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Dear Sir / Madam

## THE OFFSHORE OIL AND GAS EXPLORATION, PRODUCTION, UNLOADING AND STORAGE (ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT) REGULATIONS 2020 DRILLING FINLAGGAN - 21/05c - F3H PRODUCTION WELL

Your application reference DR/2294/2 (Version 1), dated 21st March 2023 requested a screening direction for the above project.

The Department has considered that application and decided that the screening direction will not be issued. The attached comments set out the main reasons why a screening direction has not been issued. A copy of this notification will be forwarded to the application consultees, the Oil and Gas Authority and published on the gov.uk website.

If you have any queries in relation to this notification or the attachments, please do not hesitate to contact on or email the Environmental Management Team at bst@beis.gov.uk.

Yours faithfully

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## **COMMENTS ON THE APPLICATION FOR SCREENING DIRECTION**

This variation was rejected at the request of PFML due to previously identified technical issues being resolved, meaning the variation was no longer required