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Date: 27 February 2024 at 13:20
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Dear Sir or Madam,

With thanks for your recent response regarding the Planning Application for the East Stour Solar Farm, located on land south of the M20, Church Lane, Aldington. I've attached the comments provided by County Council's Minerals and Waste Planning Policy Team below for convenience.

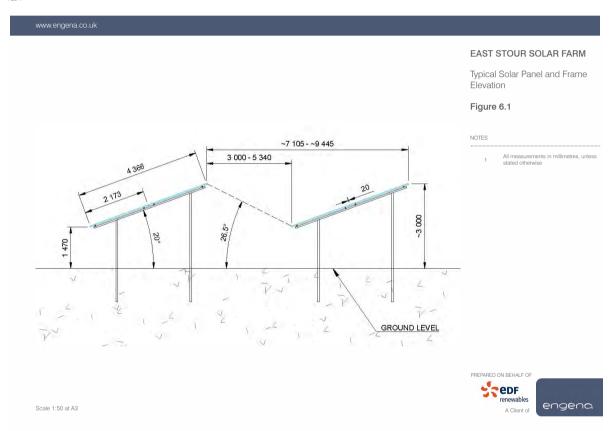
Your comments are much appreciated.

We can confirm the application is for a fixed term (40 years) and as such the Kentish Ragstone resource will not be sterilised by the proposal. No excavations are proposed beyond surface-works to accommodate site tracks, transformer pads and cable trenches. The framing system foundations will be piled and removed at the end of the consented lifetime of the project. As such no impact on the resource is anticipated.

I've included below Figure 6.1 which accompanied the original planning application for reference.

With thanks in advance and kind regards,

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