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Dear Gillian,

re:

The East Anglia Three Offshore Wind Farm Order 2017 - Application for a Non-material Change

Thank you for consulting Historic England on 27th March 2019.

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Background

We understand that this consultation relates to East Anglia Three Limited (EATL) seeking to amend to the maximum generating capacity of the EA THREE development, from 1,200 MW (as outlined in the 2017 Order) to a maximum generating capacity of 1,400MW. In addition, EATL intends to include a new design parameter in the Requirements to the 2017 Order to limit the maximum number of gravity base foundations to 100. The Application also seeks to amend requirement 8(3) of the 2017 Order to allow more flexibility in delivery of the phases.

In doing so it is stated that EATL will ensure that the increase in generating capacity will not give rise to any physical processes impacts beyond the parameters that were used to inform the worst case scenario and assessed as part of the development consent for EA THREE was granted (through the EIA process).





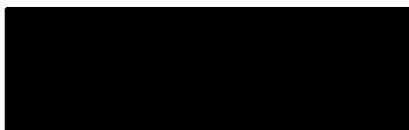
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Importantly we note that the maximum impact area of physical disturbance equates to 2,673,260 m² which is currently retained and secured within the 2017 Order, and East Anglia Three Limited can confirm (as detailed within the Table 2-1 of the supporting information report (EA Three NMC Report Final – March 2019)) that there will be no change or increase to any of the consented individually assessed parameters.

Comments

We have considered the information provided to support this application and accept and confirm that the proposed amendments would not have a further adverse impact upon designated and non-designated heritage assets, beyond those identified within the Environmental Statement used in support of the original development consent order application. We therefore have no further comments to offer.

Yours sincerely



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