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RE: 005/OW/SER - 10: Request For Comments Section 36 & Marine Licence

Application Inch Cape Offshore Limited: 24 July 2013

Dear Sir/Madam,

Having reviewed the ES, EIA and associated Annexes provided for the proposed Inch Cape Offshore Wind Farm, the Civil Aviation Authority confirms appropriate aviation consultees have been identified and initial consultation has been done. However, the official position of all aviation stakeholders mentioned in the reports regarding the proposed development should be established. The report correctly discusses the potential impact that wind turbines have on the communications, navigation and surveillance infrastructure and also that turbines can cause a physical obstruction to aviation stakeholders which should be taken into account.

If the proposed development is approved, I would add the need to inform the Defence Geographic Centre <u>icgdgcaero@mod.uk</u> of the locations, heights and lighting status of the turbines and meteorological masts, the estimated and actual dates of construction and the maximum height of any construction equipment to be used, prior to the start of construction, to allow for the appropriate inclusion on Aviation Charts, for safety purposes.

Kind regards,

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Limited: 24 July 2013

Dear

APPLICATION FROM INCH CAPE OFFSHORE LIMITED FOR CONSENTS UNDER SECTION 36 OF THE ELECTRICITY ACT 1989 AND MARINE LICENCES UNDER PART 4 OF THE MARINE (SCOTLAND) ACT 2010 TO CONSTRUCT AND OPERATE OFFSHORE WINDFARM.

Please find attached a copy of the consultation letter for the above proposals. The closing date for any comments you may wish to make on the above proposal is **5**th **September 2013**. Please present all recommendations/conditions in a separate Annex to your response.

If you require an extension to the consultation deadline I would be grateful if you let us know before the deadline date. Please note reminder letters are no longer issued by the Marine Scotland Licensing Operations Team for marine renewable energy projects. If we have not received your comments, nor have we received any extension request by this date, we will assume you have no comments to make.

A copy of the environmental statement has been sent to you by the applicant. If you have not received a copy, or require any further information not enclosed with this letter, please contact the Marine Scotland Licensing Operations Team as soon as possible.

Please send any response you wish to submit to ms.marinelicensing@scotland.gsi.gov.uk.

Best regards,		
Laura		
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