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The European Offshore Wind Deployment Centre

Dear Mr May,

Aberdeen Offshore Wind Farm Limited (AOWFL) hereby applies to the Scottish Ministers for consent under Section 36 of the Electricity Act 1989 (as amended) and a Marine Licence in terms of the Marine (Scotland) Act 2010 to construct and operate an offshore wind farm and deployment centre off the coast of Aberdeen, known as the European Offshore Wind Deployment Centre (EOWDC), comprising up to 11 wind turbines together with inter-array cables and export cables.

AOWFL also applies for a direction under Section 57(2) of the Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997 that planning permission for the export cables between the Mean Low Water Spring to the Mean High Water Spring be deemed to be granted.

Please find enclosed the following:

- seven hard copies and seven electronic copies of the Environmental Statement
- seven copies of the Marine Licence Application Form and associated figures

Adverts will be placed in the following publications on the following dates:

- Edinburgh Gazette: Friday 5th August 2011, Friday 12th August 2011
- The Scotsman: Friday 5th August 2011, Friday 12th August 2011
- Press & Journal: Friday 5th August 2011, Friday 12th August 2011
- Buchan Observer: Tuesday 9th August 2011, Tuesday 16th August 2011
- Ellon Times: Thursday 11th August, Thursday 18th August 2011

The Environmental Statement will be available for the public to view at the following locations:

<p>Vattenfall Wind Power Ltd 3rd Floor The Tun Holyrood Road Edinburgh EH8 8AE</p>	<p>Balmedie Library Eigie Rd Balmedie AB23 8YF</p>
<p>Aberdeen Central Library Rosemount Viaduct Aberdeen AB25 1GW</p>	<p>Peterhead Library 51 St Peter Street Peterhead AB42 1QD</p>
<p>Ellon Library Station Road Ellon AB41 9AE</p>	<p>Bridge Of Don Library Scotstown Road Bridge Of Don Aberdeen AB22 8HH</p>

Payment is by cheque (enclosed) and covers the fees of the Marine Licence Application of £30,000.00 and the Section 36 Application of £15,000.00.

Yours sincerely

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 Vattenfall Wind Power Ltd