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Dear Sir

**SPALDING ENERGY EXPANSION
SECTION 36 ELECTRICITY ACT 1989
SECTION 90(2) TOWN & COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 1990
APPLICATION FOR CONSENT TO DEVELOP A 900MW CCGT ELECTRICITY
GENERATING STATION AT WEST MARSH ROAD, SPALDING, LINCOLNSHIRE**

Spalding Energy Expansion Limited (SEEL) is applying for consent under Section 36 Electricity Act 1989 and deemed planning permission under Section 90(2) of the Town & Country Planning Act 1990 to develop a 900 megawatt (MW) combined cycle gas turbine (CCGT) electricity generating station on land at West Marsh Road, Spalding, Lincolnshire, PE11 2BB adjoining an existing power station operated by Spalding Energy Company Limited which like SEEL, is part of the InterGen Group. The development for which Section 36 consent is being sought will be known as the Spalding Energy Expansion (SEE).

The SEE will be designed so that it has the potential to provide combined heat and power (CHP) and carbon capture, details of which are set out in the CHP Assessment and Carbon Capture Readiness Feasibility Study, which are submitted as part of this Section 36 application.

It is proposed that the plant will be powered by natural gas via pipeline from the National Transmission System (NTS) at Carrington Road. The development will comprise principally:

- 2 gas turbines
- 1 or more steam turbines
- 2 heat recovery steam generators (HRSG)
- 1 or more auxiliary boilers
- 2 stacks
- air cooled condensers (ACC) and ancillary cooling
- 2 or more transformers
- Gas reception facility
- Other plant and equipment
- Water treatment plant
- 400 kV sub-station
- 2 water tanks
- buildings (including administration offices, control room, engineering works including contractors temporary laydown areas, vehicle loading/unloading/fencing, storage facilities, lighting).



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In addition to the above, landscaping and biodiversity provision will be incorporated into the scheme.

The following are enclosed in support of the application:

- Form B (Type 1)
- Application Site Plan 2544/C/1
- Schedule of Drawings
- Environmental Statement:
 - Volume I Non- technical Summary
 - Volume II Main Statement
 - Volume III Technical Appendices
- Other Documents
 - CHP Assessment (A)
 - Carbon Capture Readiness Feasibility Study (A)
 - Public Consultation Statement
 - Design and Access Statement
 - Planning Statement
 - Draft Public Notice

Note: (A) – documents which have informed the EIA process.

3 copies of the Environmental Statement and other documents and 2 CDs are enclosed.

A scoping request was submitted to the Department of Energy and Climate Change on 18 November 2008. Public exhibitions were held on 20, 21, 22 November 2008 and 26, 27, 28 March 2009 at the Broad Street Business Centre in Spalding.

SEEL will be sending copies of the application, to the consultees on the attached schedule. We will also send copies of the letters sent to other consultees and land owners under separate cover.

If you will kindly confirm receipt of this application and that you have the requisite information to enable registration we will place notice of the application in the London Gazette, Daily Telegraph Spalding Guardian and Lincolnshire Free Press.

Should you have any queries regarding the enclosed please do not hesitate to contact Keith Dalton or Chris Brake 020 7489 0213 or email kd@daltonwd.co.uk / cb@daltonwd.co.uk.

Yours faithfully

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DECC Consultees

Consultee	Contact Details
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Environment Agency	F.A.O. Chris Hayes Planning Liaison Officer Waterside House Waterside North Lincoln LN2 5HA F.A.O. Robert Perks Environmental Permitting Officer Waterside House Waterside North Lincoln LN2 5HA F.A.O. Emma Kirk Development Control Engineer Stepping Stone Walk Winfrey Avenue Spalding Lincolnshire PE11 1DA
Natural England	Sally Murray (Land Advisor Lincolnshire) Natural England Ceres House 2 Searby Road Lincoln LN2 4DW
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<p>Civil Aviation Authority</p>	<p>Mark Smailes Director of Air Space Policy CAA House 45 – 49 Kingsway London WC2B 2TE</p>
<p>Government Office for the East Midlands</p>	<p>Mr Ian White Head of Natural Environment and Rural Government Office for the East Midlands The Belgrave Centre Stanley Place Talbot Street Nottingham NG1 5GG</p>
<p>Health and Safety Executive</p>	<p>Sarah Jardine Principal Inspector Health and Safety Executive Level 6 (First Floor) Toll House Hill Nottingham NG1 5AT</p>
<p>South Holland District Council Planning Department</p>	<p>F.A.O. Steve Williams, Head of Planning South Holland District Council Council Offices Priory Road Spalding Lincolnshire PE11 2XE</p> <p>Paul Jackson South Holland District Council Council Offices Priory Road Spalding Lincolnshire PE11 2XE</p> <p>Richard Fiddler South Holland District Council Council Offices Priory Road Spalding Lincolnshire PE11 2XE</p>
<p>Lincolnshire County Council</p>	<p>Mr Alan Freeman Head of Spatial Planning Development Directorate Witham Park House Lincoln LN5 7JN</p>

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Other Consultees

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<p>South Holland Rural Action Zone</p>	<p>South Holland Rural Action Zone South Holland District Council Priory Road Spalding Lincolnshire PE11 2XE</p>

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