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THE ELECTRICITY ACT 1989 (AS AMENDED)

The Electricity Works (Environmental Impact Assessment) (Scotland) Regulations 2017 (As Amended)

**MARINE (SCOTLAND) ACT 2010 & MARINE AND COASTAL ACCESS ACT 2009, PART 4
MARINE LICENSING**

The Marine Works (Environmental Impact Assessment) Regulations 2007 (as amended)

Moray Offshore Renewables Limited (Telford Offshore Wind Farm, Stevenson Offshore Wind Farm and MacColl Offshore Wind Farm formally MORL, now Moray Offshore Windfarm (East) Limited “Moray East”)

Section 36 Consents (Telford and MacColl) – Condition 35

Section 36 Consent (Stevenson) – Condition 36

Offshore Transmission Infrastructure Marine Licence – Condition 3.2.2.16

Offshore Substation Platforms Marine Licence – Condition 3.2.2.16

Thank you for your correspondence of 18th April 2018, requesting that Marine Scotland Licensing Operations Team (“MS-LOT”) give their written approval to the “Marine Archeological Reporting Protocol and “Written Scheme of Investigation” (“WSI”) submitted by Moray Offshore Windfarm (East) Ltd (“Moray East”) in compliance with condition 35 of the section 36 consents for Telford and MacColl Offshore Wind Farms and condition 36 of the section 36 consent for the Stevenson Offshore Wind Farm.

In addition, you requested written approval and confirmation of compliance from MS-LOT of the MARP and WSI with regard to condition of 3.2.2.16 of the Moray East Offshore Transmission Infrastructure (“OfTI”) Marine Licence (licence number: 05340/14/0) and condition 3.2.2.16 of the Moray East Offshore Substation Platforms (“OSP”) Marine Licence (licence number: 06347/17/0).

MS-LOT, have consulted with Historic Environment Scotland (“HES”), who in their response from 16th May 2018, confirmed that the plans complied with accepted guidelines and standards. HES also requested that MS-LOT be included as first point of contact together with HES within both the MARP and WSI.

On 8th June 2018, Moray East provided the amended MARP and WSI to address the point made by HES.

MS-LOT, on behalf of the Scottish Ministers, can confirm that the plan is sufficient to discharge condition 35 of the section 36 consents for Telford and MacColl Offshore Wind Farms, condition 36 of the section 36 consent for Stevenson Offshore Wind Farm, condition of 3.2.2.16 of the Moray East Offshore Transmission Infrastructure (“OfTI”) Marine Licence (licence number: 05340/14/0) and condition 3.2.2.16 of the Moray East Offshore Substation Platforms (“OSP”) Marine Licence (licence number: 06347/17/0).

Any further updates or amendments made to the MARP/WSI by the Company, must be submitted in writing by the Company to the Scottish Ministers for their written approval prior to the planned implementation of the proposed amendments or updates.

Yours sincerely

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Marine Scotland Licensing Operations Team