

From: DIO ODC-IPS SG2a
Sent: 01 July 2014 13:23
To: DES ADATS-Wind Farm SME
Subject: FW: Hill of Lychrobbie wind turbines FAO:

Hi

You may recall that you did some work on this a few weeks ago to establish whether some buildings at Lossiemouth would shield the turbines from the radar there. Your conclusion was that they would not.

You will see that the developer, making a natural assumption that the MOD exists for his convenience, is demanding more information and a site visit.

My response to the developer did not state that we have carried out a level 3 for this development. Did your shielding assessment involve a level 3? If so, is there any evidence of the assessment that could be passed to the developer? Is this something that we could/should pass to the developer?

Kind regards

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From: DIO ODC-IPS SG2 :
Sent: 25 June 2014 13:54
To: DIO ODC-IPS SG2a
Subject: RE: Hill of Lychrobbie wind turbines FAO: .

This was the email that I discussed with you this morning; can you confirm that you have received it please and will be actioning it.

Many thanks

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From:
Sent: 24 June 2014 12:58
To: DIO ODC-IPS SG2a
Cc: DIO ODC-IPS SG2
Subject: Fwd: Hill of Lychrobbie wind turbines FAO: 1

Please respond to the email below.

Regards

Begin forwarded message:

From:
Subject: Hill of Lychrobbie wind turbines FAO:
Date: 11 June 2014 17:12:12 GMT+01:00
To: DIOODC-IPSSG2a
Cc:

Thank you for your response of 22nd April 2014 re our community wind cluster at Hill of Lychrobbie.

Please forward a copy of the ADATS Level 3 assessment of the Lychrobbie turbines so that we can assess your conclusion re lack of shielding.

We also require copies of the other Level 3 assessments for the projects in the vicinity of Lychrobbie (i.e. Upper Smerral (at 84m), Lower Rumstar, Upper Clyth, Burn of Whilk) to check consistency with your assessment of Lychrobbie.

Further, we also require a copy of the HQ Air Command operational assessment for Burn of Whilk. I believe Burn of Whilk is currently under construction but if it is in fact operational, is the experience of the radar operators that it is now operationally acceptable?

Once we have reviewed this information we may need to visit RAF Lossiemouth to discuss the operational matters with ATC staff there. I'm sure you wouldn't object to this, given that we would be and the fact that Defence Estates does not have a direct interest in the site.

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such visits itself.

It may also be relevant that the Newlands of Housty project (which replaced the refused Upper Smerral project) has now itself been refused.

Regards

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