

East Anglia THREE

# Appendix 51

Section 42 Phase IIb consultation  
letter sent to Parish Councils

**Consultation Report**

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1. This appendix contains the Section 42 Phase IIb consultation letter which was sent to all parish councils effected by the East Anglia THREE project. The letter was sent on the 25th July 2014.

25<sup>th</sup> July 2014

**East Anglia THREE Offshore Windfarm  
Consultation from 29<sup>th</sup> July 2014 to 9<sup>th</sup> September 2014  
Further consultation on the East Anglia THREE Project**

Dear ,

East Anglia THREE Limited (**EATL**), a joint venture between Scottish Power Renewables and Vattenfall Wind Power Limited, and subsidiary of East Anglia Offshore Wind Limited (**EAOW**), intends to develop and construct a new offshore windfarm within an area of the North Sea off the coast of East Anglia, known as the East Anglia Zone.

The East Anglia Zone is being developed as a number of individual windfarms, each of which will require the appropriate statutory consents and approvals. East Anglia ONE Offshore Windfarm was the first to be proposed within the East Anglia Zone and consent was granted by the Secretary of State on 17<sup>th</sup> June 2014.

*The proposed Project*

The East Anglia THREE Offshore Windfarm (the **proposed Project**) forms part of the next stage of development in the East Anglia Zone. The proposed Project would be located 69km from the coast at Lowestoft, covering an area of approximately 305km<sup>2</sup>.

The proposed Project will have an installed capacity of up to 1,200 MW and therefore falls within the definition of a "Nationally Significant Infrastructure Project" (**NSIP**). As a result, EATL is required to submit an application for a development consent order (**DCO**) to the Planning Inspectorate (**PINS**), who will examine the application on behalf of the Secretary of State.

*Further consultation on the proposed Project*

EATL consulted you on the East Anglia THREE Offshore Windfarm Preliminary Environmental Information Report (PEIR) for the proposed Project under Section 42 of the Planning Act 2008 (the Act) from 27<sup>th</sup> May to 8<sup>th</sup> July 2014. Feedback from this phase of consultation and continuing project development has resulted in a number of proposed changes to the onshore cable corridor, primarily several access points being excluded from consideration and replaced with more suitable alternatives.

These changes do not alter the conclusions of the Environmental Impact Assessment as conducted and presented in the PEIR and do not constitute a material change to the proposed Project.

Please find enclosed a set of plans illustrating where changes have been made. As representative of a Parish adjacent to the proposed onshore cable route, some of these changes may affect you and we would appreciate your feedback. Any comments you provide will be considered prior to finalising the DCO application and will be reported directly to PINS when the application is submitted, alongside any representations you have made previously.

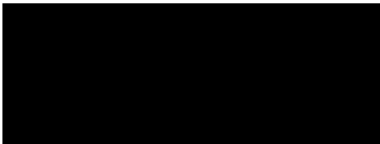
The period for consideration and response to these documents will run from 29<sup>th</sup> July 2014 to 9<sup>th</sup> September 2014. **Please ensure that all comments are submitted to EATL before the consultation end date.**

Accordingly, please reply with any comments to the address below by **9<sup>th</sup> September 2014**.

If you wish to discuss this consultation or any other issues in connection with the Project, please contact Keith Morrison at the following address: FREEPOST RSTC-EJEY-RKRX, EAOW, 1 Atlantic Quay, 45 Robertson Street, Glasgow G2 8JB or by email at [eastangliathree@eastangliawind.com](mailto:eastangliathree@eastangliawind.com).

We look forward to hearing from you.

Yours faithfully



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Project Manager – East Anglia THREE Limited

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