (Planning Act 2008: Pre-application stage for Nationally Significant Infrastructure Projects, published 30 April 2024), the Applicant has been developing Statements of Common Ground (SoCGs) with a number of statutory prescribed and non-prescribed consultees, statutory undertakers and interested parties throughout project development. As requested in annex F3 of the **Rule 6 letter [PD-009]**, these final SoCGs were submitted at Deadline 7 to seek to confirm to the Examining Authority where agreement has been reached and where agreement has not been reached, alongside those which remain under discussion due to the ongoing nature of those matters.
- 1.1.2 The SoCGs are largely structured as follows:
- Summary of key engagement undertaken to date with the consultee
 - Table(s) summarising the key interests of the Parties (arranged by topic/discipline where relevant) and the status of each matter:
 - ‘Not agreed’ indicates a final position, where it has not been possible to resolve the issue to the agreement of both parties and there remains a difference of opinion;
 - ‘Under discussion’ indicates where issues are the subject of active ongoing discussion, either to be resolved within the examination after finalisation of the SoCG, or resolution is subject to discussions that will progress beyond the close of the examination, such as during detailed design;
 - ‘Agreed’ indicates where an issues has been agreed or resolved satisfactorily to the agreement of both parties.

2. List of SoCGs and status

- 2.1.1 As requested by the Examining Authority in Written Question GEN 1.18 **[PD-014]**, this SoCG overview document provides a list of SoCGs which:
- Includes both the name of the organisation as well as the location/name of the development which the SoCG related to (if relevant), such as the location/name of the solar farm or housing proposal
 - States whether the organisation is a statutory consultee, an Affected Person (AP), and whether they are a Non-Interested Party
 - Number each of the SoCG in the table consecutively
 - Includes all examination library references.

- 2.1.2 For the purposes of this document, a Non-Interested Party (Non-IP) is a stakeholder who did not submit a Relevant Representation and did not request to become an IP accepted at the discretion of the Examining Authority.
- 2.1.3 A Statutory Consultee refers to those included in **5.1 Consultation Report – Appendix F: List of prescribed consultees identified and consulted during statutory consultation [APP-072]**.
- 2.1.4 An Affected Person is a stakeholder who has an interest in land within the project Order Limits as per **4.4 Land Rights Tracker [REP6-044REP7-081]**.

2.2 **Deadline ~~7~~8 update**

- 2.2.1 The Applicant would like to thank stakeholders for their ongoing engagement to progress SoCGs, the final versions of which ~~are~~were submitted at Deadline 7 in line with the **Rule 6 letter [PD-009]**.

2.2.2 Some SoCGs which were submitted as final but unsigned at Deadline 7 have since been signed by both parties and submitted at Deadline 8. These include:

- Thurrock Council
- Combined IDBs – Water Management Alliance
- Equinor
- British Pipeline Agency
- Exolum Pipeline System Ltd
- Innova Renewables (Hall Farm Energy Storage Project)
- Scottish Power Renewables (UK) Limited
- East Anglia 3 Three Limited
- TC East Anglia One OFTO Ltd

- 2.2.3 As of Deadline ~~7~~8, ~~72~~81 SoCGs have been signed and ~~24~~15 SoCGs have been submitted as a final, unsigned version.

~~2.2.2 The Applicant notes that signed SoCGs do not mean that all matters are agreed or that no further engagement is required. The Applicant will continue to engage with key stakeholders as required following the close of examination, including to progress detailed design, finalise further agreements and further discuss construction and operational requirements.~~

~~2.2.3 The Applicant wishes to note that in relation to the landscape and visual sections of the SoCGs with Essex County Council, Babergh and Mid Suffolk District Council, Tendring District Council, Chelmsford City Council and Brentwood Council, that despite regular meetings and engagement (including those focussed on the SoCGs since February 2026), the detailed comments from the local authorities within these SoCGs were not received until Friday 10th July 2026. It is the Applicant's view that the comments do not reflect the positive progress that has been made and discussions held in relation to this topic, and that had these comments been provided earlier in the process then further agreement could have been reached.~~

- 2.2.4 The Applicant confirms that the submissions listed in Table 2.1 have been updated to clearly identify those SoCGs being submitted at Deadline ~~7~~8.

Table 2.1 Status of SoCGs at Deadline ~~7~~8

SoCG No	Examination Ref	Consultee	Consultee type	Latest status
1.	REP5-084 <u>REP7-09</u> <u>4</u>	Norfolk County Council (NCC) (incl. LLFA and Highways)	Statutory consultee Affected Person	Signed and dated at Deadline 7
2.	REP5-083 <u>REP7-09</u> <u>6</u>	Suffolk County Council (SCC) (incl. LLFA and Highways)	Statutory consultee Affected Person	Signed and dated at Deadline 7
3.	REP5-085 <u>REP7-09</u> <u>8</u>	Essex County Council (ECC) (incl. LLFA and Highways)	Statutory consultee Affected Person	Signed and dated at Deadline 7
4.	REP5-087 <u>REP7-10</u> <u>0</u>	Thurrock Council (TC) (incl. LLFA and Highways)	Statutory consultee Affected Person	Final SoCG submitted <u>Signed and dated</u> at Deadline 7 , signed version to follow. This is due to a late change in the final sign-off procedure at the Council and availability of their staff <u>8</u>
5.	REP5-089 <u>REP7-10</u> <u>2</u>	South Norfolk District Council	Statutory consultee Affected Person	Signed and dated at Deadline 7
6.	REP5-091 <u>REP7-10</u> <u>4</u>	Babergh and Mid Suffolk District Councils	Statutory consultee Affected Person	Signed and dated at Deadline 7
7.	REP5-093 <u>REP7-10</u> <u>6</u>	Tendring District Council	Statutory consultee	Signed and dated at Deadline 7
8.	REP5-095 <u>REP7-10</u> <u>8</u>	Colchester City Council	Statutory consultee Affected Person	Signed and dated at Deadline 7
9.	REP4-073 <u>REP7-11</u> <u>0</u>	Braintree District Council	Statutory consultee Affected Person	Signed and dated at Deadline 7
10.	REP5-097 <u>REP7-11</u> <u>2</u>	Chelmsford City Council	Statutory consultee Affected Person	Signed and dated at Deadline 7, content finalised earlier than other

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				host local authorities due to staff availability at the council
11.	REP5-099 <u>REP7-11</u> <u>4</u>	Brentwood Borough Council	Statutory consultee Affected Person	Signed and dated at Deadline 7
12.	REP4-079 <u>REP7-11</u> <u>6</u>	Basildon Borough Council	Statutory consultee Affected Person	Submitted as final, not signed at Deadline 7 – Basildon Borough Council has not responded to correspondence regarding the SoCG
13.	REP4-081 <u>REP7-11</u> <u>8</u>	Natural England	Statutory consultee	Signed and dated at Deadline 7
14.	REP4-083 <u>REP7-12</u> <u>0</u>	Historic England	Statutory consultee	Signed and dated at Deadline 7
15.	REP6-049	Environment Agency	Statutory consultee Affected Person	Signed and dated at Deadline 6
16.	REP4-087 <u>REP7-12</u> <u>2</u>	Combined IDBs - Water Management Alliance	Statutory consultee	Submitted as final, not signed <u>Signed and dated</u> at Deadline 7 – unable to sign within Deadline 7 timeframe <u>8</u>
17.	REP4-089 <u>REP7-12</u> <u>4</u>	Norfolk Wildlife Trust		Signed and dated at Deadline 7
18.	REP4-091 <u>REP7-12</u> <u>6</u>	Suffolk Wildlife Trust		Signed and dated at Deadline 7
19.	REP4-093 <u>REP7-12</u> <u>8</u>	Essex Wildlife Trust	Affected Person	Signed and dated at Deadline 7
20.	REP4-095 <u>REP7-13</u> <u>0</u>	National Highways	Statutory consultee Affected Person	Signed and dated at Deadline 7
21.	REP1-050	Barnards Farm Airfield	Non-IP	Signed and dated at Deadline 1

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22.	REP4-097 REP7-13 2	Thurrock Airfield	Non-IP	Signed and dated at Deadline 7
23.	REP4-099 REP7-13 4	Network Rail	Statutory consultee Affected Person	Signed and dated at Deadline 7
24.	REP4-088 REP7-13 6	Innova Renewables (Hall Farm Energy Storage Project, south of Norwich Main substation)	Affected Person	Submitted as final, not signed Signed and dated at Deadline 7 — Innova have not responded to correspondence regarding the SoCG 8
25.	REP4-101 REP7-13 8	Anglian Water	Statutory consultee Affected Person	Signed and dated at Deadline 7
26.	REP4-103 REP7-14 0	Essex & Suffolk Water	Statutory consultee Affected Person	Submitted as final, not signed at Deadline 7 – Essex & Suffolk Water declined to sign the SoCG
27.	REP4-105 REP7-14 2	Exolum International UK Pipeline System Ltd	Affected Person	Submitted as final, not signed Signed and dated at Deadline 7 — Exolum unable to sign within Deadline 7 timeframe 8
28.	APP-116 REPP7-14 4	National Gas Transmission	Statutory consultee Affected Person	Submitted as final, not signed at Deadline 7 – National Gas have not responded to correspondence regarding the SoCG
29.	REP5-103 REP7-14 6	ScottishPower Renewables (UK) Limited (onshore components of offshore wind farm, north of Bramford)	Statutory consultee Affected Person Non-IP	Submitted as final, not signed Signed and dated at Deadline 7 — SPRUK unable to sign within Deadline 7 timeframe 8
30.	REP4-107 REP7-14 8	MSP Fairwind Limited (Fairwinds Solar Farm, Laindon Essex)	Affected Person	Submitted as final, not signed at Deadline 7 – MSP Fairwind Ltd

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				declined to sign the SoCG
31.	REP1-060	Brook Farm Aerodrome	Non-IP	Signed and dated at Deadline 1
32.	REP2-022 REP7-37 7	Dedham Vale National Landscape and Suffolk & Essex Coast & Heaths National Landscape	Statutory consultee	Signed and dated at Deadline 7
33.	REP5-168 REP7-37 9	Suffolk Constabulary	Statutory consultee	Signed and dated at Deadline 7
34.	REP5-170 REP7-38 1	Essex Police	Statutory consultee	Signed and dated at Deadline 7
35.	REP4-195 REP7-38 3	Lower Thames Crossing		Signed and dated at Deadline 7
36.	REP4-197 REP7-38 5	Affinity Water	Statutory consultee Affected Person	Signed and dated at Deadline 7
37.	REP1-077 REP7-38 7	Flying Trade Group Ltd (Warehouse centre, north of Wick Lane, Ardleigh)	Affected Person Non-IP	Signed and dated at Deadline 7
38.	REP1-078 REP7-38 9	Essex International Jamboree (Scouts and Guides event, Chelmsford)		Signed and dated at Deadline 7
39.	REP4-199 REP7-39 1	Orsett Golf Club	Affected Person	Signed and dated at Deadline 7
40.	REP4-201 REP7-39 3	Clearserve Limited (Landfill/aggregate recycling, east of Tilbury North substation)	Affected Person	Signed and dated at Deadline 7
41.	REP4-203 REP7-39 5	Equinor – on behalf of Sheringham Shoal and Dudgeon Extensions (onshore components of offshore wind farms, Norwich Main substation)	Non-IP	Submitted as final, not signed Signed and dated at Deadline 7 Equinor unable to sign within Deadline 7 timeframe 8
42.	REP4-205 REP7-39	LIH Dunton Hills Limited (Housing, Lower		Signed and dated at Deadline 7

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	<u>7</u>	Dunton Road, Essex)		
43.	REP4-207 <u>REP7-39</u> <u>9</u>	Bloor Homes (Housing, Chadwell St Mary Essex)	Affected Person	Signed and dated at Deadline 7
44.	REP4-209 <u>REP7-40</u> <u>1</u>	Barrie Stone / Crest Nicholson Operations Ltd / Verde Land Promotions Ltd (Housing, Lower Dunton Road, Essex)	Affected Person	Signed and dated at Deadline 7
45.	REP4-211 <u>REP7-40</u> <u>3</u>	EDF Renewables (Bloy's Grove Solar Farm, Brick Kiln Lane Norwich)	Affected Person Non-IP	Signed and dated at Deadline 7
46.	REP4-213 <u>REP7-40</u> <u>5</u>	Brickkiln Solar Farm Limited (solar farm, Mulbarton Norfolk)	Affected Person	Signed and dated at Deadline 7
47.	REP4-215 <u>REP7-40</u> <u>7</u>	Ralos Projects Ltd (proposed Solar Farm, Ash Norfolk)	Affected Person Non-IP	Signed and dated at Deadline 7
48.	REP4-217 <u>REP7-40</u> <u>9</u>	Innova Renewables (Park Gate Farm Solar Park, Rivenhall Braintree)	Affected Person	Signed and dated at Deadline 7
49.	REP4-219 <u>REP7-41</u> <u>1</u>	Conrad Energy (solar farm, Mountnessing Essex)	Affected Person	Signed and dated at Deadline 7
50.	REP4-221 <u>REP7-41</u> <u>3</u>	Low Carbon Limited (Crouch Solar Farm, north-west of Basildon)	Affected Person	Signed and dated at Deadline 7
51.	REP4-223 <u>REP7-41</u> <u>5</u>	Verdant Energy (Solar farm, Somersham Road, Mid Suffolk)	Affected Person Non-IP	Signed and dated at Deadline 7
52.	REP4-225 <u>REP7-41</u> <u>7</u>	Eden Renewables (Sheepcote Solar Farm, Cressing Braintree)		Signed and dated at Deadline 7
53.	REP4-227 <u>REP7-41</u> <u>9</u>	Pace Nano Energy (Grange Farm Solar, Old Bury Road Suffolk)	Affected Person	Submitted as final, not signed at Deadline 7 – Pace Nano Energy focused on legal agreement for D7

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54.	REP4-299 REP7-42 1	Pivoted Power LLP and Ashgreen Energyfarm LTD (Pivot Battery Project, east of Norwich Main substation)	Affected Person	Signed and dated at Deadline 7
55.	REP4-231 REP7-42 3	Cadent Gas	Statutory consultee Affected Person	Signed and dated at Deadline 7
56.	REP4-233 REP7-42 5	Blackwater Aggregates (Bradwell Quarry, Essex)	Non-IP	Signed and dated at Deadline 7
57.	REP6-099	SRC Group (Martells Mineral Site A85 & A86, Essex)	Non-IP	Signed and dated at Deadline 6
58.	REP6-101	SRC Group (Crown Quarry mineral site A79, Ardleigh Essex)	Non-IP	Signed and dated at Deadline 6
59.	REP4-239 REP7-42 7	Ingrebourne Valley Limited (mineral extraction, Stanford Le Hope)	Affected Person	Signed and dated at Deadline 7
60.	REP6-103	SRC Group (Sheepcote Quarry, Chelmsford Essex)	Non-IP	Signed and dated at Deadline 6
61.	REP5-178 REP7-42 9	Tritton Farming Partnership and Brett Aggregates (Lowleys Farm Mineral Site, Chelmsford Essex)	Non-IP	Signed and dated at Deadline 7
62.	REP4-101 REP7-43 1	Chase Farm Airfield	Affected Person Non-IP	Submitted as final, not signed at Deadline 7 – Chase Farm Airfield did not respond to correspondence regarding the SoCG
63.	REP4-244	South Norfolk Model Flying Club	Non-IP	Signed and dated at Deadline 4
64.	REP4-245 REP7-43 3	Raydon Wings Aerodrome		Submitted as final, not signed at Deadline 7 – Raydon Wings did not respond to correspondence

SoCG No	Examination Ref	Consultee	Consultee type	Latest status
				regarding signing the SoCG
65.	REP4-247 REP7-43 5	Priory Farm Airfield		Submitted as final, not signed at Deadline 7 – Priory Farm Airfield did not respond to correspondence regarding the SoCG
66.	REP4-249 REP7-43 7	Norfolk Gliding Club (Tibenham Aerodrome)		Submitted as final, not signed at Deadline 7 - Norfolk Gliding Club has declined to sign the SoCG.
67.	REP1-106	Letter - Wattisham Flying Station	Non-IP	The MOD DIO is in agreement that a separate SoCG with Wattisham Flying Station is not required. A letter stating this has been sent to Wattisham Flying Station, copied to the MOD DIO, and is provided under this document reference number.
68.	REP5-180 REP7-43 9	MOD DIO (aviation safeguarding)	Statutory consultee Affected Person	Signed and dated at Deadline 7
69.	REP4-252	East of England Ambulance Service	Statutory consultee	Signed and dated at Deadline 4
70.	REP1-108	Norfolk Constabulary	Statutory consultee Non-IP	Norfolk Constabulary have confirmed that no further engagement or SoCG is required due to minimal impact based on proposed Abnormal Indivisible Load movements. Should anything change, the Applicant will engage with Norfolk Constabulary.
71.	REP4-253 REP7-44 1	UK Power Networks	Statutory consultee Affected Person	Signed and dated at Deadline 7
72.	REP4-255 REP7-44 3	British Pipeline Agency	Affected Person	Submitted as final, not signed Signed and dated at Deadline 7 – BPA

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				declined to sign the SoCG <u>8</u>
73.	REP6-105	Fulcrum Pipelines Limited	Statutory consultee Affected Person Non-IP	Signed and dated at Deadline 6
74.	REP1-112 <u>REP7-44</u> <u>5</u>	TC East Anglia One OFTO Limited	Affected Person Non-IP	Submitted as final, not signed <u>Signed and dated</u> at Deadline 7 – OFTO unable to sign within Deadline 7 timeframe <u>8</u>
75.	REP4-259 <u>REP7-44</u> <u>7</u>	Virgin Media	Affected Person Non-IP	Signed and dated at Deadline 7
76.	REP4-261 <u>REP7-44</u> <u>9</u>	Vodafone	Affected Person Non-IP	Submitted as final, not signed at Deadline 7 – Vodafone unable to sign within Deadline 7 timeframe
77.	REP4-263 <u>REP7-45</u> <u>1</u>	Arelion	Affected Person Non-IP	Submitted as final, not signed at Deadline 7 – Arelion unable to sign within Deadline 7 timeframe
78.	REP4-265	Cityfibre	Non-IP	No identified interfaces between Cityfibre and the project, and outreach to Cityfibre to confirm this has not been responded to. Therefore this SoCG is not being progressed.
79.	REP6-107	Energy Assets Networks	Statutory consultee Affected Person Non-IP	Signed and dated at Deadline 6
80.	REP4-269 <u>REP7-45</u> <u>3</u>	ESP Utilities Group	Statutory consultee Non-IP	Submitted as final, not signed at Deadline 7 – ESP unable to sign within Deadline 7 timeframe

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81.	REP6-109	euNetworks	Affected Person Non-IP	Signed and dated at Deadline 6
82.	REP4-273	EXA Infrastructure	Affected Person Non-IP	Signed and dated at Deadline 4
83.	REP4-274	GTC	Statutory consultee Non-IP	Signed and dated at Deadline 4
84.	REP4-275 REP7-45 5	Lumen Technologies	Affected Person Non-IP	Submitted as final, not signed at Deadline 7 – Lumen unable to sign within Deadline 7 timeframe
85.	REP4-277	Verizon	Affected Person Non-IP	Signed and dated at Deadline 4
86.	REP4-278 REP7-45 7	Zayo	Affected Person Non-IP	Signed and dated at Deadline 7
87.	REP4-280	Gigaclear	Affected Person Non-IP	Gigaclear have confirmed that a SoCG is not required, and will work with the Applicant as the project progresses
88.	REP4-282	Associated British Ports	Non-IP	Signed and dated at Deadline 4
89.	REP4-283	Peel Ports	Non-IP	Signed and dated at Deadline 5
90.	REP4-285 REP7-45 9	Hutchison Ports	Non-IP	Submitted as final, not signed at Deadline 7 – Hutchison Ports unable to sign within Deadline 7 timeframe
91.	REP6-111 REP7-46 1	Tarchon	Non-IP	Signed and dated at Deadline 7
92.	REP4-289	Sport England	Statutory consultee	Signed and dated at Deadline 4
93.	REP4-290	White Notley Football Club	Affected Person	Signed and dated at Deadline 5

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94.	REP5-187 REP7-465	British Gliding Association		Signed and dated at Deadline 7
95.	REP4-293 REP7-467	Voltwise Power (Brook Farm Energy, Burstall)		Submitted as final, not signed at Deadline 7 – Voltwise Power has declined to sign the SoCG
96.	REP5-186 REP7-463	Southfields Development Group (housing, Stanford-le-Hope)		Signed and dated at Deadline 7
97	REP5-189 REP7-469	Aura Power (Marsh Lane Solar Farm, Palgrave)		Signed and dated at Deadline 7
98	REP7-471	Arqiva Limited	Affected Person	Signed and dated at Deadline 7
99	REP7-472	Parkers of Leicester and Parker Strategic Land (Housing, Kelvedon)	Affected Person	Signed and dated at Deadline 7
100	REP7-473	East Anglia 3 Three Limited (onshore components of offshore wind farm, north of Bramford)	Statutory consultee Affected Person Non-IP	Submitted as final, not signed Signed and dated at Deadline 7 8 – East Anglia Three Limited unable to sign within Deadline 7 timeframe

Appendix A.

SoCGs not proposed

Appendix A

SoCGs not proposed

- A.1.1 The Applicant has been engaging with other statutory prescribed and non-prescribed consultees, statutory undertakers and interested parties during the development of the DCO application. SoCGs with these consultees are unlikely to be produced for the reasons set out in Table A.1 below.
- A.1.2 Please note that while the Applicant has been engaging with neighbouring authorities as prescribed consultees throughout project development, it is the Applicant's view that SoCGs are not required with stakeholders other than those listed above, and neither has a SoCG been requested by them.

Table A.1 SoCGs not currently proposed

Consultee	Justification
Canal and River Trust	No interaction with the project (confirmed in statutory consultation response and relevant representation)
National Trust	Consultee confirmed no SoCG required
Norfolk Fire and Rescue Service	Did not respond to outreach for SoCG, did not respond to statutory consultation. Any matters relevant to Norfolk Fire and Rescue Service may be captured as part of Norfolk County Council's SoCG.
Suffolk Fire and Rescue Service	Did not respond to outreach for SoCG, did not respond to statutory consultation. Any matters relevant to Suffolk Fire and Rescue Service may be captured as part of Suffolk County Council's SoCG.
Essex Fire and Rescue Service	Did not respond to outreach for SoCG, statutory consultation response has been considered in relevant assessments and documentation.
NHS Norfolk and Waveney Integrated Care Board	Did not respond to outreach for SoCG, did not respond to statutory consultation
NHS Suffolk and North East Essex Integrated Care Board	Did not respond to outreach for SoCG, statutory consultation response has been considered in relevant assessments and documentation
Port of Tilbury	No longer interacting due to changes made following statutory consultation
East Anglian Air Ambulance	No impact to aviation movements, did not respond to statutory consultation
Broomfield Hospital (Air Ambulance)	Consultee confirmed no impact in statutory consultation response
Boxted Airfield	Disused airfield
Elmsett Airfield	No identified impact

Consultee	Justification
Garnons Farm Airfield	No identified impact
Laindon Airfield/Bensons Farm Airfield	No identified impact, outside aviation assessment scope
Long Stratton Airfield	No identified impact
Nayland Airfield	No identified impact
Wormingford Airfield	No identified impact
Brock Farm aerodrome	Not operational
Crowfield aerodrome	No identified impact
Dysons Farm helipad	No identified impact
Hinderclay Meadows aerodrome	No identified impact
Civil Aviation Authority (CAA) Safeguarding	No response to engagement to date, have been liaising with CAA Airfield Advisory Team throughout project development
Civil Aviation Authority – Airfield Advisory Team (AAT)	Significant engagement throughout project development, however the AAT were disbanded in March 2025 before a SoCG was able to be agreed. CAA AAT provided a position statement regarding Norwich to Tilbury before their disbandment. Discussions regarding aviation are ongoing with Suffolk County Council and other councils as relevant.
General Aviation Awareness Council (GAAC)	Non-prescribed. Have engaged throughout project development process, engagement ongoing. See Table 3.1
British Gliding Association	SoCG now proposed – see table 3.1
North Falls	Work progressing on Protective Provisions, commercially confidential.
Five Estuaries	Work progressing on Protective Provisions, commercially confidential
MOD DIO (abandoned pipelines)	Latest data suggests originally identified interface pipeline now Exolum.
Met Office	Engaged during project development and confirmed no impact.
Openreach	Heads of Terms to be agreed, commercially confidential.

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