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To:

DBCreykeBeck

Subject: Historic England Rep.: Dogger Bank Creyke Beck Offshore Wind Farm - Non-material change application

Date: 28 November 2019 10:54:49

Attachments:

Dear Sir/Madam

Please find attached Historic England's representation regarding the Dogger Bank Creyke Beck Offshore Wind Farm - Non-material change application.

Regards

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Correspondence by Email

28 November 2019

Dear Sir/Madam,

re:

Application for a non-material change to the Dogger Bank Creyke Beck Offshore Wind Farm Order

Thank you for your consultation request on 17th October 2019 providing the above mentioned document for comments.

Historic England is the Government's statutory adviser on all matters relating to the historic environment in England. We are a non-departmental public body established under the National Heritage Act 1983 and sponsored by the Department for Digital Culture, Media and Sport (DCMS). We champion and protect England's historic places, providing expert advice to local planning authorities, developers, owners and communities to help ensure our historic environment is properly understood, enjoyed and cared for.

We have considered the information provided and have the following comments.

We understand that the consultation relates to a further proposed consent amendment to the Development Consent Order (DCO), as amended, for the Dogger Bank Creyke Beck Offshore Wind Farm. The amendment involves changing the consented envelope parameter relating to current capacity of up to 1.2 GW per project, to an unspecified gross electrical output capacity limit (but for the purposes of Planning Act 2008, to be above 100 megawatts).

The rationale for doing so, as presented, would enable the projects to take advantage of significant technological progress in turbine design for increased electrical output delivery of renewable energy. The consultation also details that such a change will not necessitate amendments to any other project parameters.







Historic England can confirm we accept that the proposed amendments would constitute a non-material change to the DCO, and as there are no changes to the parameters used in the original Environmental Statement, there will be no change in impact (based on the information provided). We have no further comments in relation to this matter and confirm we are happy to accept the variation.

Yours sincerely

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