

Direction to Birch Solar Park Limited by the Gas and Electricity Markets Authority under paragraphs 2 of Standard Generation Licence Conditions 17 and 17A

- 1. This Direction is issued by the Gas and Electricity Markets Authority (the "Authority") under Paragraph 2 of Condition 17 and Condition 17A respectively in the Standard Licence Conditions of the Electricity Generation Licence of Birch Solar Park Limited (13348332) (the "Licensee") granted or treated as granted under s6(1)(a) of the Electricity Act 1989 (as amended) (the "Licence").
- 2. Paragraph 2 of Condition 17 provides that paragraphs 6 to 13 of the Condition shall have effect within the Licence where the Authority has issued to the licensee a direction and that they shall have effect from the date specified in the Authority's direction. The licensee shall be obliged to comply with the requirements of the provisions contained in those paragraphs from that date.
- 3. Paragraph 2 of Condition 17A provides that paragraphs 6 to 12 of the Condition shall have effect within the Licence where the Authority has issued to the licensee a direction and that they shall have effect from the date specified in the Authority's direction. The licensee shall be obliged to comply with the requirements of the provisions contained in those paragraphs from that date.
- 4. A direction pursuant to paragraph 2 (of Conditions 17 and 17A respectively) may be issued from the date the Secretary of State determines the standard licence conditions pursuant to sub-section 33(1) of the Utilities Act 2000.
- 5. The Authority hereby directs that the provisions contained in paragraphs 6 to 13 of Condition 17 and paragraphs 6 to 12 of Condition 17A shall (subject to paragraph 6 below) apply to the Licensee and have effect in the Licence.



6. This Direction shall have effect from and including the date of this Direction and shall remain in effect until such time as the Authority shall revoke, vary or replace it by a further Direction in accordance with powers conferred on it by s107 Electricity Act 1989.

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Maryam Khan

Duly authorised on behalf of the Authority

19 June 2025