



Sally Holroyd  
DONG Energy Limited  
(via email only)

Our reference: DCO/20013/00005

8 August 2017

Dear Ms Holroyd

**WALNEY EXTENSION OFFSHORE WIND FARM ORDER 2014 (“the Order”) –  
VARIATION OF DEEMED MARINE LICENCES**

On 7 November 2014 the Secretary of State for Energy and Climate Change granted consent for the Walney Extension Offshore Wind Farm Order 2014 (“the Order”) which included in Schedule 9 (generation assets) and Schedule 10 (transmission assets) two deemed marine licences (DMLs) in accordance with Section 149 of the Planning Act 2008.

The Marine Management Organisation (MMO) received two separate requests from DONG Energy Walney Extension (UK) Limited to vary the DMLs contained within the Order. On 26 April 2017 the request was received to remove the requirement to undertake post-storm seabed monitoring, and on the 26 July 2017 the request was received to amend the condition restricting working on the intertidal area.

In addition to the proposed changes, following discussions with DONG Energy Walney Extension (UK) Limited, the MMO have included corrections to minor errors.

The MMO has now completed its consideration of these requests and, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 72(3)(d) of the Marine and Coastal Access Act 2009, has varied the DML as detailed in the Notice of Variation enclosed.

Also enclosed is a copy of the varied DMLs.

This documentation is also publicly available on the MMO’s website at [www.gov.uk/mmo](http://www.gov.uk/mmo)

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.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Frances Edwards". The signature is written in a cursive style with a small dot at the end.

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Notice of Variation

Variation 2, 8 August 2017