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Our ref: 017/OH/HYWD - 11

30<sup>th</sup> March 2017

Dear Mr Nakken,

## MARINE (SCOTLAND) ACT 2010 MARINE AND COASTAL ACCESS ACT 2009 (AS AMENDED) The Marine Works (Environmental Impact Assessment) Regulations 2007 (as amended)

## MARINE LICENCE TO CONSTRUCT AND OPERATE THE HYWIND SCOTLAND PILOT PARK WINDFARM IN THE BUCHAN DEEP, OFF PETERHEAD.

Thank you for your correspondence dated 22<sup>nd</sup> December 2016 requesting that Marine Scotland Licensing Operation Team ("MS-LOT") give their written approval to the Operations and Management Programme (Document Ref: C178-HYS-Z-GA-00004) ("OMP") submitted by Hywind (Scotland) Limited.

MS-LOT have consulted with the Joint Nature Conservation Committee, Scottish Natural Heritage, Scottish Environment Protection Agency, Aberdeenshire Council, Maritime and Coastguard Agency and Northern Lighthouse Board. and can confirm that the submitted OMP fulfils the requirements of, and is sufficient to discharge condition 3.2.2.9. of the Hywind Scotland Pilot Park Project Marine Licence (Licence Number: 05515/15/0), subject to it being fully implemented.

Any updates or amendments made to the OMP made by the Company must be submitted in writing by the Company to the Licensing Authority for their written approval.

Yours sincerely,

Catarina Aires Marine Scotland Licensing Operations Team

