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Dear Mr Maxwell,

## THE ELECTRICITY ACT 1989

## SEAGREEN ALPHA OFFSHORE WIND FARM, LOCATED IN THE FIRTH OF FORTH

## MARINE ARCHAEOLOGY REPORTING PROTOCOL – CONDITION 33 OF THE SECTION 36 CONSENT (AS VARIED)

I refer to correspondence dated 22 November 2021 submitting a revised Marine Archaeology Reporting Protocol in the form of a Written Scheme of Investigation ("WSI") and Protocol for Archaeological Discoveries ("PAD") to the Scottish Ministers for written approval.

A previous version of the WSI and PAD was approved by Marine Scotland – Licensing Operations Team ("MS-LOT") on behalf of the Scottish Ministers on 4 September 2020.

MS-LOT on behalf of the Scottish Ministers, hereby approve the amended WSI and PAD as submitted on 22 November 2021.

Any updates or amendments made to the WSI and/or PAD 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,

Emma Lees Marine Scotland Licensing Operations Team

