



Mr Marc Browne
Heron Wind Ltd.
C/O DONG Energy Wind Power A/S

Our Ref:
DCO/2013/00009/Post Consent

(by email only)

22 April 2016

Dear Mr Browne,

THE HORNSEA ONE OFFSHORE WIND FARM ORDER 2014 (AS AMENDED BY THE HORNSEA ONE OFFSHORE WIND FARM (CORRECTION) ORDER 2015) VARIATION 1 OF DEEMED MARINE LICENCE (dML) 4.

In February 2015, DONG Energy Wind Power A/S ("DONG Energy") took full ownership of Hornsea One Offshore Wind Farm. Hornsea One Offshore Wind Farm was awarded consent by the Secretary of State on 10 December 2014. The undertakers named in the Development Consent Order (DCO) are Heron Wind Limited ("Heron") Njord Limited ("Njord") and Vi Aura Limited ("Vi Aura") (the "Project One companies").

On 30 October 2015 the Marine Management Organisation (MMO) received a request from DONG Energy on behalf of Heron to vary the dML contained within Schedule 11 of The Hornsea One Offshore Wind Farm Order 2014 (as amended by The Hornsea One Offshore Wind Farm (Correction) Order 2015 ('the Order').

An application was also made to the Planning Inspectorate (PINS) on 30 October 2015 for a non-material change to the Order to make the same change i.e. to increase the dimensions of the High Voltage Alternating Current (HVAC) collector substation (OSS) and the offshore Reactive Compensation Substation (RCS). The MMO provided advice to PINS on this matter. The Secretary of State determined in favour of permitting the non-material change on 31 March 2016 and subsequently granted the Hornsea One Offshore Wind Farm (Amendment) Order 2016.

In determining the request to vary dML 4, the MMO has carefully considered the supporting information provided by the Project One companies, the advice of the other consultees and the decision by the Secretary of State to permit the non-material change. The MMO has now completed its consideration of the variation request.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 72(3)(d) of the Marine and Coastal Access Act 2009, the MMO has made the following changes to the DML:

Schedule 11, Part 2 (Licence conditions), paragraph 1(1)(b)

The MMO has varied the dML to increase the maximum authorised area from 1,800 m² to 2,400 m²:

“have a platform which at its greatest extent exceeds 2,400 m² or 40 metres in width”.

Schedule 11, Part 2 (Licence conditions), paragraph 1(3)(b)

The MMO has varied the dML to increase the maximum authorised area from 1,800 m² to 2,500 m² and the maximum authorised width from 45 m to 50 m:

“have a platform which at its greatest extent exceeds 2,500 m² or 50 metres in width”.

Please find enclosed a notice of variation and a copy of the dML as varied for ease of reference. This documentation is also publicly available on the MMO’s website at <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/hornsea-one-offshore-wind-farm-variation-request>.

In accordance with regulation 3 of The Marine Licensing (Notices Appeals) Regulations 2011, you may appeal the notice of variation to the First-tier Tribunal. If you wish to appeal then in accordance with Rule 22(1)(b) of the Tribunal Procedure (First-tier Tribunal)(General Regulatory Chamber) Rules 2009 (SI 2009/1976) you have 28 days from the date of the sending of the notice of variation to send or deliver a notice of appeal to the First-tier Tribunal.

Please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned if you wish to discuss the content of this correspondence further.

Yours sincerely,



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