

Attn: Mr Keith Welford

Department for Business, Energy & Industrial Strategy 1 Victoria Street London SW1H 0ET

17th January 2020

Our Ref: AU-PM763-016-00001

Dear Mr Welford,

Teesside A Offshore Wind Farm - Non-material change application to the Development Consent Order

Consultation and Publicity Statement under Regulation 7A of the Infrastructure Planning (Changes to, and Revocation of, Development Consent Orders) Regulations 2011 ("the 2011 Regulations")

The Dogger Bank Teesside A Offshore Wind Farm Order 2015 (as amended)

The Parent Companies, SSE and Equinor, of the Dogger Bank Teesside A Offshore Wind farm Project, herein 'the Project', have applied to the Secretary of State for Business, Energy, and Industrial Strategy for consent to make a non-material change (NMC) to the DCO (as amended) under section 153 of the Planning Act 2008. This letter is provided in accordance with regulation 7A of the 2011 Regulations as the Project's Consultation and Publicity Statement.

Please find enclosed (in Appendix 1), a copy of the notice published under Regulation 6 of the 2011 Regulations.

The Applicant confirms that:

- 1. As required under Regulation 6(1) of the 2011 Regulations, a notice publicising the application was placed in the Evening Gazette, Fishing News and the Coastal View and Moor News and was subsequently published on the following dates:
 - a. 27th November & 4th December 2019 (Evening Gazette Daily Publication)
 - b. 28th November & 5th December 2019 (Fishing News Weekly Publication)
 - c. 4th December (Coastal View and Moor News Monthly Publication)

Copies of extracts showing the published notices in all these publications are enclosed in Appendix 2.

2. A copy of the application documents was available at the inspection points given in the Regulation 6 notice until the end of the representation period stated in the notice, namely 10th January 2020.

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- 3. The application documents were and continue to be available to view on the Teesside A Offshore Wind Farm project page on the Planning Inspectorate's website at: https://infrastructure.planninginspectorate.gov.uk/projects/yorkshire-and-the-humber/dogger-bank-teesside-a-sofiaoffshore-wind-farm-formerly-dogger-bank-teesside-b-project-previously-known-as-dogger-bank-teessideab/?ipcsection=docs&stage=7&filter1=Non Material+Change&filter2=NMC+application+for+Teesside+A
- 4. The Secretary of State provided written consent under Regulation 7(3) of the Regulations that not all of the persons prescribed in Regulation 7(2) needed to be consulted in relation to this non-material change application. A copy of this written consent is attached in Appendix 3.
- 5. A notice was sent to all those persons required to be consulted under Regulation 7(2) of the Regulations (subject to point 4 above) informing them that an application had been submitted. A template of the letter sent is enclosed at Appendix 4. Those persons consulted include all those listed in the enclosed schedule (Appendix 5).

If you have any queries regarding the content of this letter, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours faithfully,



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