

19th September 2025

Planning and Advanced Reservation of Capacity Agreement (PARCA)

**PARCA UPDATE – RESERVATION OF NTS EXIT CAPACITY FOR THURROCK POWER STATION
(FORMERLY KNOWN AS TILBURY MARSHES)**

Dear Industry Colleague,

In accordance with the Uniform Network Code, Section B, National Gas hereby publishes this notice to all interested industry parties.

On 28 November 2017 we issued a notice with respect to the receipt of a competent Planning & Advanced Reservation of Capacity Agreement (“PARCA”) application. The PARCA application was for National Transmission System (“NTS”) exit capacity of between 17,301,946kWh/d and 21,146,822kWh/d in London, Suffolk & the South-East (Region 9 in the Gas Ten Year Statement¹). The indicative capacity Registration Date specified at the time was 01 December 2020.

On 29 May 2018 we issued a notice (“Tilbury Marshes Power Station ExCS Informal Notice (including exit Substitution & Baseline Revision)”). The informal notice confirmed that the PARCA Phase 1 Works had been completed to meet a capacity requirement of 21,146,822kWh/d for a capacity Registration Date of 01 December 2020.

On 24 September 2019 the PARCA Reservation Party revised the Capacity Registration Date to 01 December 2022, and we issued a notice to reflect this. This was followed by a correction notice on 15 October 2019 to correct the Capacity Registration Date to 01 October 2022.

On 01 October 2020 the PARCA Reservation Party revised the quantity of Reserved System Capacity, and we issued a notice to reflect this.

On 17 March 2022 the PARCA Reservation Party revised the Capacity Registration Date to 01 June 2024, and we issued a notice to reflect this.

On 07 February 2024 the PARCA Reservation Party revised the Capacity Registration Date to 01 August 2025, and we issued a notice to reflect this.

On 29 April 2025 we issued a notice to advise that the both the quantity of Reserved Capacity and Capacity Registration Date has been further revised following a request from the PARCA Reservation Party.

Full details were as follows;

¹ <https://www.nationalgas.com/insight-and-innovation/gas-ten-year-statement-gtys>

From 01 October 2025

<i>Recipient NTS Exit Point</i>	<i>Donor NTS Exit Point</i>	<i>Capacity Donated (kWh/d)</i>	<i>Capacity Received (kWh/d)</i>
Thurrock Power Station	Tatsfield	4,900,000	4,916,992

On 20th August 2025, we issued a notice (“Thurrock Power Station ExCS Formal Notice (including Exit Substitution & Baseline Revision)”).

No veto was given by the Authority within 28 days of the formal notice being published (that being by 17th September 2025).

We are issuing this notice to advise that the system capacity has now been allocated.

PARCA related notices and the PARCA Customer Guidance document can be found at:
<https://www.nationalgas.com/our-businesses/reserving-capacity>.

Should you wish to discuss the contents of this notice further please contact me as per below.

Kind regards,

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