

The Eggborough CCGT Project

The Planning Act 2008 - Section 48

The Infrastructure Planning (Applications: Prescribed Forms and Procedure) Regulations 2009 - Regulation 4

The Infrastructure Planning (Environmental Impact Assessment) Regulations 2009 - Regulation 11

NOTICE OF PROPOSED APPLICATION FOR A DEVELOPMENT CONSENT ORDER (DCO) FOR THE EGGBOROUGH CCGT PROJECT

1. Notice is hereby given that Eggborough Power Limited ('EPL') ('the Applicant') of Eggborough Power Station, near Selby, North Yorkshire, DN14 0BS, intends to submit an application ('the Proposed Application') to the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy for a Development Consent Order ('DCO') under Section 37 of The Planning Act 2008 (the 'Act') to authorise the construction, operation and maintenance of a new gas-fired generating station with a capacity of up to 2,500 megawatts ('MW') and associated development, including a new underground gas pipeline to the National Transmission System ('NTS') and other infrastructure connections (together 'the Project').
2. The site for the Project ('the Project Site') covers an area of approximately 157 hectares and comprises land including that within the operational area of the existing Eggborough coal-fired Power Station site (the 'coal station') (owned by EPL), a corridor of land running north from the coal station to the NTS west of Burn at or near ordnance survey grid reference: SE 579280 and a separate corridor of land running north from the coal station to the River Aire at or near ordnance survey grid references: SE 578260 and SE 584251.
3. The proposed DCO would, amongst other matters, authorise the construction, operation and maintenance of:
 - 3.1 a combined cycle gas turbine ('CCGT') plant (comprising up to three CCGT units), including turbine and heat recovery steam generator buildings, emissions stacks, cooling towers, administration/control building, other ancillary buildings, plant and equipment;
 - 3.2 a peaking plant fuelled by natural gas (comprising open cycle gas turbine units or reciprocating engines), including turbine building, emissions stack and ancillary plant and equipment;
 - 3.3 a black start plant fuelled by natural gas, including diesel generators (for start-up prior to gas-firing), diesel fuel storage tanks and unloading area;
 - 3.4 other ancillary buildings (including administration and control buildings), enclosures, plant, equipment, storage tanks and works, including gas receiving area and compression building; cooling water pump house, treatment plant, storage basins and pipework; demineralised water treatment plant and storage tanks; emergency diesel generators; gate houses; workshops and stores; fire-fighting equipment, building and fire water storage tanks;
 - 3.5 an underground gas pipeline connecting to the NTS of approximately 600 millimetres in diameter and approximately 4.7 kilometres in length running from at or near ordnance survey grid reference: SE 580241 to SE 579280.
 - 3.6 an above ground installation and connection to the NTS at or near ordnance survey grid reference: SE 579280, including maintenance building, enclosures, plant and equipment, car parking, security fencing, lighting and vehicular access;
 - 3.7 an electrical connection to the existing National Grid 400 kilovolt substation within the coal station, including above and below ground electrical cables;
 - 3.8 works to the existing cooling water pipelines and to the intake and outfall structures within the River Aire at or near ordnance survey grid references: SE 578260 and SE 584251;

- 3.9 access works (including potentially to highways adjacent to the Project site), internal vehicular roads, car and HGV parking areas, hard standings and pedestrian and cycle routes and facilities;
- 3.10 alterations to the existing rail infrastructure, including new rail sidings, crossovers and ancillary equipment;
- 3.11 utilities connections, including electricity, gas and towns water; surface water management and foul drainage systems; security fencing; external lighting; and landscaping;
- 3.16 construction laydown areas and compounds; and
- 3.17 carbon capture and storage reserve space.
4. The Proposed DCO would also seek, if required, the compulsory acquisition of land and/or rights in land required for the Project and/or the temporary occupation of land for the Project. Other powers that the DCO would seek, if found to be required, include the extinguishment and/or overriding of easements and other rights over or affecting land required for the Project; the application and/or disapplication of legislation relevant to the Project; tree and hedgerow removal; the temporary stopping up of public footpaths during construction works; permanent and temporary changes to the highway network for and in the vicinity of the Project site; a deemed marine licence for those parts of the Project within or affecting the tidal section of the River Aire; the construction, operation and maintenance of associated development, including, but not limited to those items listed in paragraph 3; and such ancillary, incidental and consequential works, provisions, permits, consents, waivers or releases as are necessary and/or convenient for the successful construction, operation and maintenance of the Project.
5. The Project is Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) development under The Infrastructure Planning (EIA) Regulations 2009. The findings of the EIA of the Project will be reported in an Environmental Statement that will be submitted with the Proposed Application.
6. Information so far compiled about the Project's environmental impacts is contained in a Preliminary Environmental Information Report and a non-technical summary. These documents and other documents relating to the Project, including plans and maps showing the nature and location of the Project ('the consultation documents') are available to view or download free of charge from the Project website: www.eggboroughccgt.co.uk and for inspection free of charge from **12 January to 17 February 2017** at the following locations during the hours set out (opening hours may be subject to change):

Locations	Opening Times
Snaith Library , 27 Market Place, Snaith, Goole, DN14 9HE	Tues - 2pm - 7pm; Thurs - 10am - 5pm; Sat - 10am - 12noon
Knottingley Library , Knottingley Sports Centre, Hill Top, Pontefract Road, Knottingley, WF11 8EE	Mon & Fri - 1pm - 5pm; Tue - 9.30am - 6pm; Wed - 9.30am - 5pm; Thurs & Sat - 9.30am - 1pm
Selby Library and Information Centre , 52 Micklegate, Selby, YO8 4EQ	Mon - 9.30am - 7.30pm; Tues, Wed & Fri - 9.30am - 5.30pm; Thurs & Sat - 9.30am - 12.30pm
Askern Library , Station Road, Askern, Doncaster, DN6 0JA	Mon, Wed, Fri & Sat - 10am - 1pm; Tue & Thurs - 10am - 6pm
Sherburn-in-Elmet library , Finkle Hill, Sherburn-in-Elmet, Leeds, LS25 6EA	Mon & Tues - 9.30am - 5pm; Thurs - 9.30am - 6pm; Fri - 9.30am - 1pm; Sat - 9.30am - 12.30pm
Eggborough Power Station Sports and Social Club , Eggborough, Goole, North Humberside, DN14 0OZ	Weds - 5pm - 9pm; Thurs 11am - 2pm & 5pm - 11pm; Fri - 11am - 9pm; Sat - 11am - 9pm; Sun - 11am - 5pm
North Yorkshire County Council , County Hall, Northallerton, North Yorkshire, DL7 8AD	Mon to Thurs - 8am - 5pm; Fri - 8am - 4.30pm
Selby Council (Contact Centre) , Market Cross Shopping Centre, Selby, YO8 4JS	Mon, Tues, Thurs & Fri - 9.30am - 4pm; Wed - 10am - 4pm

7. A hard copy of all the consultation documents is available on request for a maximum copying charge of £150.00. Hard copies of individual documents are also available on request. A CD of the documents is available on request for a charge of £15.00. The documents (or a CD) can be obtained by writing to: **Eggborough CCGT Consultation, c/o Dalton Warner Davis LLP, 21 Garlick Hill, London, EC4V 2AU.**
8. If you wish to respond to this notice, or make representations in respect of the Project, these should be sent to EPL. Please include your name and an address where any correspondence relating to the Project can be sent. Representations may be submitted in the following ways:

Post: Eggborough CCGT Consultation, c/o Dalton Warner Davis LLP, 21 Garlick Hill, London, EC4V 2AU

E-mail: consultation@eggboroughccgt.com

Website: www.eggboroughccgt.co.uk
9. Your comments will be analysed by EPL and copies may be made available in due course to the Secretary of State, the Planning Inspectorate and other relevant statutory authorities. We will request that your personal details are not placed on public record and will be held securely by EPL in accordance with the Data Protection Act 1998 and will be used solely in connection with the consultation process and subsequent DCO application and, except as noted above, will not be passed to third parties.
10. Please note that all responses must be received by EPL no later than the end of **17 February 2017**.

Eggborough Power Limited