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## **TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 1990**

### **FULL**

**Reference:** H02-0899-16 **Date of Decision:** 31st October 2016

**Applicant:** Edge Power Ltd & Decoy Holdings  
1-2 Tollgate Business Park  
Tollgate West  
Stanway  
Colchester  
CO3 8AB

**Location:** Decoy Farm Spalding Road Crowland Peterborough

**Description:** Proposed standby electricity generation plant in portal framed building, including ancillary equipment

**South Holland District Council hereby give notice that this application has been GRANTED (or equivalent) subject to the following condition(s):**

- 1 The development must be begun not later than the expiration of three years beginning with the date of this permission.

Reason: As required by Section 91 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 as amended by the Planning and Compulsory Purchase Act 2004.

- 2 The development hereby permitted shall be carried out in accordance with the following approved plans:

17A/PA001 Location Plan dated 25.8.16;  
17A/PA002 Site Layout dated 26.8.16;  
17A/PA003 Building Plan & Elevations (Amended) received on 26 Sep 2016;  
GA005 DNO Substation Floor Plans & Elevations dated 14.7.16;  
GA006 Gas Reception Kiosk Floor Plans & Elevations dated 14.7.16;  
GA007 Transformer Compound Plan dated 14.7.16;

Reason: For the avoidance of doubt and in the interests of proper planning.

- 3 The total rating level of the noise emitted from fixed plant and machinery shall not exceed 35 dBA at any residential property not within the applicant's ownership . The assessment of rating level shall be as described in BS4142:2014.

Reason: To ensure that there is no noise nuisance to nearby residents.

This Condition is imposed in accordance with Policy SG17 of the South Holland Local Plan, 2006

- 4 Prior to the commencement of the development, details and justification of the stack heights proposed and the potential downwash shall be submitted to and approved in writing by the Local Planning Authority.

Reason: In the interests of the appearance of the development, potential ground level pollution and the visual amenity of the area in which it is set.

This Condition is imposed in accordance with Policy SG14 of the South Holland Local Plan, 2006.

Notes:

The Local Planning Authority has acted positively and proactively in determining this application by assessing it against all material considerations, including national guidance, planning policies and representations that have been received during the public consultation exercise, and by identifying matters of concern within the application and negotiating, with the Applicant, acceptable amendments to the proposal to address those concerns. As a result, the Local Planning Authority has been able to grant planning permission for an acceptable proposal.

This decision notice, the relevant accompanying report and the determined plans can be viewed online at <http://planning.sholland.gov.uk/OcellaWeb/planningSearch>

The proposal is subject to Section 1.1, Part (A)1 of schedule 1 of the Environmental Permitting Regulations (EPR) and would require an environmental permit from the Environment Agency. The applicant is advised to commence discussions with the Environment Agency as soon as possible.



**Paul Jackson**  
**Place Manager**  
**South Holland District Council**

**BUILDING REGULATIONS:**

This decision refers only to planning permission as granted under the Town and Country Planning Act 1990. The works that you are proposing may also require Building Regulations and this planning permission does not give authority under Building Regulations to commence work. Please contact the Building Control section for further information on 01775 764557 or [bcadmin@sholland.gov.uk](mailto:bcadmin@sholland.gov.uk)

## RIGHTS OF APPEAL

### Appeals to the Secretary of State

If you are aggrieved by the decision of your Local Planning Authority to refuse permission for the proposed development or grant consent subject to conditions, then you can appeal to the Secretary of State under Section 78 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 or Section 20 of the Planning (Listed Building and Conservation Areas) Act 1990.

### Timescales for appealing

The deadlines for appeals are calculated from the **date of decision** and are as follows for the types of applications below:

| 12 Weeks                                | 6 Months                          | 8 Weeks                    |
|-----------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|----------------------------|
| Householder Applications                | Planning Permission               | Consent to Display Adverts |
| Minor Commercial Development            | Listed Building Consent           |                            |
| Agricultural Determinations             | Other Prior Approval Applications |                            |
| Householder Prior Approval Applications |                                   |                            |

### Enforcement Notices

If an enforcement notice was served prior to the planning application being determined then the deadline for appealing is 28 days from the date of the **planning refusal**

If an enforcement notice is served after the planning application is determined then the deadline for appealing is 28 days from the date of the **enforcement notice** OR **the timescales stated above for each application type** from the date of the planning refusal - whichever is sooner.

All appeals must be made using an Appeal Form which you can get from The Planning Inspectorate at Temple Quay House, 2 The Square, Bristol, BS1 6PN (tel: 0303 444 5000) or you can submit your appeal online at:

<http://www.planningportal.gov.uk/planning/appeals/online/makeanappeal>

The Secretary of State can allow a longer period for giving notice of an appeal but he will not normally be prepared to use this power unless there are special circumstances which excuse the delay in giving notice of appeal.

The Secretary of State need not consider an appeal if it seems to him that the Local Planning Authority could not have granted planning permission for the proposed development or could not have granted it without the conditions it imposed, having regard to the statutory requirements, to the

provisions of the development order and to any directions given under the order. In practice the Secretary of State does not refuse to consider appeals solely because the Local Planning Authority based its decision on a direction given by him.

For detailed information on appeals, appeal types and guidance on the appeals process please visit:

<http://www.planningportal.gov.uk/planning/appeals/planningappeals>

### **Purchase Notices**

If either the Local Planning Authority or the Secretary of State refuses permission to develop land or grant it subject to conditions the owner may claim that he can neither put the land to a reasonably beneficial use in its existing state nor can he render the land capable of a reasonably beneficial use by the carrying out of any development which has been or would be permitted.

In these circumstances the owner may serve a purchase notice on the Council in whose area the land is situated. This notice will require the Council to purchase his interest in the land in accordance with the provisions of the Part VI of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 or Section 32 of the Planning (Listed Building and Conservation Areas) Act 1990.

### **Compensation**

In certain circumstances compensation may be claimed from the Local Planning Authority if permission is refused or granted subject to conditions by the Secretary of State on appeal or on reference of the application to him.

These circumstances are set out in Section 114 and related provisions of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 and Section 27 of the Planning (Listed Building and Conservation Areas) Act 1990.