
DRAFT STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2020 No.

**The Infrastructure Planning (Electricity
Storage Facilities) Order 2020**

Interpretation

2. In this Order—

“the Act” means the Planning Act 2008;

“electricity storage facility” means a facility which generates electricity from energy that—

- (a) was converted from electricity by that facility, and
- (b) is stored within that facility for the purpose of its future reversion into electricity;

“exempt electricity storage facility” means an electricity storage facility which is not a pumped hydroelectric storage facility;

“pumped hydroelectric storage facility” means an electricity storage facility that stores the gravitational potential energy of water that has been pumped to a higher level so that its return to a lower level can be used to generate electricity.