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Dear Sir/Madam

East Anglia TWO (EA2) Offshore Wind Farm

The following constitutes Natural England's formal statutory response for Examination Deadline 10.

1. Natural England Deadline 10 Submissions

Natural England has reviewed the relevant documents submitted by the Applicant at Deadline 9. We would like to highlight to the Examining Authority that only new documents (version 1) or revised versions of outline documents/plans where amendments have been <u>formally</u> made will be responded to by Natural England at each relevant Deadline. Natural England is submitting the following documents within the following thematic appendices:

- EN010078 351705 EA2 Appendix A21 Natural England's Comments on Without Prejudice Compensation Mechanisms - Annex 1 – Prey Availability Compensation Mechanisms [REP6-046] Deadline 10
- EN010078 351705 EA2 Appendix C10 Natural England's Further Advice to the Watercourse Crossing of the Hundred River Deadline 10
- EN010078 351705 EA2 Appendix I1h Natural England's Risk and Issues Log Deadline
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2. Risks and Issues Log

Natural England thank the Applicant for their comments on our Deadline 8 Risk and Issues

log [REP9-017]. We have taken some comments in this document into consideration when

updating the Deadline 10 version.

Following notification of the extension to the examination timetable, Natural England has

reviewed the presentation of the Risks and Issues Log. As such, the log submitted at

Deadline 10 is truncated to reflect only the outstanding risks and issues, as represented at

Deadline 9 and 10.

Moving forward, this will enable the outstanding risks and issues to be tracked during the

remainder of the examination.

Please note, as all items associated with marine mammals are considered resolved, this

section of the risks and issues log is removed in entirety.

3. Outline Code of Construction Practice (OCoCP)

Natural England would like to make the Examining Authority aware that we continue to

engage with the Applicant on the OCoCP and await an updated version to be submitted

into examination, before providing further comments.

For any queries relating to the content of this letter please contact me using the details provided

below.

Yours sincerely

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