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Our Ref:DBA&B dML variation six

Marine Manangement Organisation  
Lancaster House  
Hampshire Court  
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Dear Luke,

**Application for an amendment to Deemed Marine Licences (Variation 5) pursuant to Section 72(3)(d) of the Marine and Coastal Access Act 2009**

The proposed variation is to the following conditions within deemed marine licence 3 and deemed marine licence 4 (the **Marine Licences**): Marine Licence 3, Schedule 10 Part B Condition 14 Construction Monitoring and Marine Licence 4, Schedule 11 Part B Condition 14 Construction Monitoring (the **Conditions**).

Enclosed with this application are a supporting statement, setting out the justification for the proposed variation to the Conditions, together with the:

1. the text of the proposed variation is set out in the table at Appendix 1 of the supporting statement;
2. the tracked change version of the Marine Licences at Appendix 2 of the supporting statement.

The effect of the proposed variation is to extend the period for the submission of the results of the noise measurements for monitoring of the offshore substation platforms (OSPs) pin-piles to the MMO. This will extend the period for submission of the noise measurements to the MMO from 6 weeks to 9 weeks. This aligns with the approach taken to amend the reporting period for the installation of the monopiles at DBA and DBB, of which the notice of variation to Marine Licence 1 and Marine Licence 2 was received by the Project from the MMO in July 2022.

Given that the substance of the Conditions would not be varied, this change is not material and falls within the MMO's remit under section 72(3)(d) of the Marine and Coastal Access Act 2009 (the **MCAA 2009**).

The supporting statement sets out the rationale behind the proposed variation. It also confirms that the proposed variation will not give rise to any new or materially different environmental effects and will not vary the current or future monitoring obligations.

It is hereby requested that the Marine Licences are varied pursuant to the MCAA 2009. This variation would be secured through variation 6 to the Marine Licences.

The OSPs pin-piling campaign is due to commence in March 2023. Therefore, we would appreciate if the variation was secured well in advance of this date.

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely

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