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Dear Catarina,

BOWL Marine Licence (Offshore Transmission Works [OfTW]) Condition 3.2.2.6 – Development Specification and Layout Plan (DSLP)

Please find enclosed for approval the Development Specification and Layout Plan (OfTW) prepared on behalf of Beatrice Offshore Windfarm Ltd (BOWL).

The DSLP (OfTW) is intended to demonstrate how BOWL have met the requirements of Condition 3.2.2.6 of the Marine Licence (OfTW) issued for the Beatrice Offshore Wind Farm on 2nd September 2014 which was subsequently varied and superseded by a further Marine Licence issued on 27th April 2016.

The purpose of the DSLP (OfTW) is to confirm details of the final design and layout of the OfTW in so far as it relates to the offshore Export Cables and Offshore Transformer Module (OTM) Interconnector Cable.

Condition 3.2.2.6 of the Marine Licence (OfTW) was partially discharged following the approval of the Wind Farm DSLP on 3rd December 2015 so far as it relates to the OTMs. In submitting the DSLP (OfTW), BOWL are now seeking to fully discharge Condition 3.2.2.6.

It is considered that the enclosed DSLP (OfTW) is sufficient to satisfy the requirements of Condition 3.2.2.6 of the Marine Licence (OfTW) providing that the DSLP (OfTW) is implemented as approved.

We would be grateful if MS-LOT on behalf of the Scottish Ministers could please confirm in writing, following consultation, their agreement and approval of the enclosed DSLP (OfTW) and that in this respect Condition 3.2.2.6 of the Marine Licence (OfTW) is fully discharged.

Should MS-LOT or consultees have any comments on the enclosed DSLP (OfTW), we would welcome them at your earliest convenience.

Yours sincerely,

Jonathan Wilson

Consenting and Stakeholder Manager