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Dear requester

**Request for Information**

Thank you for your request for information which was received on 12 December 2024. We have considered your request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

**Request**

You asked:

*We previously submitted an information request in relation to demand connections queueing to connection onto the transmission network. NESO confirmed that the data was not held in a single place and therefore the request was outside the scope of the act from a cost perspective.*

*I would therefore like to narrow the freedom of information request to the following connection points:*

- 1. Keadby*
- 2. Killingholme*
- 3. Trent Valley North*
- 4. South Humber Node*
- 5. & Connections into and or around Scunthorpe.*

**Our response and advice and assistance**

Please find appended to this response a list of the demand connections sites. There are no demand connections sites with the names you provided at 1 to 4 of your request.

We have provided the list to assist you to identify the demand connections sites you may be interested in, including to help you identify those you determine are 'into and/or around

Scunthorpe' i.e., you will be able to determine the distance from Scunthorpe you would consider to be within your area of interest.

We will consider any revised request that you submit as a new request. Under Section 16 of the FOIA we should provide advice and assistance so far as it would be reasonable to expect a public authority to do so, to help you refine your request so that it falls within the appropriate cost limit. We advise that, as with your initial request, the data will be held in various data sources, and would need to be extracted from these sources, reviewed and consolidated. Each of the sites listed are likely to have several demand projects. Should you choose to submit a further request, you may wish to limit the number of sites you request information on. Please note that requests framed by the cost limit where a requester asks for searches until the cost limit is reached, are not valid requests under the FOIA.

The three Transmission Owners (National Grid Electricity Transmission, Scottish Hydro Electric Transmission Ltd. and SP Energy Networks) are likely to hold this information in a more accessible format, so an alternative would be to you contact them to request this information.

### **Next steps**

You can ask us to review our response. If you want us to carry out a review, please let us know within 40 working days and quote the reference number at the top of this letter.

If you are still dissatisfied after our internal review, you can complain to the Information Commissioner's Office (ICO). You should make complaints to the ICO within six weeks of receiving the outcome of an internal review. The easiest way to lodge a complaint is through their website: [www.ico.org.uk/foicomplaints](http://www.ico.org.uk/foicomplaints). Alternatively, they can be contacted at: Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, SK9 5AF.

Thank you for your interest in the work of the National Energy System Operator (NESO).

Regards,

The Information Rights Team

National Energy System Operator (NESO)

Demand Connection Sites (November 2024)	
Aberthaw	Leiston
Alverdiscott	Lister Drive
Amersham Main	London East Connection Node A
Amersham Molins	London North East Connection Node A
Ardagh Glass	London West Connection Node A
Barking	Margam
Barking C	Melksham
Beckton	Mill Hill
Berkswell 2	Morar
Blyth	Mossmorran
Blyth GSP	Newarthill
Bramford	Newchurch
Bramley	North Hyde
Braybrooke	Overton
Bridgend	Pembroke
Bulls Lodge	Peterhead
Cellarhead	Peterhead Hydrogen
Cloud Elstree	Poppleton
Coalburn	Portobello
Coalburn North	Powergate
Creed North	Pudding Mill Lane
Culham Jet	Quainton
Currie	Rayleigh Main
Didcot	Renew East
Dogger Bank	Sellindge
Dundee	Slough East
East Claydon	South Elmsall
Eggborough	South Wales Connection Node B
Elderslie	Spennymoor
Elland	St Andrews Cross
Elstree	St Fergus
Elstree B	Stalybridge
Fawley	Staythorpe
Ferrybridge B	Stocksbridge
Fiddlers Ferry	Stracathro
Grangemouth	Sundon GSP
Gravity	Swansea North
Greystones	Taunton
Hams Hall	Thorntonloch
Hedon	Tilbury
Hunterston East	Tod Point

Ickenham	Tod Point and Grangetown
Imperial Park	Upper Boat
International Trading Estates	Uxbridge Moor
Iver C	Waltham Cross
Kegworth	Warwickshire Connection Node F
Kensal Green	West Anglia Connection Node A 1
Kincardine	Willesden
Kingsnorth	Willesden
Kintore	Willington
Kirkstall	XLCC Hunterston
Laleham	