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Glossary

Term	Meaning
400 kV grid connection cables	Cables that will connect the proposed onshore substations to the existing National Grid Penwortham substation.
400 kV grid connection cable corridor	The corridor within which the 400 kV grid connection cables will be located.
Applicants	Morgan Offshore Wind Limited (Morgan OWL) and Morecambe Offshore Windfarm Ltd (Morecambe OWL).
Biodiversity benefit	An approach to development that leaves biodiversity in a better state than before. Where a development has an impact on biodiversity, developers are encouraged to provide an increase in appropriate natural habitat and ecological features over and above that being affected.
	For the Transmission Assets, biodiversity benefit will be delivered within identified biodiversity benefit areas within the Onshore Order Limits. Further qualitative benefits to biodiversity are proposed via potential collaboration with stakeholders and local groups, contributing to existing plans and programmes, both within and outside the Order Limits.
Code of Construction Practice	A document detailing the overarching principles of construction, contractor protocols, construction-related environmental management measures, pollution prevention measures, the selection of appropriate construction techniques and monitoring processes.
Commitment	This term is used interchangeably with mitigation and enhancement measures. The purpose of commitments is to avoid, prevent, reduce or, if possible, offset significant adverse environmental effects. Primary and tertiary commitments are taken into account and embedded within the assessment set out in the ES.
Construction Traffic Management Plan	A document detailing the construction traffic routes for heavy goods vehicles and personnel travel, protocols for delivery of Abnormal Indivisible Loads to site, measures for road cleaning and sustainable site travel measures.
Design envelope	A description of the range of possible elements and parameters that make up the Transmission Assets options under consideration, as set out in detail in Volume 1, Chapter 3: Project Description. This envelope is used to define the Transmission Assets for EIA purposes when the exact engineering parameters are not yet known. This is also referred to as the Maximum Design Scenario or Rochdale Envelope approach.

Term	Meaning
Development Consent Order	An order made under the Planning Act 2008, as amended, granting development consent.
Direct pipe	A cable installation technique which involves the use of a mini (or micro) tunnel boring machine and a hydraulic (or other) thruster rig to directly install a steel pipe between two points.
Environmental Impact Assessment	The process of identifying and assessing the significant effects likely to arise from a project. This requires consideration of the likely changes to the environment, where these arise as a consequence of a project, through comparison with the existing and projected future baseline conditions.
Environmental Statement	The document presenting the results of the Environmental Impact Assessment process.
Evidence Plan Process	A voluntary consultation process with specialist stakeholders to agree the approach to, and information to support, the EIA and Habitats Regulations Assessment processes for certain topics.
Generation Assets	The generation assets associated with the Morgan Offshore Wind Project and the Morecambe Offshore Windfarm include the offshore wind turbines, inter-array cables, offshore substation platforms and platform link (interconnector) cables to connect offshore substations.
Intertidal area	The area between Mean High Water Springs and Mean Low Water Springs.
Intertidal Infrastructure Area	The temporary and permanent areas between MLWS and MHWS.
Landfall	The area in which the offshore export cables make landfall (come on shore) and the transitional area between the offshore cabling and the onshore cabling. This term applies to the entire landfall area at Lytham St. Annes between Mean Low Water Springs and the transition joint bay inclusive of all construction works, including the offshore and onshore cable routes, intertidal working area and landfall compound(s).
Local Authority	A body empowered by law to exercise various statutory functions for a particular area of the United Kingdom. This includes County Councils, District Councils and County Borough Councils.
Local Highway Authority	A body responsible for the public highways in a particular area of England and Wales, as defined in the Highways Act 1980.
Main rivers	The term used to describe a watercourse designated as a Main River under the Water Resources Act 1991 and shown on the Main River Map. These are usually larger rivers or streams and are managed by the Environment Agency.
Marine licence	The Marine and Coastal Access Act 2009 requires a marine licence to be obtained for licensable marine activities. Section 149A of the Planning Act 2008 allows an applicant for to apply for 'deemed marine licences' in English waters as part of the development consent process
Maximum design scenario	The realistic worst case scenario, selected on a topic-specific and impact specific basis, from a range of potential parameters for the Transmission Assets.
Mean High Water Springs	The height of mean high water during spring tides in a year.
Mean Low Water Springs	The height of mean low water during spring tides in a year.

Term	Meaning
Micro-tunnel / micro-tunnelling	A tunnelling technique involving the use of a hydraulic (or other) jacking rig and a mini (or micro) tunnel boring machine to install a concrete tunnel between two points.
Mitigation measures	This term is used interchangeably with Commitments. The purpose of such measures is to avoid, prevent, reduce or, if possible, offset significant adverse environmental effects.
Morecambe Offshore Windfarm: Generation Assets	The offshore generation assets and associated activities for the Morecambe Offshore Windfarm.
Morecambe Offshore Windfarm: Transmission Assets	The offshore export cables, landfall, and onshore infrastructure required to connect the Morecambe Offshore Windfarm to the National Grid.
Morecambe OWL	Morecambe Offshore Windfarm Limited is owned by Copenhagen Infrastructure Partners' (CIP) fifth flagship fund, Copenhagen Infrastructure V (CI V).
Morgan and Morecambe Offshore Wind Farms: Transmission Assets	The offshore export cables, landfall, and onshore infrastructure for the Morgan Offshore Wind Project and the Morecambe Offshore Windfarm. This includes the offshore export cables, landfall site, onshore export cables, onshore substations, 400 kV grid connection cables and associated grid connection infrastructure such as circuit breaker compounds. Also referred to in this report as the Transmission Assets, for ease of reading.
Morgan Offshore Wind Project: Generation Assets	The offshore generation assets and associated activities for the Morgan Offshore Wind Project.
Morgan Offshore Wind Project: Transmission Assets	The offshore export cables, landfall and onshore infrastructure required to connect the Morgan Offshore Wind Project to the National Grid.
Morgan OWL	Morgan Offshore Wind Limited is a joint venture between JERA Nex bp (JNbp) and Energie Baden-Württemberg AG (EnBW).
National Grid Penwortham substation	The existing National Grid substation at Penwortham, Lancashire.
National Policy Statement(s)	The current national policy statements published by the Department for Energy and Net Zero in 2023 and adopted in 2024.
Offshore booster station	A fixed structure located along the offshore export cable route, containing electrical equipment to ensure bulk wind farm capacity can be fully transmitted to the onshore substations.
Offshore substation platform(s)	A fixed structure located within the wind farm sites, containing electrical equipment to aggregate the power from the wind turbine generators and convert it into a more suitable form for export to shore.
Offshore export cables	The cables which would bring electricity from the Generation Assets to the landfall.
Offshore export cable corridor	The corridor within which the offshore export cables will be located.
Offshore Permanent Infrastructure Area	The area within the Transmission Assets Offshore Order Limits (up to MLWS) where the permanent offshore electrical infrastructure (i.e. offshore export cables) will be located.
Offshore Order Limits	See Transmission Assets Order Limits: Offshore (below).

Term	Meaning
Offshore substation platform(s)	A fixed structure located within the wind farm sites, containing electrical equipment to aggregate the power from the wind turbine generators and convert it into a more suitable form for export to shore.
Onshore export cables	The cables which would bring electricity from the landfall to the onshore substations.
Onshore export cable corridor	The corridor within which the onshore export cables will be located.
Onshore Infrastructure Area	The area within the Transmission Assets Order Limits landward of MHWS. Comprising the offshore export cable corridor from MHWS to the transition joint bay, onshore export cable corridor, onshore substations and 400 kV grid connection cable corridor, and associated temporary and permanent infrastructure including temporary and permanent compound areas and accesses. Those parts of the Transmission Assets Order Limits proposed only for ecological mitigation and/or biodiversity benefit are excluded from this area.
Onshore Order Limits	See Transmission Assets Order Limits: Onshore (below).
Onshore substations	The onshore substations will include a substation for the Morgan Offshore Wind Project: Transmission Assets and a substation for the Morecambe Offshore Windfarm: Transmission Assets. These will each comprise a compound containing the electrical components for transforming the power supplied from the generation assets to 400 kV and to adjust the power quality and power factor, as required to meet the UK Grid Code for supply to the National Grid.
Preliminary Environmental Information Report	A report that provides preliminary environmental information in accordance with the Infrastructure Planning (Environmental Impact Assessment) Regulations 2017. This is information that enables consultees to understand the likely significant environmental effects of a project, and which helps to inform consultation responses.
Renewable energy	Energy from a source that is not depleted when used, such as wind or solar power.
Scour protection	Protective materials to avoid sediment being eroded away from the base of the foundations due to the flow of water.
Substation	Part of an electrical transmission and distribution system. Substations transform voltage from high to low, or the reverse by means of electrical transformers.
The Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero	The decision maker with regards to the application for development consent for the Transmission Assets.
Transmission Assets	See Morgan and Morecambe Offshore Wind Farms: Transmission Assets (above).
Transmission Assets Order Limits	The area within which all components of the Transmission Assets will be located, including areas required on a temporary basis during construction and/or decommissioning (such as construction compounds).
Transmission Assets Order Limits: Offshore	The area within which all components of the Transmission Assets seaward of Mean Low Water Springs will be located, including areas required on a temporary basis during construction and/or decommissioning.
	Also referred to in this report as the Offshore Order Limits, for ease of reading.

Term	Meaning
Transmission Assets Order Limits: Onshore	The area within which all components of the Transmission Assets landward of Mean High Water Springs will be located, including areas required on a temporary basis during construction and/or decommissioning (such as construction compounds).
	Also referred to in this report as the Onshore Order Limits, for ease of reading.

Acronyms

Acronym	Meaning
AIS	Air Insulated Switchgear
AOD	Above Ordnance Datum
BCA	Bilateral Grid Connection Agreement
CoCP	Code of Construction Practice
СоТ	Project Commitment
CBRA	Cable Burial Risk Assessment
CfD	Contracts for Difference
CMS	Construction Method Statement
CSIP	Cable Specification and Installation Plan
CTMP	Construction Traffic Management Plan
DCO	Development Consent Order
DECC	Department of Energy and Climate Change
Defra	Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs
DESNZ	Department for Energy Security & Net Zero
dML	Deemed Marine Licence
EnBW	Energie Baden-Württemberg AG
EIA	Environmental Impact Assessment
EMP	Environmental Management Plan
EPP	Evidence Plan Process
ES	Environmental Statement
EWG	Expert Working Group
GIS	Gas Insulated Switchgear
HDD	Horizontal Directional Drilling
HGV	Heavy goods vehicle
HNDR	Holistic Network Design Review
HVAC	High Voltage Alternating Current
IALA	International Association of Marine Aids to Navigation and Lighthouse Authorities
IAQM	Institute of Air Quality Management
LAT	Lowest Astronomical Tide
MCA	Maritime and Coastguard Agency
MCZ	Marine Conservation Zone
MDS	Maximum Design Scenario

Acronym	Meaning
MHWS	Mean High Water Springs
MLWS	Mean Low Water Springs
ММО	Marine Management Organisation
MPS	Marine Policy Statement
МТВМ	Mini (or micro) tunnel boring machine
NGESO	National Grid Electricity System Operator
NPS	National Policy Statement
NSIP	Nationally Significant Infrastructure Project
O&M	Operation and Maintenance
OSP	Offshore Substation Platform
OTNR	Offshore Transmission Network Review
PDE	Project Design Envelope
PEIR	Preliminary Environmental Information Report
PPP	Pollution Prevention Plan
PRoW	Public rights of way
SAC	Special Areas of Conservation
SAR	Search and Rescue
SPA	Special Protection Area
SNCBs	Statutory Nature Conservation Bodies
SSSI	Sit of Special Scientific Interest
SWMP	Site Waste Management Plan
TEP	Technical Engagement Plan
TJB	Transition Joint Bay
UK	United Kingdom
UXO	Unexploded Ordnance
WSI	Written scheme of investigation

Units

Unit	Description
%	Percentage
dB	Decibels
Kg	Kilogram
kHz	Kilohertz

Unit	Description
KJ	Kilojoules
km	Kilometres
km²	Kilometres squared
kV	Kilovolt
m	Metres
m ²	Metres squared
m ³	Metres cubed
nm	Nautical mile
μРа	micropascal

1 Response to change Request consultation feedback

1.1 Introduction

- 1.1.1.1 This report details the enquiries and feedback received from the targeted non-statutory consultation in relation to the formal request to make changes to its application for a Development Consent Order (DCO) for the Morgan and Morecambe Offshore Wind Farms: Transmission Assets (hereafter referred to as the 'Transmission Assets').
- 1.1.1.2 Morgan Offshore Wind Limited (Morgan OWL) and Morecambe Offshore Windfarm Limited (Morecambe OWL) ('the Applicants') have responded to all enquiries and feedback received on the proposed Change Request.
- 1.1.1.3 All feedback or written correspondence received by the Applicants on the Change Request are included within this report and identified in **Table 1-1**.

Table 1-1 consultation feedback or written responses received

Responder	Date received	Format	Identifier
Rose	13 August 2025	Email	B.1
Phil Morgan (on behalf of Newton with Clifton and Freckleton Parish Councils)	20 August and 11 September 2025	Email	B.2
National Plant Enquiries (on behalf of Vodafone)	2 and 10 September 2025	Email	B.3
Laura Else	8 September 2025	Email	B.4
Marc	10 September 2025	Email	B.5
Angela Essinger	11 September 2025	Email	B.6
Helen Molloy	12 September 2025	Email	B.7
Deborah Cooper	11 September 2025	Email	B.8
Rosaleen Forsey	11 September 2025 x 2	Email	B.9
Linda Ball	11 September 2025	Email	B.10
Hillary Angus	11 September 2025	Email	B.11
Karen Leeming	11 September 2025	Email	B.12
Gillian Batty	11 September 2025	Email	B.13
Trevor Enstone	12 September 2025	Email	B.14
Michael Gornall	12 September 2025	Email	B.15
Gillian Fielding	12 September 2025	Email	B.16
Lynda Goupil	12 September 2025	Email	B.17
Michelle Fare	12 September 2025	Email	B.18

Responder	Date received	Format	Identifier
Andrea Parker	12 September 2025	Email	B.19
Debbie Bell	12 September 2025	Email	B.20
Fylde Council	12 September 2025	Email	B.21

2 Response to Rose

Table 2-1 B.1: Rose

Reference No.	Comment	Applicants' response
Hawthorns, Whitethorn Mews & Linden Mews should proposal go ahead		The Applicants note this correspondence. It is unclear if this correspondence is specifically in response to the Change Request consultation. However, a full response has been provided and presented below.
	drawing to residents highlighting the said asked.	The Applicants can confirm that pedestrian and vehicle access, including emergency vehicles, to The Hamlet, Whitethorn Mews and Linden Mews will be maintained at all times.
		To install the onshore export cable across Leach Lane, the Applicants anticipate traffic management measures will be required at the Leach Lane/ Blackpool Road North junction only. It is proposed that traffic will be managed through lane closures and the use of signalled shuttle working arrangements, such as temporary traffic signals. Further information can be found in the Outline Construction Traffic Management Plan (OCTMP) (document reference REP4-056). The OCTMP contains the control measures and monitoring procedures for managing the potential traffic and transport impacts of constructing the Transmission Assets. Detailed CTMPs will be prepared by each project in accordance with the OCTMP and will be agreed with the relevant highway authority as secured by Requirement 9 of Schedule 2A and Schedule 2B of the draft DCO (document reference REP4-007).
		All materials associated with the Change Request Consultation, including plans and figure, are still available to view on the Transmission Assets project website – www.morecambeandmorgan.com/transmission/informationhub

Response to Phil Morgan (on behalf of Newton with Clifton and Freckleton Parish Councils)

Table 3-1 B.2: Phil Morgan (on behalf of Newton with Clifton and Freckleton Parish Councils)

Reference No.	Comment	Applicants' response
B.2.1	Dear Morgan and Morecambe On Wednesday 20 th August I sent the below email on behalf of TASC, a group of 8 Town and Parish Councils and the Newton Residents Association. This was picked up by your team working with us on the Statement of Common Ground and discussed at our last meeting. At that meeting they	Following receipt of the email, the Applicants contacted Mr Morgan on the 27 August 2025 offering to explain the proposed changes as part of the Change Request consultation in more detail at a meeting that was pre-arranged on the 28 August 2025.
	said all was made clear in their Change Request Report. They also said people could email or ring with any queries. The Change Request Report is 76 pages long. It is neither simple nor accessible, and doesn't offer a plain English straightforward summary of	Whilst Mr Morgan was grateful and accepted this offer, Mr Morgan suggested that the documents for the Change Request consultation were 'incomprehensible to local residents' and noted two residents have raised these concerns with him directly.
	what is proposed. In fact it is one of 26 documents prepared by M&M, none of which are comprehensible to the public, and offer no information by which the public could engage with the proposed changes. We have discussed the situation with St Annes Town Council who share our concerns. Therefore TASC are formally objecting to the proposed changes on the	The Applicants advised Mr Morgan that the project team are available to discuss the proposed changes in more detail upon request and encouraged those residents to contact the Applicants directly. Mr Morgan confirmed he would refer contact details for the Transmission Assets project to those who had
	grounds that the consultation was not accessible and didn't allow meaningful understanding or informed engagement with the proposed changes. Because M&M have failed to heed our concerns there is now insufficient time to consult on these changes properly before the end of the examination and so the project should remain as it is or be resubmitted in its entirety.	raised these concerns. To help Mr Morgan understand the proposed changes, the Applicants provided a detailed explanation at the meeting of the 28 August 2025 and answered questions that were raised. The Applicants' Change Request has been made in compliance
	During that discussion I did ask about the proposed partial closure of Leach Lane. M&M now say that Liz Dunn, for M&M, made a mistake and instead there will be some traffic control measures, such as traffic lights, in place for the duration of the works. It is unclear if local residents have been made aware of this and we ask that the Town Council be consulted before any measures were implemented.	with the Planning Inspectorate's Change Request Advice and includes the information and documentation recommended in that Advice. The Applicants consider they provided sufficient documents and plans in support of the Change Request consultation. The full suite of materials prepared for the consultation is presented in Table 1 of the Change Request Report (document reference CR1-005).
	Phil Morgan Chair TASC	The Applicants conducted a targeted non-statutory consultation for a period of 32 days, starting from Monday 11 August to 5pm

Reference No. Comment Applicants' response Friday 12 September 2025, and note the consultation exceeded Vice Chair Newton with Clifton Parish Council the minimum 28-day consultation period, as recommended in On Behalf of Newton with Clifton and Freckleton Parish Councils the PINS Change Request Advice under Step 3. Email sent 20th August During the last set of hearings I raised concerns about the proposed The Applicants note that the Change Request has not made changes from the applicant. This was captured in the below extract from our any changes in relation to highway works required at Leach submission for Deadline 4: Lane. The application has always included creation of "The proposed changes to the application, which themselves seemed temporary and permanent accesses into Blackpool Airport from subject to further change, would not be ready until near the end of the Leach Lane. The Change Request has simply identified the examination and there would not be time for proper consideration of them route of the permanent access within the Airport land itself within the examination. This is unacceptable. It is clear that the application under Change 2. The Applicants' position has always been that was made prematurely before many significant issues had been tackled, there will be no full road closures during construction but there never mind resolved, including bird strike risk in particular. would be some locations, including Leach Lane where there may be single lane closures and traffic management measures In particular we noted that changes involving Leach Lane have been in place. The traffic management measures that will apply to proposed in advance of any consultation with local residents and the Leach Lane will be agreed with the local highway authority documents concerning the changes were incomprehensible. We are pleased that the ExA agreed with our points that the consultation should be through the detailed construction traffic management plan meaningful and allow local residents to engage on an informed basis, and which is secured under Requirement 9 of Schedules 2A and 2B of the draft DCO (REP4-007). The detailed construction their recent direction that consultation take place over 32 days." management plan must accord with the outline construction The proposed changes have now been submitted for consultation. However management plan (REP4-056) which refers to measures the concerns we raised at the hearing, namely that the documents shared required for the highway works at Leach Lane at section 1.12.1. were incomprehensible, have not been addressed. What we have does not make any sense to local residents and seems designed to minimise responses by not explaining the impact of these changes (including on the proposed partial closure of Leach Lane shared by the applicant at the last Open Floor Hearing). These concerns are shared by St Annes Town Council. a TASC member. Therefore this is a complaint about your approach to the consultation. We would ask you to review the consultation documents and ask for any changes required to enable a fair and informed consultation over 32 days with local residents and stakeholders in line with the Examining Authority's direction. Best wishes Phil Morgan

Reference No.	Comment	Applicants' response
	Chair TASC	
	Vice Chair Newton with Clifton Parish Council	
	On Behalf of Newton with Clifton and Freckleton Parish Councils	

4 Response to National Plant Enquiries (on behalf of Vodafone)

Table 4-1 B.3: National Plant Enquiries (on behalf of Vodafone)

Reference No.	Comment	Applicants' response
B.3.1	 Please can you resubmit this and all future requests to include: the site location address (including postcode if possible) within the subject heading, send separate emails for each separate site location, 12-digit grid references within the body of the email, a site location plan. If you sent attachments in your original email then you will need to attach them again. Please re-send to osm.enquiries@atkinsglobal.com 	The Applicants issued a response to this query by email on the 4 September 2025, and provided the information requested. This entailed issuing four separate emails specific to each of the Change Request locations and included grid coordinates, copies of the Change Request overview plan, Change Request Report and formal notice.
B.3.2	Please can you resubmit this and all future requests to include: • the site location name (including postcode if possible) within the subject heading, • send separate emails for each separate site location, • 12-digit grid references within the body of the email, • a site location plan, refering to area under utility search. If you sent attachments in your original email then you will need to attach them again. Please re-send to osm.enquiries@atkinsglobal.com	The Applicants spoke with a member of the National Plant Enquiries team on the 11 September 2025 to better understand the nature of their second request. During the call it was agreed for the Applicants to resubmit the plans along with the accompanying information previously shared on the 4 September 2025, as they were also unsure of the nature of the request. As part of the Change Request consultation, the Applicants note they engaged with 'other statutory undertakers', as noted in the Examining Authority's response to a notification by the applicants of their intention to submit a request for changes to the application (document reference PD-010) letter and are

Reference No.	Comment	Applicants' response
		unable to provide the specific location(s) of their assets in relation to this Change Request.

5 Response to Laura Else

Table 5-1 B.4: Laura Else

Reference No.	Comment	Applicants' response
B.4.1	Dear Morecambe and Morgan, I am resident of 17 Linden Mews, St Anne's, FY8 3XD and have concerns regarding your proposed construction works relating to the Morgan and Morecambe Offshore Wind Farms Transmission Project. I am specifically concerned about The Hamlet (being the only access road to my residence), the road junction at Leach Lane and Blackpool Road North (being the only route into St Annes or towards the M55), and the impact of noise pollution and environmental pollution on Blackpool Road Recreation Ground.	The Applicants note this correspondence. Ms Else confirmed with the Applicants on the 10 September 2025 her email was in response to the Change Request consultation and the Transmission Assets project more generally. A full response has been provided to the points raised and presented in this table.
B.4.2	I would be grateful if you could please address the following points: Throughout the works, will I be able to drive through The Hamlet onto both Leach Lane and Blackpool Road North? What traffic measures will be in place - for example will there be any temporary traffic lights?	The Applicants confirm that access to The Hamlet and onto Leach Lane and Blackpool Road North will be maintained at all times. The Applicants anticipate traffic management measures will be required at the Leach Lane/ Blackpool Road North junction only, which is required to help facilitate and safely install the onshore export cable across Leach Lane. With regards to proposed traffic measures, it is proposed that traffic will be managed through single lane closures and the use of signalled shuttle working arrangements, such as temporary traffic signals. Further information can be found in the Outline Construction Traffic Management Plan (OCTMP) (REP4-056). The OCTMP contains the control measures and monitoring procedures for managing the potential traffic and transport impacts of constructing the Transmission Assets. The detailed CTMP will be prepared in accordance with the OCTMP and will be agreed with the relevant highway authority as secured by Requirement 9 of Schedule 2A and Schedule 2B of the draft DCO (REP4-007).

Reference No.	Comment	Applicants' response
B.4.3	When is work anticipated to commence on: a) The Hamlet; b) Leach Road; c) Blackpool Road North and d) Blackpool Road Recreation Ground? How long is work anticipated to take?	The Applicants highlight that no construction activities are expected to take place on The Hamlett or Blackpool Road North. As noted in the Applicants response in row B.4.2 above, the Applicants anticipate traffic management measures will be required on Leach Lane at its junction with Blackpool Road North to facilitate the installation of the onshore export cable across Leach Lane.
		The Applicants are unable to provide a specific duration for the works at Leach Lane at this stage as this would be subject to the construction method used for installing the onshore export cable. A detailed programme of work for this location and the Transmissions Assets as a whole will be developed postconsent, and the Applicants will ensure details of any planned works are communicated to the community, as appropriate.
		However, as presented in the Project Description of the Environmental Statement (document reference REP2-008), the indicative duration for works at Blackpool Road Recreation Ground would be a maximum total of five months.
B.4.4	In plain English, what will these works consist of? Will Blackpool Road Recreation Ground be accessible on foot during the works, for its usual use as a Recreation Ground?	The Applicants have committed to using trenchless techniques to install the onshore export cables at this location. The use of trenchless techniques means there will be no open trenches across the length of the recreation ground. This would instead require the installation of temporary entry and exit pits at each end of the Blackpool Road Recreation Ground, with the cables installed under the recreation ground from these pits. This will result in the relocation of the skatepark and a basketball facility and potential reconfiguration of existing football pitches within the part of Blackpool Road Recreation Ground that is not subject to works during construction.
		Total construction duration at the Blackpool Road Recreation Ground will last for a maximum of five months within the overall construction duration for the onshore export cable corridor (which is 36 months for concurrent construction and 66 months for sequential construction). The five months could be split into two separate periods of time for each project within the overall

Reference No.	Comment	Applicants' response
		construction period. The spatial limitations allow for only one project to carry out works within the Blackpool Road Recreation Ground at any given time, however, regardless of the construction scenario, active construction at Blackpool Road Recreation Ground will not exceed five months.
		During those five months, members of the public would be excluded from the entry and exit pits for health and safety reasons.
		To ensure public safety at Blackpool Road Recreation Ground, the length of the corridor between the entry and exit pits will be fenced off and secured while construction works are taking place. This fencing will be in place for a maximum of two months within the five-month total construction duration noted above.
		As such, there would be a temporary short-term reduction in available open greenspace land at Blackpool Road Recreation Ground during construction of the Transmission Assets. However, it should be noted that the unaffected area of open greenspace land at Blackpool Road Recreation Ground would remain accessible during this period. Further information can be found in Annex 5.4 to the Applicants response to Hearing Action Points: ISH1 18 Blackpool Road Recreation Ground – Summary of impacts (documents reference S_D1_5.5)
B.4.5	I note the development consent order would also authorise the compulsory acquisition of land - will you look to exercise these rights over my property at 17 Linden Mews, or any neighbouring properties?	The Applicants can confirm that Ms Else's property and the other properties in question are outside of the Order limits for the Transmission Assets. Therefore, no powers are included within the Transmission Assets draft DCO to compulsorily acquire your property or neighbouring properties. For the avoidance of doubt, neither project will need to seek to acquire your property or neighbouring properties to construct the Transmission Assets.

6 Response to Marc

Table 6-1 B.5: Marc

Reference No.	Comment	Applicants' response
B.5.1	Hi, Just looking at your letter Will I be effected by this. I live on Lytham road and squires gate lane Blackpool thank you Marc	The Applicants refer Marc to section 1.2.2 of the Change Request Report (document reference CR1_005). This proposed change involves the amendment and reduction of the proposed Order Limits to remove an operational access across Blackpool Airport operational land via Squires Gate Lane. Operational access to the Transmission Assets would only be taken from Leach Lane. Therefore, access from Squires Gate Lane would no longer be required.

7 Response to Angela Essinger

Table 7-1 B.6: Angela Essinger

Reference No.	Comment	Applicants' response
B.6.1	Dear Morgan and Morecambe	The Applicants note this feedback.
	Your recent Change Request Report published here: <u>S_MMCR_3_MMTA_Change+Request+Report_F01.pdf</u> is 74 pages long.	The Change Request Report was one of many documents provided by the Applicants in support of the Change Request
	It is neither simple nor accessible, and doesn't offer a plain English straightforward summary of what is proposed and how these vary from the original proposals. The document makes no sense to me what so ever.	consultation. The full suite of materials prepared for the consultation, including plans and the formal notice, is presented in section 3.6 of the Change Request Consultation Report
	I have family who live in the St Annes area and none of the documents are comprehensible to me or my family and they offer no information by which we can engage with the proposed changes.	(document reference S_MMCR_22). These materials were produced using plain English and, where appropriate, made use of images and graphics to facilitate understanding, in particular to show the before and after position in relation to
	The end of the consultation period (12 September) is not made clear either, as it is hidden on page 34.	each change. The materials for the Change Request were produced in accordance with the PINS Change Request
	Please consult with the community on what you plan to do more clearly and tell us how access to our homes and businesses will be impacted by your revised proposals.	Advice. As presented in the formal notice and in both postal correspondence and emails sent to consultees, a summary of the changes and the consultation period (including the deadline

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	Kind regards	for responses) was clearly stated (see Annexes A10, A.11 and
	Angela Esslinger	A.12). The correspondence also provided contact details for the Applicants' team and encouraged consultees to contact the Applicants with any questions they may have regarding the Change Request. The Applicants can confirm no such request was received by Ms Essinger.
		The Applicants confirm access to homes and businesses will not be impacted by the proposed changes. The proposed changes are refinements and reductions to the application proposals identified through early detailed design work and ongoing engagement with relevant stakeholders. The changes are not considered to be substantive, nor do they result in a materially different application.

8 Response to Helen Molloy

Table 8-1 B.7: Helen Molloy

Reference No.	Comment	Applicants' response
B.7.1	Dear Morgan and Morecambe	The Applicants note this feedback.
	The Change Request Report was one of many documents provided by the Applicants in support of the Change Request	
	It is neither simple nor accessible and doesn't offer a plain English straightforward summary of what is proposed and how these vary from the original proposals. The document makes no sense to me what so ever	consultation. The full suite of materials prepared for the consultation, including plans and the formal notice, is presented in section 3.6 of the Change Request Consultation Report
	None of the documents are comprehensible to me or my family, and they offer no information by which we can engage with the proposed changes.	(document reference S_MMCR_22). These materials were produced using plain English and, where appropriate, made use of images and graphics to facilitate understanding, in
These documents need to be in a simplified format for local residents to be particular to show the before able to fully understand.	particular to show the before and after position in relation to each change. The materials for the Change Request were	
	,	produced in accordance with the PINS Change Request Advice.
		As presented in the formal notice and in both postal correspondence and emails sent to consultees, a summary of

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	Please consult with the community on what you plan to do more clearly and tell us how access to our homes and businesses will be impacted by your revised proposals. Kind regards H.J Molloy	the changes and the consultation period (including the deadline for responses) was clearly stated (see Annexes A10, A.11 and A.12). The correspondence also provided contact details for the Applicants' team and encouraged consultees to contact the Applicants with any questions they may have regarding the Change Request. The Applicants can confirm no such request was received by Ms Molloy.
		The Applicants confirm access to homes and businesses will not be impacted by the proposed changes. The proposed changes are refinements and reductions to the application proposals identified through early detailed design work and ongoing engagement with relevant stakeholders. The changes are not considered to be substantive, nor do they result in a materially different application.

9 Response to Deborah Cooper

Table 9-1 B.8: Deborah Cooper

Reference No.	Comment	Applicants' response
B.8.1	Dear Morgan and Morecambe	The Applicants note this feedback.
	Your recent Change Request Report published here: S_MMCR_3_MMTA_Change+Request+Report_F01.pdf is 74 pages long. It is neither simple nor accessible and doesn't offer a plain English straightforward summary of what is proposed and how these vary from the original proposals. The document does not make sense. None of the documents offer any information by which we can engage with the proposed changes. The end of the consultation period (12 September) is not made clear either, as it is hidden on page 34.	The Change Request Report was one of many documents provided by the Applicants in support of the Change Request consultation. The full suite of materials prepared for the consultation, including plans and the formal notice, is presented in section 3.6 of the Change Request Consultation Report (document reference S_MMCR_22). These materials were produced using plain English and, where appropriate, made use of images and graphics to facilitate understanding, in particular to show the before and after position in relation to each change. The materials for the Change Request were produced in accordance with the PINS Change Request Advice.

Reference No.	Comment	Applicants' response
	Please consult with the community on what you plan to do more clearly and tell us how access to our homes and businesses will be impacted by your revised proposals. Kind regards Deborah Cooper	As presented in the formal notice and in both postal correspondence and emails sent to consultees, a summary of the changes and the consultation period (including the deadline for responses) was clearly stated (see Annexes A10, A.11 and A.12). The correspondence also provided contact details for the Applicants' team and encouraged consultees to contact the Applicants with any questions they may have regarding the Change Request. The Applicants can confirm no such request was received by Ms Cooper.
		The Applicants confirm access to homes and businesses will not be impacted by the proposed changes. The proposed changes are refinements and reductions to the application proposals identified through early detailed design work and ongoing engagement with relevant stakeholders. The changes are not considered to be substantive, nor do they result in a materially different application

10 Response to Rosaleen Forsey

Table 10-1 B.9: Rosaleen Forsey

Reference No.	Comment	Applicants' response
B.9.1	I would like to comment on the proposed changes to the Morecambe wind farm cable transmission route that have recently been submitted. I have, as an older resident with a range of disabilities not had sufficient time to adequately examine and respond to these proposed changes. The extensive documents that have been shared in relation to these are long, inaccessible and not written in plain English	The Applicants note this feedback. The Applicants conducted a targeted non-statutory consultation for a period of 32 days, starting from Monday 11 August to 5pm Friday 12 September 2025 and note the consultation exceeded the minimum 28-day consultation period recommended in the PINS Change Request Advice under Step 3. Whilst the Applicants made this change request at the earliest opportunity, they must ensure there is sufficient time remaining to
This repeated habit of sharing long incomprehensible documents to be responded to in a ridiculously short timescale once again demonstrates that this entire consultation process is being conducted in a discriminatory and unlawful manner.	accommodate the Change Request within the existing Examination timetable. Therefore, the Applicants will not be extending the period for the Change Request consultation, although highlight that, if the Change Request is accepted by	

Boforonco No	Comment	Applicants' response
Reference No.	All the submissions and the process being used to share, exam and consult on them, both on paper and in real life, have taken no account of the needs of local people and stakeholders with protected characteristics under the 2010 Equality Act, including those protected specifically because of their	Applicants' response the Examining Authority, there remains time within the Examination timetable for further representations to be made on the Application as changed in line with the Examining Authority's advice included in their response to the initial
	age, disability and/or sex. I am therefore requesting that a full Equality Impact Assessment be carried out immediately to identify and remedy the extensive discrimination that has already occurred thus far and to create an action plan to eliminate any further discriminatory and negative impacts going forwards. I'm additionally requesting that this consultation deadline be extended to	Notification of the Change Request (PD-010) With regards to the level of information submitted as part of the Change Request consultation, whilst the Applicants acknowledge the volume of information made available, the Applicants must ensure the appropriate documents are provided allowing all consultees to have all the information they
	allow for ALL local residents and stakeholders to examine these extensive materials, and draft informed responses within a reasonable timeframe. Specifically, my request in this regard is that this particular phase of the consultation, relating to these additional changes, be extended from 12th September 2025 to 13th October 2025 and that the entire consultation be extended from the end of October 2025 to the end of January 2026. I'm sharing this with the National Planning Inspectorate too.	need before responding to the Change Request consultation. The full suite of materials prepared for the consultation, including plans and the formal notice, is presented in section 3.6 of the Change Request Consultation Report (document reference S_MMCR_22). These materials were produced using plain English and, where appropriate, made use of images and graphics, in particular to show the before and after position in relation to each change. The materials for the Change Request were produced in accordance with the PINS Change Request
Rosaleen Fol	Rosaleen Forsey	Advice. The Applicants would like to assure Ms Forsey that consideration for consultees with protected characteristics was given and the Applicants had regard to equal opportunities and diversity throughout the Change Request consultation. As noted in the formal notice (please see Annex A.1), consultees could request the information in bespoke formats. Additionally, the full suite of materials to support the Change Request were available to view digitally at publicly accessible venues (see section 3.4 of the Change Request Consultation Report (document reference S MMCR 22).
		The Applicants note Ms Forsey's request to extend the examination, however the Applicants do not consider it necessary or justified and nor is it within the Applicants' control. The examination process has been rigorous and transparent and has provided opportunities for the public and all stakeholders to have their say orally and in writing in

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		accordance with the statutory framework prescribed by the Planning Act 2008.
B.9.2	For the attention of Morecambe and Morgan Offshore Wind Farms.	The Applicants received two separate email correspondences from Ms Forsey and note the points raised across both sets of correspondence are very similar. As such, the Applicants refer Ms Forsey to row B.9.1 for the Applicants' response.
	I would like to comment on the proposed changes to the Morecambe wind farm cable transmission route that have recently been submitted.	
	I have, as an older resident with a range of disabilities not had sufficient time to adequately examine and respond to these proposed changes. The extensive documents that have been shared in relation to these are long, inaccessible and not written in plain English.	
	This repeated habit of sharing long incomprehensible documents to be responded to in a ridiculously short timescale once again demonstrates that this entire consultation process is being conducted in a discriminatory and unlawful manner.	
	All the submissions and the process being used to share, exam and consult on them, both on paper and in real life, have taken no account of the needs of local people and stakeholders with protected characteristics under the 2010 Equality Act, including those protected specifically because of their age, disability and/or sex.	
	I am therefore requesting that a full Equality Impact Assessment be carried out immediately to identify and remedy the extensive discrimination that has already occurred thus far and to create an action plan to eliminate any further discriminatory and negative impacts going forwards.	
	I'm additionally requesting that this consultation deadline be extended to allow for ALL local residents and stakeholders to examine these extensive materials, and draft informed responses within a reasonable timeframe.	
	Specifically, my request in this regard is that this particular phase of the consultation, relating to these additional changes, be extended from 12th September 2025 to 13th October 2025 and that the entire consultation be extended from the end of October 2025 to the end of January 2026.	
	I'm sharing this with the National Planning Inspectorate too.	
	Yours etc.	
	Rosaleen Forsey	

Reference No.	Comment	Applicants' response
	Local resident	

11 Response to Linda Ball

Table 11-1 B.10: Linda Ball

Reference No.	Comment	Applicants' response
B.10.1	Dear Morgan and Morecambe,	The Applicants note this feedback.
	This document is not written in a form that is easy to read or to understand how the proposed changes differ from the original plans. Please communicate your plans more clearly. Regards, Linda Ball	The Change Request Report was one of many documents provided by the Applicants in support of the Change Request consultation. The full suite of materials prepared for the consultation, including plans and the formal notice, is presented in section 3.6 of the Change Request Consultation Report (document reference S_MMCR_22). These materials were produced using plain English and, where appropriate, made use of images and graphics to facilitate understanding, in particular to show the before and after position in relation to each change. The materials for the Change Request were produced in accordance with the PINS Change Request Advice.
		As presented in the formal notice and in both postal correspondence and emails sent to consultees, a summary of the changes and the consultation period (including the deadline for responses) was clearly stated (see Annexes A10, A.11 and A.12). The correspondence also provided contact details for the Applicants' team and encouraged consultees to contact the Applicants with any questions they may have regarding the Change Request. The Applicants can confirm no such request was received by Ms Ball.
		The Applicants confirm access to homes and businesses will not be impacted by the proposed changes. The proposed changes are refinements and reductions to the application proposals identified through early detailed design work and ongoing engagement with relevant stakeholders. The changes

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		are not considered to be substantive, nor do they result in a materially different application

12 Response to Hillary Angus

Table 12-1 B.11: Hillary Angus

Reference No.	Comment	Applicants' response
B.11.1	Dear Morgan and Morecambe	The Applicants note this feedback.
	Your recent Change Request Report published here: S_MMCR_3_MMTA_Change+Request+Report_F01.pdf is 74 pages long.	The Change Request Report was one of many documents provided by the Applicants in support of the Change Request
	It is neither simple nor accessible and doesn't offer a plain English straightforward summary of what is proposed and how these vary from the original proposals. The document makes no sense to me what so ever.	consultation. The full suite of materials prepared for the consultation, including plans and the formal notice, is presented in section 3.6 of the Change Request Consultation Report
	None of the documents are comprehensible to me, my family, my neighbours, or friends and they offer no information by which we can engage with the proposed changes.	(document reference S_MMCR_22). These materials were produced using plain English and, where appropriate, made use of images and graphics to facilitate understanding, in particular to show the before and after position in relation to
The end of the consultation period (12 September) is not made clear either, as it is hidden on page 34. Please consult with the community on what you plan to do more clearly and tell us how access to our homes and businesses will be impacted by your each change. The materials for produced in accordance with the Advice. Advice. As presented in the formal notice.	each change. The materials for the Change Request were produced in accordance with the PINS Change Request	
		As presented in the formal notice and in both postal correspondence and emails sent to consultees, a summary of
	Kind regards	the changes and the consultation period (including the deadline
	Hilary Angus	for responses) was clearly stated (see Annexes A10, A.11 and A.12). The correspondence also provided contact details for the
	Freckleton resident	Applicants' team and encouraged consultees to contact the Applicants with any questions they may have regarding the Change Request. The Applicants can confirm no such request was received by Ms Angus.
		The Applicants confirm access to homes and businesses will not be impacted by the proposed changes. The proposed changes are refinements and reductions to the application proposals identified through early detailed design work and

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		ongoing engagement with relevant stakeholders. The changes are not considered to be substantive, nor do they result in a materially different application

13 Response to Karen Leeming

Table 13-1 B.12: Karen Leeming

Reference No.	Comment	Applicants' response
B.12.1	Dear Morgan and Morecambe	The Applicants note this feedback.
	The above Report which is 74 pages long is neither simple nor accessible and doesn't offer a straightforward summary in plain English of what is proposed and how these proposals vary from the original. The document makes no sense to me what so ever.	The Change Request Report was one of many documents provided by the Applicants in support of the Change Request consultation. The full suite of materials prepared for the consultation, including plans and the formal notice, is presented in section 3.6 of the Change Request Consultation Report (document reference S_MMCR_22). These materials were
	None of the documents are comprehensible to me or my family, and they offer no information by which it is possible to engage with the proposed changes.	produced using plain English and, where appropriate, made use of images and graphics to facilitate understanding, in particular to show the before and after position in relation to
		each change. The materials for the Change Request were produced in accordance with the PINS Change Request Advice.
	This appears to have been your method of communicating from day 1 which has made it almost impossible for members of the public to make any sense of proposals which will massively affect the local community - but maybe that was the plan all along.	As presented in the formal notice and in both postal correspondence and emails sent to consultees, a summary of the changes and the consultation period (including the deadline for responses) was clearly stated (see Annexes A10, A.11 and A.12). The correspondence also provided center details for the
	Please consult with the community on what you plan to do more clearly a tell us how access to our homes and businesses will be impacted by your revised proposals.	A.12). The correspondence also provided contact details for the Applicants' team and encouraged consultees to contact the Applicants with any questions they may have regarding the Change Request. The Applicants can confirm no such request was received by Ms Leeming.
Karen Leeming	Kind regards Karen Leeming	The Applicants confirm access to homes and businesses will not be impacted by the proposed changes. The proposed changes are refinements and reductions to the application

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		proposals identified through early detailed design work and ongoing engagement with relevant stakeholders. The changes are not considered to be substantive, nor do they result in a materially different application.

14 Response to Gillian Batty

Table 14-1 B.13: Gillian Batty

Reference No.	Comment	Applicants' response
B.13.1	Dear Morgan and Morecambe	The Applicants note this feedback.
	Your recent Change Request Report published here: S_MMCR_3_MMTA_Change+Request+Report_F01.pdf is 74 pages long. It is neither simple nor accessible and doesn't offer a plain English straightforward summary of what is proposed and how these vary from the original proposals. The document makes no sense to me what so ever. None of the documents are comprehensible to me or my family, and they offer no information by which we can engage with the proposed changes. The end of the consultation period (12 September) is not made clear either, as it is hidden on page 34. Please consult with the community on what you plan to do more clearly and tell us how access to our homes and businesses will be impacted by your	The Change Request Report was one of many documents provided by the Applicants in support of the Change Request consultation. The full suite of materials prepared for the consultation, including plans and the formal notice, is presented in section 3.6 of the Change Request Consultation Report (document reference S_MMCR_22). These materials were produced using plain English and, where appropriate, made use of images and graphics to facilitate understanding, in particular to show the before and after position in relation to each change. The materials for the Change Request were produced in accordance with the PINS Change Request Advice.
	revised proposals. Kind regards	As presented in the formal notice and in both postal correspondence and emails sent to consultees, a summary of
	Sent from	the changes and the consultation period (including the deadline for responses) was clearly stated (see Annexes A10, A.11 and
Gillian Batty	Gillian Batty	A.12). The correspondence also provided contact details for the Applicants' team and encouraged consultees to contact the Applicants with any questions they may have regarding the Change Request. The Applicants can confirm no such request was received by Ms Batty.
		The Applicants confirm access to homes and businesses will not be impacted by the proposed changes. The proposed

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		changes are refinements and reductions to the application proposals identified through early detailed design work and ongoing engagement with relevant stakeholders. The changes are not considered to be substantive, nor do they result in a materially different application

15 Response to Trevor Enstone

Table 15-1 B.14: Trevor Enstone

Reference No.	Comment	Applicants' response
B.14.1	Dear Sirs/Madam, I request that the proposed position of the cables be moved further over to the left of my land, closer to the small dirt road. This would allow me the possibility of a larger section of my land for future development. The most common sense thing to do would be to use the small dirt road for the cables, which would then give me the majority of my land. Regards, Trevor Enstone	The Applicants note that the consultee's land would be impacted by Change 1 and the relocation of accesses in this location. The Change Request does not impact on the proposed cable route in this location. Updates on the land negotiations with Trevor Enstone are set out in the Land Rights Tracker (REP4-087) in row 86. At Deadline 4 the Applicants confirmed that they had received signed Heads of Terms from Mr Enstone on 10 July 2025. The Applicants note that the precise location of cables on Mr Enstone's land is subject to detailed design and ongoing discussions with the landowner.

16 Response to Michael Gornall

Table 16-1 B.15: Michael Gornall

Reference No.	Comment	Applicants' response
B.15.1	Dear Morgan and Morecambe	The Applicants note this feedback.

Reference No.	Comment	Applicants' response
	I have real concerns over your recent Change Request Report published here in your 74 page document : S_MMCR_3_MMTA_Change+Request+Report_F01.pdf I would like to raise my concerns over the report as it is neither simple nor	The Change Request Report was one of many documents provided by the Applicants in support of the Change Request consultation. The full suite of materials prepared for the consultation, including plans and the formal notice, is presented in section 3.6 of the Change Request Consultation Report
	accessible and does not offer a straightforward summary of what is proposed and importantly how these vary from the original proposals. I am struggling to understand what is actually being proposed.	(document reference S_MMCR_22). These materials were produced using plain English and, where appropriate, made use of images and graphics to facilitate understanding, in particular to show the before and after position in relation to
	None of the documents are easy comprehend and offer no information by which we can engage with the proposed changes.	each change. The materials for the Change Request were produced in accordance with the PINS Change Request Advice.
	The end of the consultation period is today (12 September) which also is not made clear either, as it is hidden on page 34.	As presented in the formal notice and in both postal correspondence and emails sent to consultees, a summary of the changes and the consultation period (including the deadline
	Please consult with the community on what you plan to do more clearly and tell us how access to our homes and businesses will be impacted by your revised proposals.	for responses) was clearly stated (see Annexes A10, A.11 and A.12). The correspondence also provided contact details for the Applicants' team and encouraged consultees to contact the
	Kind regards Michael Gornall	Applicants with any questions they may have regarding the Change Request. The Applicants can confirm no such request was received by Mr Gornall.
	Michael Comai	The Applicants confirm access to homes and businesses will not be impacted by the proposed changes. The proposed changes are refinements and reductions to the application proposals identified through early detailed design work and ongoing engagement with relevant stakeholders. The changes are not considered to be substantive, nor do they result in a materially different application.

17 Response to Gillian Fielding

Table 17-1 B.16: Gillian Fielding

Reference No.	Comment	Applicants' response
B.16.1	For the attention of Morecambe and Morgan.	The Applicants note this feedback.
	I would like to comment on the proposed changes to the Morecambe wind farm cable transmission route that have recently been submitted.	The Applicants conducted a targeted non-statutory consultation for a period of 32 days, starting from Monday 11 August to 5pm Friday 12 September 2025 and note the consultation exceeded the minimum 28-day consultation period recommended in the
	as a retired person I have found the information hard to comprehend and considering the population in and around st Anne's are mainly older retired	PINS Change Request Advice under Step 3.
	adults with various disabilities I feel these people have not been consulted with and many I speak too still know nothing about this project	Whilst the Applicants made this change request at the earliest opportunity, they must ensure there is sufficient time remaining to accommodate the Change Request within the existing
	I myself feel that I have not had sufficient time to adequately examine and respond to these proposed changes. The extensive documents that has been shared in relation to these are long, inaccessible and not written in plain English for the general public to understand	Examination timetable. Therefore, the Applicants will not be extending the period for the Change Request consultation, although highlight that, if the Change Request is accepted by the Examining Authority, there remains time within the
	This repeated habit of sharing long incomprehensible documents to be responded to in a ridiculously short timescale once again demonstrates that this entire consultation process is being conducted in a discriminatory and unlawful manner.	Examination timetable for further representations to be made on the Application as changed in line with the Examining Authority's advice included in their response to the initial Notification of the Change Request (PD-010).
	All the submissions and the process being used to share, exam and consult on them, both on paper and in real life, have taken no account of the needs of local people with protected characteristics under the 2010 Equality Act, including those protected specifically because of their age, disability and/or sex.	With regards to the level of information submitted as part of the Change Request consultation, whilst the Applicants acknowledge the volume of information made available, the Applicants must ensure the appropriate documents are provided allowing all consultees to have all the information they need before responding to the Change Request consultation.
	I am therefore requesting that a full Equality Impact Assessment be carried out immediately to identify and remedy the extensive discrimination that has already occurred thus far and to create an action plan to eliminate any further discriminatory and negative impacts going forwards.	The full suite of materials prepared for the consultation, including plans and the formal notice, is presented in section 3.6 of the Change Request Consultation Report (document reference S_MMCR_22). These materials were produced using plain English and, where appropriate, made use of images and graphics, in particular to show the before and after position in
	I'm additionally requesting that this consultation deadline be extended to allow for ALL local residents and stakeholders to examine these extensive	relation to each change. The materials for the Change Request

Reference No.	Comment	Applicants' response
	materials, and draft informed responses within a reasonable timeframe.	were produced in accordance with the PINS Change Request Advice.
	Specifically, my request in this regard is that this particular phase of the consultation, relating to these additional changes, be extended from 12th September 2025 to 13th October 2025 and that the entire consultation be extended from the end of October 2025 to the end of January 2026. I'm sharing this with the National Inspectorate too. Thank you G Fielding	The Applicants would like to assure Ms Fielding that consideration for consultees with protected characteristics was given and the Applicants had regard to equal opportunities and diversity throughout the Change Request consultation. As noted in the formal notice (please see Annex A.1), consultees could request the information in bespoke formats. Additionally, the full suite of materials to support the Change Request were available to view digitally at publicly accessible venues (see section 3.4 of the Change Request Consultation Report (document reference S_MMCR_22).
		The Applicants note Ms Fielding's request to extend the examination, however the Applicants do not consider it necessary or justified and nor is it within the Applicants' control. The examination process has been rigorous and transparent and has provided opportunities for the public and all stakeholders to have their say orally and in writing in accordance with the statutory framework prescribed by the Planning Act 2008.

18 Response to Lynda Goupil

Table 18-1 B.17: Lynda Goupil

Reference No.	Comment	Applicants' response
B.17.1	Dear Morgan and Morecambe	The Applicants note this feedback.
	I am fully engaged with this project and yet yesterday was the first I saw of this email and the closure date.	The Applicants are sorry to hear Ms Goupil did not receive a copy of the letter issued by post to nearby residents (and businesses) in proximity to the changes. The Applicants would like to refer Ms Goupil to Annexes A.12 and A.13 of the Change

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Reference No.	Comment	Applicants' response
	Every aspect of your literature is full of jargon and references in code	Request Consultation Report Annexes document
	numbers, which on a phone is impossible to navigate. This latest one, 72 pages long, is ridiculous.	(S_MMCR_22.1) for more information.
	Most aspects of this project is ageist. Most locals are elderly and have consequently been excluded to participate as most do not have the internet! I have had little or no time to voice my concerns because of the short period now left.	The Applicants conducted a targeted non-statutory consultation for a period of 32 days, starting from Monday 11 August to 5pm Friday 12 September 2025 and note the consultation exceeded the minimum 28-day consultation period recommended in the PINS Change Request Advice under Step 3. Whilst the Applicants made this change request at the earliest opportunity, they must ensure there is sufficient time remaining to
	I live on one of the affected areas, Leach Lane, but have received no information regarding the impact on this area, but have heard others, literally living within yards of the works have, which leads me to believe you have purposely limited who you inform to reduce anyone voicing their concerns.	accommodate the Change Request within the existing Examination timetable. Therefore, the Applicants will not be extending the period for the Change Request consultation, although highlight that, if the Change Request is accepted by the Examining Authority, there remains time within the
	The whole of this project has been created to avoid as little public reaction as possible. The whole impact of this project needs ALL residents informing in plain	
	English how it is going to massively impact all their lives!!!	The Change Request Report was one of many documents provided by the Applicants in support of the Change Request
	Kind regards	consultation. The full suite of materials prepared for the consultation, including plans and the formal notice, is presented
	Lynda Goupil	in section 3.6 of the Change Request Consultation Report (document reference S_MMCR_22). These materials were produced using plain English and, where appropriate, made use of images and graphics to facilitate understanding, in particular to show the before and after position in relation to each change. The materials for the Change Request were produced in accordance with the PINS Change Request Advice.
		The Applicants would like to assure Ms Goupil that consideration for consultees with protected characteristics was given and the Applicants had regard to equal opportunities and diversity throughout the Change Request consultation. As noted in the formal notice (please see Annex A.1), consultees could request the information in bespoke formats. Additionally,

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		the full suite of materials to support the Change Request were available to view digitally at publicly accessible venues (see section 3.4 of the Change Request Consultation Report (document reference S_MMCR_22).
		As presented in the formal notice and in both postal correspondence and emails sent to consultees, a summary of the changes and the consultation period (including the deadline for responses) was clearly stated (see Annexes A10, A.11 and A.12). The correspondence also provided contact details for the Applicants' team and encouraged consultees to contact the Applicants with any questions they may have regarding the Change Request. The Applicants can confirm no such request was received by Ms Goupil.

19 Response to Michelle Fare

Table 19-1 B.18: Michelle Fare

Reference No.	Comment	Applicants' response
B.18.1	Dear Morecambe and Morgan, I wish to make an objection to the recent Change Request Report (document reference: S_MMCR_3) which was published on your website on 8 th August. The fact that the document itself is 78 pages long is the first issue as most people do not have the time to properly read through this and understand it. The wording used in the document is not simple and straightforward, and in my opinion is designed in order to confuse anyone who is trying to read it. How on earth you expect to engage meaningfully with the people who are going to be affected by this is a mystery. To my knowledge most of the members of the local public are not even aware of the scale of the project in the first place and so expecting to have a meaningful consultation with	The Applicants note this feedback. The Applicants conducted a targeted non-statutory consultation for a period of 32 days, starting from Monday 11 August to 5pm Friday 12 September 2025 and note the consultation exceeded the minimum 28-day consultation period recommended in the PINS Change Request Advice under Step 3. As presented in the formal notice and in both postal correspondence and emails sent to consultees, a summary of the changes and the consultation period (including the deadline for responses) was clearly stated (see Annexes A10, A.11 and
	anyone when faced with documents like this is going to be very difficult. Regards	A.12). The correspondence also provided contact details for the Applicants' team and encouraged consultees to contact the Applicants with any questions they may have regarding the

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	Michelle Fare	Change Request. The Applicants can confirm no such request was received by Ms Fare.
		Whilst the Applicants made this change request at the earliest opportunity, they must ensure there is sufficient time remaining to accommodate the Change Request within the existing Examination timetable. The Applicants would highlight that, if the Change Request is accepted by the Examining Authority, there remains time within the Examination timetable for further representations to be made on the Application as changed in line with the Examining Authority's advice included in their response to the initial Notification of the Change Request (PD-010).
		With regards to the level of information submitted as part of the Change Request consultation, whilst the Applicants acknowledge the volume of information made available, the Applicants must ensure the appropriate documents are provided allowing all consultees to have all the information they need before responding to the Change Request consultation. These materials were produced using plain English and, where appropriate, made use of images and graphics, in particular to show the before and after position in relation to each change. The materials for the Change Request were produced in accordance with the PINS Change Request Advice.

20 Response to Andrea Parker

Table 20-1 B.19: Andrea Parker

Reference No.	Comment	Applicants' response
B.19.1	Dear Morgan and Morecambe	The Applicants note this feedback.
	Your recent Change Request Report published here: S_MMCR_3_MMTA_Change+Request+Report_F01.pdf is 74 pages long.	The Change Request Report was one of many documents provided by the Applicants in support of the Change Request consultation. The full suite of materials prepared for the consultation, including plans and the formal notice, is presented

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	I wish to make an objection to the report stated above. It is of my opinion that the documents are incomprehensible on the proposed changes.	in section 3.6 of the Change Request Consultation Report (document reference S_MMCR_22). These materials were produced using plain English and, where appropriate, made use of images and graphics to facilitate understanding, in
	The end of the consultation period (12 September) is not made clear either, as it is hidden on page 34.	particular to show the before and after position in relation to each change. The materials for the Change Request were produced in accordance with the PINS Change Request Advice.
	I implore you to consult, a true consultation where you listen to others views and ideas and act upon them.	As presented in the formal notice and in both postal correspondence and emails sent to consultees, a summary of
	Kind regards	the changes and the consultation period (including the deadline for responses) was clearly stated (see Annexes A10, A.11 and A.12). The correspondence also provided contact details for the
	Mrs Andrea Parker	Applicants' team and encouraged consultees to contact the Applicants with any questions they may have regarding the Change Request. The Applicants can confirm no such request was received by Ms Parker.
		The proposed changes are refinements and reductions to the application proposals identified through early detailed design work and ongoing engagement with relevant stakeholders. The changes are not considered to be substantive, nor do they result in a materially different application.

21 Response to Debbie Bell

Table 21-1 B.20: Debbie Bell

Reference No.	Comment	Applicants' response
B.20.1	Dear Morgan and Morecambe	The Applicants note this feedback.
		The Change Request Report was one of many documents provided by the Applicants in support of the Change Request consultation. The full suite of materials prepared for the consultation, including plans and the formal notice, is presented in section 3.6 of the Change Request Consultation Report

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	It is neither simple nor accessible and doesn't offer a plain English straightforward summary of what is proposed and how these vary from the original proposals. The document makes no sense to me what so ever. None of the documents are comprehensible to me or my family, and they offer no information by which we can engage with the proposed changes. The end of the consultation period (12 September) is not made clear either,	(document reference S_MMCR_22). These materials were produced using plain English and, where appropriate, made use of images and graphics to facilitate understanding, in particular to show the before and after position in relation to each change. The materials for the Change Request were produced in accordance with the PINS Change Request Advice.
	as it is hidden on page 34. Please consult with the community on what you plan to do more clearly and tell us how access to our homes and businesses will be impacted by your revised proposals. Kind regards Debbie Bell 155 Kirkham Road, Freckleton PR4 1HU	As presented in the formal notice and in both postal correspondence and emails sent to consultees, a summary of the changes and the consultation period (including the deadline for responses) was clearly stated (see Annexes A10, A.11 and A.12). The correspondence also provided contact details for the Applicants' team and encouraged consultees to contact the Applicants with any questions they may have regarding the Change Request. The Applicants can confirm no such request was received by Ms Bell.
		The Applicants confirm access to homes and businesses will not be impacted by the proposed changes. The proposed changes are refinements and reductions to the application proposals identified through early detailed design work and ongoing engagement with relevant stakeholders. The changes are not considered to be substantive, nor do they result in a materially different application.

22 Response to Fylde Council

Table 22-1 B.21: Fylde Council

Reference No.	Comment	Applicants' response
B.21.1	Introduction Fylde Council [FBC] is a statutory consultee and Interested Party for the proposed Morgan and Morecambe Offshore Wind Farms Transmission Cables proposal.	The Applicants note this feedback.

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	This response has been prepared in response to the Applicants' consultation on the Change Request, for submission to the Applicants.	
	FBC has referred to the relevant Planning Inspectorate advice in preparing this response, the most pertinent being "Nationally Significant Infrastructure Projects: Changes to an application after it has been accepted for examination" (published on 8 August 2024 and last updated 24 March 2025) [the Advice].	
	FBC notes that the Examination Library has not been updated with the Change Request documents and therefore has been unable to use Examiner-defined references. Instead, FBC has used the numerical part of the Applicants' file name – e.g. the document "S_MMCR_17 Change Request Statement of Reasons - Rev F01" is referred to as [CR-17]. Whilst this could relate to either the tracked or clean version, this distinction is not relevant to this submission.	
B.21.2	The Proposed Changes FBC acknowledges that the proposed changes are as follows:	The Applicants note this feedback.
	Relocation of Access TAT_MGMC_9 for both Morgan OWL and Morecambe OWL and Relocation of access OAR_MGMC_10 for Morgan OWL; and the provision of an additional construction access TAT_MGMC_9B for both Morgan OWL and Morecambe OWL;	
	2. Identification of Blackpool Airport operational access alignment through Work Nos. 10A10B, 12A12B and 14A14B;	
	3. Removal of operational access OAR_MGMC_3 from Squires Gate Lane into Blackpool Airport; and,	
	4. Reduction to Order limits within Blackpool Airport (Work No. 13A13B), Blackpool Road Recreation Ground (Work Nos. 15A15B, 53A53B and 54A54B) and to the east of the Queensway (Work Nos. 16A16B), and the relocation of Access TAT_MGMC_7 for both Morgan OWL and Morecambe OWL, and the removal of operational access OAR_MGMC_6.	
B.21.3	Numbers one, three and four in the list are partly or wholly within the FBC area, with number two being within the Blackpool Borough Council [BBC] area. However, Strategic Policies EC4 and T3 of the Fylde Local Plan to 2032 (Incorporating Partial Review) [FLP] are relevant to the operation of	The Applicants note this feedback.

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	Blackpool Airport and the associated Enterprise Zone, in turn meaning that altered access through that area is potentially of relevance to FBC. On this basis, FBC provide comments in response to each of the proposed changes.	
B.21.4	Description and Rationale	The Applicants note this feedback.
	Section 1.2 of the Applicants' Change Request Report [CR-3] sets out the detailed description and rationale for each change.	
	Change 1 comprises the removal of two construction accesses and relocation of each to be up to 200m further north along Lytham St Annes Way, in order to align with the amended Order Limits. The new accesses would be within the cable corridors, whereas the original accesses would have been outside.	
	FBC accepts the rationale for Change 1.	
B.21.5	Change 2 comprises the specification of the route for operational access taken from Leach Lane, with the access point onto Leach Lane and the work order limit being unchanged. FBC notes the Applicants' statement in Section 1.2.1.15 [CR-3] that these changes have been made in agreement with Blackpool Airport.	The Applicants note this feedback.
	FBC accepts the rationale for Change 2.	
B.21.6	Change 3 comprises the removal of an operational access from Squires Gate Lane into Blackpool Airport, on the basis that the access associated with Change 2 will be relied upon to deliver the relevant access instead. FBC accepts the rationale for Change 3.	The Applicants note this feedback.
B.21.7	Change 4 comprises the reduction in the order limits both within Blackpool Airport and Blackpool Road Recreation Ground [BRRG]. Negotiations between the applicant and Blackpool Airport have resulted in agreement that the runway would be removed from the order limits, which has in turn limited the options for the alignment of the proposed cables in the nearby area, meaning that parts of BRRG do not need to be kept as an option for works. The Applicants also set out in Section 1.2.3.6 [CR-3] that the changes have also been made following feedback received from FBC and St Annes Football Club.	The Applicants note this feedback.

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	FBC accepts the rationale for Change 4 only in relation to the Applicants' explanation of their interaction with Blackpool Airport. The implication that this change also positively responds to feedback received in terms of the impacts on BRRG is not accepted – this is discussed further below.	
B.21.8	Impact The Applicants' state and imply certain impacts and benefits which would arise from the proposed changes. These primarily relate to: 1. The reduction in the work order limits; 2. The removal of the runway at Blackpool Airport from the work order limits; and, 3. Positive response to feedback from FBC with regards to impacts upon BRRG. FBC agrees with the first two points above. However, FBC does not agree with point three and the associated implications set out in Section 1.2.3.6 [CR-3].	The Applicants note that Fylde Borough Council (FBC) do not agree with the Applicants' position in relation to Change 4 set out in paragraphs 1.2.3.5 and 1.2.3.6 of the Change Request Report (CR1-005). The Applicants maintain however that an overall reduction to the Order limits at Blackpool Road Recreation Ground, which means less land in this location would be subject to works or the exercise of temporary possession or compulsory acquisition, is an overall positive change. The Applicants also continue to consider that reducing interaction with one of St Annes Football Club's 11-a-side football pitches based on the existing pitch layout does align to feedback previously received from the football club but acknowledge that the layout and pitch configuration may change in the future.
B.21.9	FBC has made representations in each written submission and hearing session with regards to likely impacts at BRRG, notably raising serious concerns about the likely harmful impacts to human health. These would primarily arise from reduction of the availability and quality of sport facilities and activities, due to parts of BRRG being sterilised for construction activities. The implication from the Applicants is that a reduction in the work order limits at BRRG would reduce the impacts on the operation of BRRG as a sport facility but this is not evidenced. FBC considers it likely that the impacts of closure of parts of BRRG would go beyond the extent of the work order limit, due to operational and safety requirements on site. FBC acknowledges that this issue is not directly relevant to the overall suitability of the Change Request but considers it is appropriate to respond to the content of the Applicants' Change Request Report [CR-3].	The Applicants highlight that the conclusions in relation to the assessment of effects with regards to Blackpool Road Recreation Ground has not changed. This is set out in Section 2.72 of the Change Request Report (CR1-005). The Applicants maintain, however, as set out at in row B.21.8 above that the overall impact of the Change Request is a positive one with regards to the reduction in the area subject to works and reduction of the area subject to the exercise of temporary possession or compulsory acquisition powers, and therefore any necessary restoration works required to those areas to make them suitable for use as a sports facility. As previously noted, the Applicants have provided a draft section 106 to secure agreed mitigation for the impacts identified on Blackpool Road Recreation Ground, particularly with regards to its use as a sports facility by St Annes Junior Football Club. The Applicants acknowledge the Councils' concerns and will continue to engage with FBC in relation to the section 106

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	Relatedly, FBC notes that the Applicants do not anticipate any material change to the Environmental Statement, positive or negative, as set out in more detail below. Presumably this indicates that the Applicants' do not actually consider their suggested response to feedback is material or evidenced.	Agreement for Blackpool Road Recreation Road to mitigate the impacts, including on its use as a sports facility. The Applicants refer to the Applicants responses to the Examining Authority's Second Written Questions 2:12.1.9 to 2:12.1.11 relating to the s106 agreement within the Applicants' response to ExQ2 (S_D5_5).
B.21.10	Environmental Impact Assessment	The Applicants note this feedback.
	Based on the understanding of the proposed changes as summarised above and set out in detail within the Applicants' submission [CR-3], FBC accepts the Applicants' position that the proposed changes would not result in any new or different likely significant environmental effects.	
	As such, it is accepted that changes would have no effect on the conclusions set out within the Environmental Statement and no additional mitigation measures will be required as a result of the proposed changes.	
	This position is made without prejudice to previous, ongoing and future submissions made by FBC with regards to the suitability of the Environment Statement and its conclusions.	
B.21.11	Compulsory Acquisition	The Applicants note this feedback.
	FBC notes Section 1.3.1.3 [CR-3] which sets out that the changes:	
	- Would not require any additional land;	
	- Would secure overall reductions in the work order limits; and,	
	- Would not introduce any new landowners or interests. As such, the Applicants have explained that The Infrastructure Planning (Compulsory Acquisition) Regulations 2010 (CA Regulations) are not engaged.	
	FBC therefore has no comments to make with regards to Compulsory Acquisition.	
B.21.12	Consultation	The Applicants note this feedback.
	FBC acknowledges the Applicants' request for comments on the proposed consultation and a positive response to the response provided.	
	FBC considers that the consultation was suitable.	

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B.21.13	Conclusion For the reasons set out above, FBC accepts that: - The proposed changes are unlikely to give rise to material impacts on the Environmental Statement; and,	The Applicants note this feedback and welcome the Council's confirmation that it has no objection to the content of the proposed Change Request.
	- The proposed changes would not engage the Compulsory Acquisition Regulations.	
	Therefore, FBC raises no objection to the content of the proposed Change Request	