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(By email only)

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MMO reference: MLA/2023/00307
PINS reference: APP/ML/25/04

Dear Sir / Madam,

**THE MARINE AND COASTAL ACCESS ACT 2009
THE MARINE LICENSING (LICENCE APPLICATION APPEALS) REGULATIONS 2011
NOTICE TO INTERESTED PERSONS**

Site Location: Port Quin Bay, approximately 2km offshore from Port Quin National Trust Carpark, Port Quin Car Park, 2 Fish Cellars, Port Quin, Port Isaac PL29 3SU

Development Description: Construction and operation of a seaweed farm:
Deployment of main seaweed farm infrastructure
Deployment of seeded lines onto main seaweed farm infrastructure
Removal of seeded lines (harvesting) from the main seaweed farm infrastructure.

Appellant's name: Camel Fish Limited
PINS Appeal Reference: APP/ML/25/04
Appeal start date: 31/10/2025

An appeal has been made to the Secretary of State against the decision of the Marine Management Organisation to refuse to grant a licence for application MLA/2023/00307.

The appeal will be determined by a hearing. The procedure to be followed is set out in The Marine Licensing (Licence Application Appeals) Regulations 2011.

The Marine Management Organisation will send the Secretary of State all written



representations received as part of the determination of the Marine Licence Application (MLA/2023/00307). These will be considered by the Inspector when determining the appeal.

If you wish to make comments in relation to the appeal, or modify/withdraw your previous representation, you can do so via email:

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If you do not have access to the internet, you can send your comments to:

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The Planning Inspectorate
Temple Quay House
2 The Square
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All representations must be received by midnight of 12/12/2025. Any representations submitted after the deadline will not usually be considered and will be returned. The Planning Inspectorate does not acknowledge representations. **All representations must quote the appeal reference.**

Please note that any representations you submit to the Planning Inspectorate will be copied to the appellant and to the Marine Management Organisation. They will be considered by the Inspector when determining the appeal.

The contents of any representations will be in the public domain, and the Inspector will not redact any confidential or personal information. Please ensure that you do not send any information that you do not wish to be in the public domain.

If you make a representation, you will be notified by the Planning Inspectorate of the date and location of any hearing that will be held. The Marine Management Organisation is currently considering a suitable site suitable for the hearing. Please note any representation submitted will **not** be acknowledged by the Planning Inspectorate.

A copy of the decision to refuse this licence application can be found by searching for MLA/2023/00307 and going to the view applications and documents tab:
<https://marinelicensing.marinemanagement.org.uk/mmofox5/fox/live/>.

The appeal documents are available online at: [Seaweed Farms Port Quin -GOV.UK](https://www.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/111111/Seaweed_Farms_Port_Quin_-_GOV.UK.pdf).

The appeal will be dealt with in accordance with The Marine Licensing (Licence Application Appeals) Regulations 2011.



Defra guidance is available in Guidance on Marine Licensing under Part 4 of the Marine and Coastal Access Act 2009 at Chapter 4 of the following document:

[Guidance on Marine Licensing under Part 4 of the Marine and Coastal Access Act 2009](#)

Yours Sincerely,

Marine Licensing Case Team

