

Please see the below answers to the Examining Authority's questions (Q5.1.27) which are answered by, and are being sent on behalf of, Renesola Hercules Energy 2 Limited.

Renesola's interest in the land was acquired in September 2024. However, this followed around 3 years of work put into the project, as well as the expenditure of significant sums of capital into the development of the same (which started in 2021). Renesola cannot, and could not reasonably be expected to, abandon its project because of a speculative application from the Applicants.

The planning application is likely to be submitted mid-2026.

Renesola has provided detailed information about its project to the Applicants and how it is impacted by the Applicants' proposal. Despite their reply to the representations, there has been no meaningful engagement from the Applicant to find a solution that works for both projects.