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**Application for Planning Permission.
Town and Country Planning Act 1990**

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Please note that the information provided on this application form and in supporting documents may be published on the Authority's website.

If you require any further clarification, please contact the Authority's planning department.

1. Applicant Name, Address and Contact Details

Title:	Mr	First name:	Peter	Surname:	Smeaton		
Company name	Moor Solar Limited						
Street address:	Stonegate House			Telephone number:	Country Code	National Number	Extension Number
	Stonegate						
	Gedney						
Town/City	Spalding			Mobile number:			
County:	Lincolnshire			Fax number:			
Country:				Email address:			
Postcode:	PE12 0BY						

Are you an agent acting on behalf of the applicant?

☒ Yes ☐ No

2. Agent Name, Address and Contact Details

Title:	Mr	First Name:	Robert	Surname:	Edgar
Company name:	Search Architects				
Street address:	9 Hoddins Way				Telephone number:
	Long Sutton				
Town/City	Spalding				Mobile number:
County:	Lincolnshire				Fax number:
Country:	United Kingdom				Email address:
Postcode:	PE12 9JB	bobedgar@searcharchitects.co.uk			

3. Description of the Proposal

Please describe the proposed development including any change of use:

Construction of Solar Park (Photovoltaic Renewable Energy Centre), including photovoltaic arrays, inverter buildings, fencing, National Grid connection and vehicular access.

Has the building, work or change of use already started?

☐ Yes ☒ No

4. Site Address Details

Full postal address of the site (including full postcode where available)

House:		Suffix:	
House name:	Land Adjoining (Accessed From)		
Street address:	Bridge Road		
	Long Sutton		
Town/City:	Spalding		
County:	Lincolnshire		
Postcode:			

Description:

Open land accessed from Bridge Road

Description of location or a grid reference
(must be completed if postcode is not known):

Easting:	544034
Northing:	322617

5. Pre-application Advice

Has assistance or prior advice been sought from the local authority about this application? ☒ Yes ☐ No

If Yes, please complete the following information about the advice you were given (this will help the authority to deal with this application more efficiently):

Officer name:					
Title:	Mr	First name:	David	Surname:	Roberts
Reference:	N/A				
Date (DD/MM/YYYY):	14/02/2011	(Must be pre-application submission)			
Details of the pre-application advice received:					
Telephone discussion with Dr J Harrall					

6. Pedestrian and Vehicle Access, Roads and Rights of Way

- Is a new or altered vehicle access proposed to or from the public highway? ☐ Yes ☒ No
- Is a new or altered pedestrian access proposed to or from the public highway? ☐ Yes ☒ No
- Are there any new public roads to be provided within the site? ☐ Yes ☒ No
- Are there any new public rights of way to be provided within or adjacent to the site? ☐ Yes ☒ No
- Do the proposals require any diversions/extinguishments and/or creation of rights of way? ☒ Yes ☐ No

If you answered Yes to any of the above questions, please show details on your plans/drawings and state the reference of the plan(s)/drawings(s)

Private right of way across adjacent development site for access to Solar Park [West]. Refer drawing 7002.PL.02

7. Waste Storage and Collection

- Do the plans incorporate areas to store and aid the collection of waste? ☐ Yes ☒ No
- Have arrangements been made for the separate storage and collection of recyclable waste? ☐ Yes ☒ No

8. Authority Employee/Member

With respect to the Authority, I am:

- (a) a member of staff
- (b) an elected member
- (c) related to a member of staff
- (d) related to an elected member

Do any of these statements apply to you? ☐ Yes ☒ No

9. Materials

Please state what materials (including type, colour and name) are to be used externally (if applicable):

9. (Materials continued)

Walls - description:

Description of *existing* materials and finishes:

N/A

Description of *proposed* materials and finishes:

Profiled metal cladding to Inverter Buildings [colour tbc]

Roof - description:

Description of *existing* materials and finishes:

N/A

Description of *proposed* materials and finishes:

Flat Roof [metal profile] to Inverter Buildings [colour tbc]

Doors - description:

Description of *existing* materials and finishes:

N/A

Description of *proposed* materials and finishes:

Metal security doors to Inverter Buildings.

Boundary treatments - description:

Description of *existing* materials and finishes:

N/A

Description of *proposed* materials and finishes:

2m high chain link or rectangular mesh security fence, tree planting and 1.5m earth bund with flowering hedge planting atop.

Vehicle access and hard standing - description:

Description of *existing* materials and finishes:

Part concrete, grass and gravel private drives

Description of *proposed* materials and finishes:

Part crushed MOT Type 1, part pervious tarmac or concrete.

Lighting - add description

Description of *existing* materials and finishes:

N/A

Description of *proposed* materials and finishes:

N/A

Are you supplying additional information on submitted plan(s)/drawing(s)/design and access statement?

☒ Yes ☐ No

If Yes, please state references for the plan(s)/drawing(s)/design and access statement:

702.PL.01 - Site Location Plan
702.PL.02 - Site Plan
702.PB.01 - Site Sections
702.PB.02 - Inverter Building
702.PB.03 - PV Array
702.PB.04 - Boundary Treatment
702.DAS - Design and Access Statement

10. Vehicle Parking

Please provide information on the existing and proposed number of on-site parking spaces:

Type of vehicle	Existing number of spaces	Total proposed (including spaces retained)	Difference in spaces
Cars	0	10	10
Light goods vehicles/public carrier vehicles	0	2	2
Motorcycles	0	2	2
Disability spaces	0	2	2
Cycle spaces	0	6	6
Other (e.g. Bus)	0	0	0
Short description of Other			

11. Foul Sewage

Please state how foul sewage is to be disposed of:

Mains sewer ☐ Package treatment plant ☐ Unknown ☐
Septic tank ☐ Cess pit ☐

Other

None required

Are you proposing to connect to the existing drainage system?

☐ Yes ☒ No ☐ Unknown

12. Assessment of Flood Risk

Is the site within an area at risk of flooding? (Refer to the Environment Agency's Flood Map showing flood zones 2 and 3 and consult Environment Agency standing advice and your local planning authority requirements for information as necessary.)

☒ Yes ☐ No

If Yes, you will need to submit an appropriate flood risk assessment to consider the risk to the proposed site.

Is your proposal within 20 metres of a watercourse (e.g. river, stream or beck)?

☒ Yes ☐ No

Will the proposal increase the flood risk elsewhere?

☐ Yes ☒ No

How will surface water be disposed of?

☒ Sustainable drainage system

☐ Main sewer

☐ Pond/lake

☐ Soakaway

☐ Existing watercourse

13. Biodiversity and Geological Conservation

To assist in answering the following questions refer to the guidance notes for further information on when there is a reasonable likelihood that any important biodiversity or geological conservation features may be present or nearby and whether they are likely to be affected by your proposals.

Having referred to the guidance notes, is there a reasonable likelihood of the following being affected adversely or conserved and enhanced within the application site, OR on land adjacent to or near the application site:

a) Protected and priority species

☐ Yes, on the development site ☐ Yes, on land adjacent to or near the proposed development ☒ No

b) Designated sites, important habitats or other biodiversity features

☐ Yes, on the development site ☐ Yes, on land adjacent to or near the proposed development ☒ No

c) Features of geological conservation importance

☐ Yes, on the development site ☐ Yes, on land adjacent to or near the proposed development ☒ No

14. Existing Use

Please describe the current use of the site:

Open country (agricultural land). Currently ploughed.

Is the site currently vacant? ☐ Yes ☒ No

Does the proposal involve any of the following?

If yes, you will need to submit an appropriate contamination assessment with your application.

Land which is known to be contaminated? ☐ Yes ☒ No

Land where contamination is suspected for all or part of the site? ☐ Yes ☒ No

A proposed use that would be particularly vulnerable to the presence of contamination? ☐ Yes ☒ No

15. Trees and Hedges

Are there trees or hedges on the proposed development site? ☒ Yes ☐ No

And/or: Are there trees or hedges on land adjacent to the proposed development site that could influence the development or might be important as part of the local landscape character?

☒ Yes ☐ No

If Yes to either or both of the above, you may need to provide a full Tree Survey, at the discretion of your local planning authority. If a Tree Survey is required, this and the accompanying plan should be submitted alongside your application. Your local planning authority should make clear on its website what the survey should contain, in accordance with the current 'BS5837: Trees in relation to construction - Recommendations'.

16. Trade Effluent

Does the proposal involve the need to dispose of trade effluents or waste?

☐ Yes ☒ No

17. Residential Units

Does your proposal include the gain or loss of residential units?

☐ Yes ☒ No

18. All Types of Development: Non-residential Floorspace

Does your proposal involve the loss, gain or change of use of non-residential floorspace?

☐ Yes ☒ No

19. Employment

If known, please complete the following information regarding employees:

	Full-time	Part-time	Equivalent number of full-time
Existing employees	0	0	0
Proposed employees	0	2	1

20. Hours of Opening

If known, please state the hours of opening for each non-residential use proposed:

Use	Monday to Friday Start Time End Time	Saturday Start Time End Time	Sunday and Bank Holidays Start Time End Time	Not Known
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21. Site Area

What is the site area? hectares

22. Industrial or Commercial Processes and Machinery

Please describe the activities and processes which would be carried out on the site and the end products including plant, ventilation or air conditioning. Please include the type of machinery which may be installed on site:

Renewable energy centre producing electricity for the National Grid from photovoltaic arrays. Inverter equipment in two separate new buildings.

Is the proposal for a waste management development? ☐ Yes ☒ No

23. Hazardous Substances

Is any hazardous waste involved in the proposal? ☐ Yes ☒ No

24. Site Visit

Can the site be seen from a public road, public footpath, bridleway or other public land? ☐ Yes ☒ No

If the planning authority needs to make an appointment to carry out a site visit, whom should they contact? (Please select only one)

☒ The agent ☐ The applicant ☐ Other person

25. Certificates (Certificate B)

Certificate of Ownership - Certificate B
Town and Country Planning (Development Management Procedure) (England) Order 2010 Certificate under Article 12

I certify/The applicant certifies that I have/the applicant has given the requisite notice to everyone else (as listed below) who, on the day 21 days before the date of this application, was the owner (owner is a person with a freehold interest or leasehold interest with at least 7 years left to run) of any part of the land or building to which this application relates.

Notice recipient		Date notice served
Name	Mr H Myers	15/02/2011
Number:	Suffix:	
Street:	Poplar Farm, Austendyke Road	
Locality:	Weston Hills	
Town:	Spalding	
Postcode:	PE12 6BZ	

Title: First name: Surname:
Person role: Declaration date: ☒ Declaration made

25. Certificates (Agricultural Land Declaration)

Agricultural Land Declaration
Town and Country Planning (Development Management Procedure) (England) Order 2010 Certificate under Article 12

Agricultural Land Declaration - You Must Complete Either A or B

(A) None of the land to which the application relates is, or is part of an agricultural holding. ☐

(B) I have/The applicant has given the requisite notice to every person other than myself/the applicant who, on the day 21 days before the date of this application, was a tenant of an agricultural holding on all or part of the land to which this application relates, as listed below: ☒

If any part of the land is an agricultural holding, of which the applicant is the sole tenant, the applicant should complete part (B) of the form by writing 'sole tenant - not applicable' in the first column of the table below

25. Certificates (Agricultural Land Declaration - continued)

Notice recipient		Date notice served
Name:	Mr W Dye	15/02/2011
Number:	Suffix:	
Street:		
Locality:		
Town:		
Postcode:		
Title:	Mr First Name: Robert	Surname: Edgar
Person role:	Agent	Declaration date: 15/02/2011 ☒ Declaration Made

26. Declaration

I/we hereby apply for planning permission/consent as described in this form and the accompanying plans/drawings and additional information.



Date 15/02/2011