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Dear Sirs

Please find attached a submission on behalf of NFU and LIG for deadline 9 highlighting concerns over the crossing point.

Yours faithfully

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**WRITTEN SUBMISSIONS OF NFU AND LIG REGARDING THE HORNSEA PROJECT THREE  
OFFSHORE WIND FARM DEVELOPMENT CONSENT ORDER 201 [...] PLANNING  
INSPECTORATE REFERENCE NO EN010080**

**SUBMISSION OF NATIONAL FARMERS UNION AND THE LAND INTEREST GROUP FOR  
DEADLINE 9**

**DATE 26 MARCH 2019**

## 1.0 Introduction

- 1.1 Submissions on behalf of the National Farmers Union (“NFU”) and the Land Interest Group (LIG) in respect of the application for a Development Consent Order (DCO) by Orsted Hornsea Project three (UK) Limited for the Hornsea project Three Offshore Wind Farm. The NFU is making a case on behalf of its member and LIG its client, who are affected by the DCO.
- 2.0 **Construction at Crossing Point:** The NFU and LIG are not satisfied with the information that has been provided on how the construction at the Crossing Point will take place.
- 2.1 The NFU and LIG would like to know the different scenarios of the different possible formations of the cables depending on whether they are HVAC and HVDC or HVDC and HVDC. Further the difference between Orsted laying their cables first for the Hornsea 3 project or if Vattenfall lay their cables first for the Vanguard project.
- 2.2 There is concern that the highest cables to ground level must still be at a minimum depth of 1.2m.
- 2.3 The NFU and LIG would like to see some parameters set out and linked to the CoCP so that construction will have the least impact on the land.