



## **SLEAFORD** Renewable Energy Plant

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**17<sup>th</sup> March 2016**

### **Sleaford Renewable Energy Plant: Easter Weekend operations**

I write with regard to the delivery of straw to our plant and the removal of ash from our plant over the Easter weekend.

Our planning condition from North Kesteven District Council states that no deliveries to or collections from the plant should take place outside normal working hours (Monday to Saturday) and at no times on Sundays or Bank Holidays. Given that the Easter holiday weekend is four days long and we are generating baseload electricity (24/7) into the National Grid, and with regard to the planning conditions on our delivery times, we have in previous years encountered difficulties in having a sufficient amount of fuel (primarily straw) available onsite to maintain the level of electricity generation that is required of the plant.

We have therefore obtained permission from North Kesteven District Council to extend our delivery hours on Easter Saturday: we have been permitted to take straw deliveries (and remove ash) between 7.00am to 7.00pm (as per a normal working day – our standard hours) rather than the usual 8.00am to 2.00pm for Saturday operations. This will allow time to restock our straw barns and generate electricity without hindrance. There will be no deliveries of straw on Good Friday, Easter Sunday or Bank Holiday Monday.

Our deliveries over the Easter Weekend are therefore as follows:

<b>Date</b>	<b>Week Day</b>	<b>Status</b>	<b>Deliveries</b>
21/03/2016			
to		Normal operations –	
24/03/2016	Mon to Thursday	7.00am to 7.00pm	Y
25/03/2016	Friday	Good Friday	N
26/03/2016	Saturday	Normal operations	Y
27/03/2016	Sunday	Easter Sunday	N
28/03/2016	Monday	Bank Holiday	N
29/03/2016	Tuesday	Normal operations	Y

If you have any questions about this matter, or indeed any other aspect of the plant's operations, please get in touch with me on 020 3170 8466 / [paul@taylorkeogh.com](mailto:paul@taylorkeogh.com). We will be posting details of the delivery schedule on the Sleaford REP website ([www.sleafordrep.co.uk](http://www.sleafordrep.co.uk)) and on parish noticeboards.

Regards, Paul Taylor