

Dear Sirs,

I refer to your consultations below which has been passed to me for attention.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION TO ACQUIRE LAND OR RIGHTS IN LAND COMPULSORILY, TO EXTINGUISH RIGHTS OVER LAND, TO TEMPORARILY USE LAND AND FOR POWERS TO CARRY OUT PROTECTIVE WORKS TO BUILDINGS ROADS AND APPARATUS OF A STATUTORY UNDERTAKER

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR POWERS TO CARRY OUT PROTECTIVE WORKS TO BUILDINGS ROADS AND APPARATUS OF A STATUTORY UNDERTAKER

Northern Powergrid are a statutory utility and we must at all times look to protect our assets to ensure our obligations to maintain electrical supplies are not put at jeopardy or compromised. With this in mind and as a Company standard procedure I write to formally object to the draft Order.

This is also as a safeguard to encourage consultation between Network Rail and ourselves to discuss the implications that the schemes may have and how this could affect our apparatus. In this can I please suggest that you contact Qaisar Malik, Design Team Manager, to open up discussions. Qaisar is available at Qaisar.Malik@northernpowergrid.com and is based in our Castleford office (98 Aketon Road, Castleford, WF10 5DS).

For your information I have passed the paperwork across to our Wayleaves Team, based at Alix House Stockton, as they will be able to retrieve the relevant agreements covering any plant or apparatus we have in the location.

As far as the formal objection is concerned this will stand until such time as I receive your written undertaking that Network Rail will be responsible for all of our associated costs of any diversion of our apparatus, plant and or equipment that may be required as a result of the Order.

Upon receipt of such an undertaking I will check with our Engineers to make sure that they are satisfied that everything is in order and at that point I will formally lift the objection.

Thanks,

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