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Environment Agency

Date: 17 November 2021

Dear Sir or Madam,

Application by East Anglia ONE North Limited ("the Applicant") for an Order granting Development Consent for the proposed East Anglia ONE North Offshore Wind Farm and associated offshore and onshore infrastructure ("the East Anglia ONE North project")

1. The Secretary of State has received a request for clarification regarding his consultation letter of 2 November 2021 as to whether it should have referred to flood events rather than any single flood event. As such, the Secretary of State requests that the Environment Agency consider all relevant flood events in their response to his consultation, including those for which details were submitted by local residents during the examination. The submissions from residents, and relevant documentation submitted by Interested Parties during the examination which may be helpful to the Environment Agency, can be found in the project examination library hosted by the Planning Inspectorate:

https://infrastructure.planninginspectorate.gov.uk/wp-content/ipc/uploads/projects/EN010077/EN010077-001607-EA1N%20Examination%20Library%20PDF%20Version.pdf

- 2. No response is required to this letter of clarification.
- 3. This letter is without prejudice to the Secretary of State's consideration of whether to grant or withhold development consent for the East Anglia ONE North project. Nothing in this letter is to be taken to imply what the eventual decision might be or what final conclusions the Secretary of State may reach on any particular issue which is relevant to the determination of the application.

Yours faithfully,

Gareth Leigh Head of Energy Infrastructure Planning