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Our Ref: 003/OW/BOWL - 8

4th December 2015

Dear Mr Wilson,

CONSENT UNDER SECTION 36 THE ELECTRICITY ACT 1989 (AS AMENDED) AND A MARINE LICENCE UNDER PART 4 OF THE MARINE (SCOTLAND) ACT 2010 AND MARINE AND COASTAL ACCESS ACT 2009 TO CONSTRUCT AND OPERATE THE BEATRICE OFFSHORE WIND FARM AND TRANSMISSION WORKS, OUTER MORAY FIRTH.

Thank you for your letter dated 9th November 2015 (Ref: L000005-LET-259) and complementary visualisation material requesting that Marine Scotland Licensing Operations Team ("MS-LOT") give their written approval to the Desgin Statement (DS) (Revision 1, issued 09/11/2015). Acceptance of the DS will satisfy the requirements of condition 14 of the Section 36 Consent and condition 3.2.2.7 of the Offshore Transmission Works (OfTW) Marine Licence (licence number: 04461/14/1) and enable MS-LOT to discharge these conditions.

MS-LOT, on behalf of the Scottish Ministers, are content with the proposed DS and can confirm that the submitted DS fulfils the requirements of, and is sufficient to discharge condition 14 of the Section 36 Consent and condition 3.2.2.7 of the OfTW Marine Licence (licence number: 04461/14/1), subject to it being implemented.

Any updates or amendments made to this DS by the Company, must be submitted in writing by the Company to the Scottish Ministers for their written approval.

Yours sincerely,

Nicola Bain Marine Scotland Licensing Operations Team





