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 20 June 2016 10:50:09

From: Nick Salter [mailto:Nick.Salter@mcga.gov.uk]

Sent: 06 June 2016 15:22

To: Drew J (Jessica); navigation@nlb.org.uk

Cc: Bain N (Nicola) (MARLAB); Aires C (Catarina); Helen Croxson

Subject: RE: AOWFL - Notice of Intention to Carry Out an Exempted Activity

Dear Jessica,

No objections or comments from me. Provided the NtM is issued which they have confirmed they will do we are content.

Regards,

Nick

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Sent: 27 May 2016 13:06

To: navigation@nlb.org.uk; Nick Salter < Nick.Salter@mcga.gov.uk >; navigationsafety

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In order for MS-LOT to assess whether this activity is exempt we would welcome your comments on this proposal. Should you have any comments on this proposal, I would be very grateful if they could be forwarded to MS LOT in an electronic format to MS.MarineRenewables@gov.scot before the 10th June.

Yours faithfully

Jessica Drew

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MARINE (SCOTLAND) ACT 2010, PART 4 MARINE LICENSING

Dear Jessica

Thank you for your Email dated 27 May 2016 advising of the intention by **Aberdeen Offshore Windfarm Limited** to carry out geotechnical investigation within the cable corridor and site area of marine works associated with the European Offshore Wind Development Centre, Aberdeen Bay.

With regard to the consultation, NLB have no objection to the request to carry out this exempted activity, and are content that a Local Notice to Mariners and Radio Navigation warning will be promulgated prior to the commencement of the work in order that the Mariner is informed of the nature and duration of the works.

Please advise if we can be of any further assistance, or require clarification any of the above.



From: Catriona Gall

To: Drew J (Jessica)

Cc: Erica Knott; MS Marine Renewables

Subject: FW: AOWFL - Notice of Intention to Carry Out an Exempted Activity

Date: 16 June 2016 15:18:29

Dear Jessica,

A quick email to confirm that SNH have no comments to make on this.

Yours sincerely,

Catriona

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