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18th April 2018

Dear Sirs

**Re: Tankersley to Ecclesfield 66kV Overhead Line Rebuild
Electricity Act 1989**

Please note that Northern Powergrid (NPg) are proposing to rebuild the above 66kV overhead line (OHL). The existing wooden poles and steel structures (Woodhouse Masts – WHM's) along the route of the OHL have been in situ for some time and need to be replaced due to their age and condition.

In this regard please find enclosed 3 copies of an exemption notice in accordance with the exemption regulations of April 2009. If your Authority has no objections to the proposed works then I would be obliged if you could complete all copies of the aforementioned notices and return two copies to me within 6 weeks.

As the route of the OHL crosses into Sheffield City Council and Rotherham Metropolitan District Council territory I have sent them a similar notice.

NORTHERN POWERGRID

Is the trading name of Northern Powergrid (Northeast) Ltd (Registered No: 2906593) and Northern Powergrid (Yorkshire) plc (Registered No: 4112320)

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THIS FORM IS FOR USE BY ELECTRICITY NETWORK OPERATORS TO ADVISE LOCAL PLANNING AUTHORITIES OF PROPOSED WORKS TO BE UNDERTAKEN WITHIN THEIR DESIGNATED AREA THAT ARE CONSIDERED TO BE EXEMPTED UNDER THE OVERHEAD LINES (EXEMPTION) (ENGLAND AND WALES) REGULATIONS 2009. LOCAL AUTHORITIES HAVE THE RIGHT TO INVOKE THE FULL SECTION 37 PROCESS UNDER THE ELECTRICITY ACT 1989 SHOULD IT BE CONSIDERED NECESSARY.

The Form should be sent in triplicate to each Local Planning Authority in whose area the proposed development would be situated.

Details of Applicant

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Applicant's Ref: JL/YC_YP19220

Date: 18/04/2018

To: Head of Planning Barnsley Metropolitan District Council

Electricity Act 1989: Overhead Lines (Exemption)(England and Wales) Regulations 2009

It is proposed to undertake the following work that is considered to be exempted from the Electricity Act 1989 by falling within the Overhead Lines (Exemption)(England and Wales) Regulations 2009:

Tankersley to Ecclesfield 66kV Wood Pole Overhead Line : Pole 15 are proposed to be rebuilt slightly off line but within tolerance for exemption. Poles 02 to 14 & 16 to 36 will be rebuilt on line. All poles being repaced will be using a modern equivalent wood pole design. I have also issued a notice to Sheffield City Council & Rotherham District Council as part of these works are within their district of authority.

Particulars of proposed development to be completed by Applicant:

As part of the on-going improvement works to our overhead electrical network in the South Yorkshire area it is proposed to rebuild our existing 66kV wood H pole overhead line (OHL) (totalling approximately 4.85km in length). I have attached copies of drawing number C1079844, showing the route of the existing OHL, and the proposed route of the replacement wooden pole OHL. These works are deemed as minor by the The Department of Energy and Climate Change and therefore fall within the aforementioned exemption regulations.

The Council/Authority is requested to indicate that it has no objection to the work being carried out by returning two copies of this Form with the Certificate completed and signed.

Yours Faithfully

For and on behalf of the Applicant