

British Pipeline Association  
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Dear Sir/Madam

### Prax Fina Pipeline - Affected Consultation

Our Ref	2021-1442
Your Ref	
Linesearch Ref	
Location	497993 304312
	Ketton and Tinwell Parish
Work Description	Public consultation
Technician Area	Finaline

Thank you for your enquiry regarding the work at the above location.

Your proposed works are in close proximity to a high pressure pipeline system operated by BPA. Please find attached our GIS map. Before any work (including hand trial holes) starts on site you must consult with BPA. Email [finaline@bpa.co.uk](mailto:finaline@bpa.co.uk) to arrange a free site meeting with one of our Technicians.

Your safety is paramount to BPA. In order to protect you from potential injury or death we ask that this safety information is passed to the person that will be carrying out the work.

BPA regularly monitor the pipelines and we ask that the following procedures are observed:

- Before any work (including hand trial holes) starts in the vicinity, a BPA Technician must locate and mark the pipeline(s) on site.
- All works within 6m of the pipeline require prior approval by BPA and a BPA Technician must supervise all works within 6m of the pipeline(s). The technician will determine whether a written method statement is necessary before any works proceed.
- BPA require a minimum of 7 days' notice to arrange supervision (under normal circumstances).
- Heavy vehicle crossing points to be approved before use across the easement.
- Any works involving the exposure of the pipeline/s requires a continuous site presence until backfilled (this may mean a security arrangement out of hours).
- BPA may require proof of liability insurance depending on the proposed works.
- Utility crossings may require a formal crossing consent
- BPA do not charge for the first three days of supervision (this includes site meetings). After that, BPA will charge for any future supervision.

**When planning works which involve crossing or working within the easement of the pipeline, the following will be requested before works can start:**

- **A confirmed or proposed programmed start date for the works**
- **A detailed description of the proposed works**
- **A plan of the work area**
- **Drawings and a method statement for the written approval of BPA.**

For more information about working in close proximity to pipelines please visit <http://www.linewatch.co.uk/downloads.php>.

Please quote reference number: **2021-1442** when communicating with BPA.

Yours Sincerely

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