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Our Ref: MS EPS 09/2020/00

Date: 7 July 2020

Dear Mr Deimel,

Application to Disturb Marine Species, Beatrice Offshore Windfarm Limited

Further to your application received 6 March 2020 in relation to operational geophysical surveys, benthic surveys and inspection operations of the Beatrice Offshore Wind Farm and the two associated subsea export cables related to Beatrice Offshore Wind Farm, I can inform you that the conditions for issue of a licence have been met and a copy of the licence, MS EPS 09/2020/00 is attached. Please quote the licence number should you require to contact us again regarding this matter.

Please let me draw your attention to the conditions contained within the licence, as detailed by our advisors. Under the Conservation (Natural Habitats, &c.) Amendment (Scotland) Regulations 2007 and the Conservation of Offshore Marine Habitats and Species Regulations 2017 it is an offence to fail to comply with those conditions.

You will note that the licence expires on 31 December 2023. If a new licence is required, it should be applied for before this licence expires to allow a possible extension rather than a complete new application.

Yours sincerely

Jessica Wilson
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