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Dear Mr Wills,

MARINE (SCOTLAND) ACT 2010 (AS AMENDED)

NOVA INNOVATION LTD – SHETLAND TIDAL ARRAY (AS EXTENDED), BLUEMULL SOUND, SHETLAND

CONSTRUCTION METHOD STATEMENT - CONDITION 3.2.2.3 OF THE MARINE LICENCE

Further to correspondence dated 6 March 2020, Nova Innovation Ltd ("the Company") submitted the Construction Method Statement ("CMS") for written approval in accordance with condition 3.2.2.3 of the marine licence for the Shetland Tidal Array (as extended) (licence number: 06642/18/0).

Marine Scotland – Licensing Operations Team ("MS-LOT") consulted with Scottish Natural Heritage, the Maritime and Coastguard Agency, Northern Lighthouse Board, Whale and Dolphin Conservation, Lerwick Fisheries Office and Shetland Islands Council. Following consultation the Company submitted an amended CMS incorporating the comments raised from consultees on 24 April 2020. MS-LOT is satisfied all consultation responses have been addressed in the amended CMS.

MS-LOT, on behalf of the Scottish Ministers, hereby approves the CMS as submitted on 24 April 2020.

Any updates or amendments made to the CMS must be submitted, in writing, to the Scottish Ministers for their written approval prior to the planned implementation of the proposed updates or amendments.

Yours sincerely,

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