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BY EMAIL

12th April 2016

Dear Giles,

Planning Act 2008 and the Infrastructure Planning (Examination Procedure) Rules 2010 - Application by SMart Wind Limited for an Order Granting Development Consent for the Hornsea Offshore Wind Farm (Zone 4) – Project Two

REQUEST FOR COMMENTS ON THE APPLICATION FOR THE PROPOSED HORNSEA PROJECT TWO OFFSHORE WIND FARM- EN010053

Our ref: 10031157

We are writing with regards to the request to the Applicant to submit further information for the purposes of carrying out a Habitats Regulations Assessment of the harbour porpoise pSAC.

During the Examination of this application, we submitted comments on this issue and would like to reiterate those points, now that an HRA is required. Our submissions can be found on the relevant PINS webpage (Deadline 5 and Deadline 7); <http://infrastructure.planninginspectorate.gov.uk/wp-content/ipc/uploads/projects/EN010053/Events/Deadline%205%20-%202012-11-2015/The%20Wildlife%20Trust.pdf> and <http://infrastructure.planninginspectorate.gov.uk/wp-content/ipc/uploads/projects/EN010053/Events/Deadline%207%20-%202010-12-2015/The%20Wildlife%20Trust.pdf> respectively.

If you have any questions about our submissions, we would be happy to discuss them further with you.

Yours sincerely,



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