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Further to your information request FOI/EIR 21/22-247 please find your question and our response below.

## **Request:**

In relation to the approved battery energy store on Weirs Drove, Burwell (planning application 17/02205/FUL), please can you tell me an estimate of how much water is available at this site to tackle a battery fire, should such a situation arise? What sort of flow would this offer?

I appreciate that the developer has indicated that they do not intend to use water to suppress a fire, since they plan on using an aerosol system. However, in the unlikely event of an aerosol system being effective, it would be useful to know how much water is available nearby to tackle a battery fire at this facility.

## **Response:**

Condition 22 for the Application: 17/02205/FUL has not yet been discharged. We therefore do not hold this information.

All relevant information we hold on this scheme is covered by applications:

17/02205/FUL  
17/02205/DISA  
17/02205/DISB  
17/02205/DISC  
17/02205/DISD  
17/02205/DISE  
17/02205/DISF  
17/02205/DISG  
20/01645/VAR

All the documentation for these applications can be accessed via Planning Portal on our website.

In respect of those requests that are answered in full, partially or the total refused, please take this as notice under FOIA, that we:

- a) Consider the information as exempt from disclosure under the Act;
- b) Claim exempt under sections of the Act:

### **Section 12(4)(a) – Information Not Held**

- c) State why the exemption applies:

**Regulation 12 (4) a public authority may refuse to disclose information to the extent that (a) it does not hold that information when an applicant's request is received.**

This concludes your request FOI/EIR 21/22-247

If information has been refused please treat this as a Refusal Notice for the purposes of the Act.

If you disagree with our decision or are otherwise unhappy with how we have dealt with your request in the first instance you may approach [foi@eastcambs.gov.uk](mailto:foi@eastcambs.gov.uk) and request a review. A request for review must be made in no more than 40 working days from the date of this email.

Should you remain dissatisfied with the outcome you have a right under s50 of the Freedom of Information Act to appeal against the decision by contacting the Information Commissioner, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow SK9 5AF.