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30th August 2016

Our Ref: 009/TIDE/MGIS – 6

Dear Ms Donovan,

MARINE (SCOTLAND) ACT 2010

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

CONSENT GRANTED BY THE SCOTTISH MINISTERS TO CONSTRUCT AND OPERATE THE MEYGEN TIDAL ENERGY PROJECT ELECTRICITY GENERATING STATION IN THE INNER SOUND, PENTLAND FIRTH

Thank you for your correspondence of 9th August 2016 providing Third Party Verification.

MS-LOT, on behalf of the Scottish Ministers, have carried out an internal review of the Third Party Verification (TPV) provided by MeyGen Limited, and can confirm that the submitted TPV fulfils the requirements of, and is sufficient to discharge condition 3.2.2.2. of the marine licence (licence number 04577/16/0).

MS-LOT also note that the company, Black & Veatch, have remaining concerns over the input assumptions specified by MeyGen and adopted by Robert Bird Gordon (engineering consultancy) in their design and therefore MS-LOT would request that they are copied into any further work on TPV for the Turbine Support Structures.

MS-LOT, on behalf of the Scottish Ministers, can confirm that the Third Party Verification is approved and that MeyGen Limited may proceed with said works.

Any further updates or amendments made to the TPV documents by MeyGen Limited, must be submitted by MeyGen Limited to the Scottish Ministers for their written approval.

Yours sincerely,

Nicola Bain
Marine Scotland – Licensing Operations Team