

Fast-track Approvals Act 2024

MINUTE #12 OF THE EXPERT PANEL

Directions as to Conditions
Haldon Solar [FTAA-2508-1097]

AND

MINUTE #15 OF THE EXPERT PANEL

Directions as to Conditions
The Point Solar Farm [FTAA-2509-1100]

8 April 2026

[1] This Minute is issued jointly by the Haldon Solar (Haldon) and The Point Solar Farm (The Point) Expert Panels.

[2] On the 2 April 2026 the Expert Panels issued a combined [Minute-10 and Minute 14](#) for Haldon Solar and The Point Solar Farm respectively adjusting the date for the receipt of revised set of conditions. This was in response to the request from Canterbury Regional Council for more time to review the ecological information that was expected from Lodestone Energy, the Applicant for Haldon Solar.

[3] On 07 April 2026, the Expert Panel received a further request from Lodestone Energy to extend the suspension period for a further four working days. The Expert Panel has issued Minute-11 granting the extension. Therefore, the expected updated ecological information as outlined in [RFI #2](#) will now be provided on 10 April 2026. Processing of the Haldon Solar Application will resume on Monday 13 April 2026. The avifauna and ecological information will be made available as soon as possible upon receipt at the EPA.

[4] In line with the Expert Panels previous consideration, the date for the revised

condition sets to be provided by both Applicants is now extended to **5pm 21 April 2026**.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Raynor Asher". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Hon Raynor Asher KC

Haldon Solar and The Point Expert Panel Chair