

## SP ENERGY NETWORKS HOLDINGS LTD

### MARINE (SCOTLAND) ACT 2010

#### THE MARINE LICENSING (PRE-APPLICATION CONSULTATION) (SCOTLAND) REGULATIONS 2013

Notice is hereby given that SP Energy Networks Holdings Ltd, (company registration number SC389555, with its Registered Office at 320 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, Scotland, G2 5AD) plans to pre-application consultation regarding proposed licensable marine activity with the installation of new submarine electricity cables from south of Thorntonloch beach, east Lothian (375753, 673102) to a point where the cables enter English Waters (408486, 664411).

The activity consists of the installation of electricity submarine cables and associated telecommunications cable between Thorntonloch beach, East Lothian and Hawthorn Pit, County Durham, England. The cables will form part of the UK transmission electricity network and is critical to delivering the Scottish and UK governments net zero targets.

Further information can be found here:

[https://www.spenergynetworks.co.uk/pages/eastern\\_link\\_introduction.aspx](https://www.spenergynetworks.co.uk/pages/eastern_link_introduction.aspx)

Due to the steep rise in Omicron cases and the new measures put in place by the Scottish Government before Christmas the proposed events will now be online. The times and dates remain the same:

Date	Event	Time
03/02/2022	Online or telephone meeting	10.00-14.00
10/02/2022	Online or telephone meeting	14.00-17.00
10/02/2022	Online or telephone meeting	10.00-13.00
15/02/2022	Online or telephone meeting	15.00-19.00
17/02/2022	Online or telephone meeting	16.00-21.00
24/02/2022	Online or telephone meeting	16.00-21.00

Appointments for one to one online or telephone meetings will be available and advertised via our webpage closer to the consultation start date.

Representatives will still attend the Asda at Dunbar on two occasions to distribute consultation material. These dates are:

Date	Location	Venue	Time
15/02/22	Dunbar	Asda Dunbar, Spott Road, EH42 1LE	10.00 – 14.00
23/02/22	Dunbar	Asda Dunbar, Spott Road, EH42 1LE	10.00 – 14.00

Exhibition material will be in place at the following locations from 31<sup>st</sup> January 2022 to 28<sup>th</sup> February 2022.

Location	Venue
Innerwick	Innerwick Village Hall, Dunbar EH42 1SE
Dunbar	McArthur Stores, Cromwell Harbour, Dunbar, EH42
Eyemouth	Fishermen's Mutual Association, Eyemouth, Samson Yard, Harbour Road, Eyemouth TD14 5JA

To register for an appointment please use the following details:

[info@tornesseasternlink.com](mailto:info@tornesseasternlink.com)

0800 093 1664

or register via the website:

[https://www.spenergynetworks.co.uk/pages/eastern\\_link\\_introduction.aspx](https://www.spenergynetworks.co.uk/pages/eastern_link_introduction.aspx)

Persons wishing to provide comments on the proposed electricity submarine cables between Thorntonloch Beach and Hawthorn Pit can do so by writing to the prospective applicant at:

[info@tornesseasternlink.com](mailto:info@tornesseasternlink.com)

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Comments should be dated and should clearly state the name (in block capitals) and full return email or postal address of those making comment. Comments made to the prospective applicant are not representations to the Scottish Ministers. If SP Energy Networks submits an application for a marine licence to Scottish Ministers, an opportunity will be given for representations to be made to the Scottish Ministers on the application.