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Planning Inspectorate Reference: EN010087  
Identification Number: 20022925

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Dear Ms Fernandes,

## **Planning Act 2008, Norfolk Boreas Limited, Proposed Norfolk Boreas Offshore Wind Farm**

### **MMO Deadline 11 Response**

On 11 June 2019, the Marine Management Organisation (the “MMO”) received notice under section 56 of the Planning Act 2008 (the “PA 2008”) that the Planning Inspectorate (“PINS”) had accepted an application made by Norfolk Boreas Limited (the “Applicant”) for determination of a development consent order for the construction, maintenance and operation of the proposed Norfolk Boreas Offshore Wind Farm (the “DCO Application”) (MMO ref: DCO/2017/00002; PINS ref: EN010087).

The Applicant seeks authorisation for the construction, operation and maintenance of the DCO Application, comprising of up to 158 wind turbine generators together with associated onshore and offshore infrastructure and all associated development (“the “Project”).

This document comprises the MMO comments in respect of the DCO Application submitted in response to Deadline 10.

This written representation is submitted without prejudice to any future representation the MMO may make about the DCO Application throughout the examination process. This representation is also submitted without prejudice to any decision the MMO may make on any associated application for consent, permission, approval or any other type of authorisation submitted to the MMO either for the works in the marine area or for any other authorisation relevant to the proposed development.

Yours Sincerely



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## 1. Comments on Responses to the ExA's Fourth Written Questions

1.1 Please find the table including the MMO's comments to responses to the ExA Written Questions in the following document EN010087-MMO-Comments-on-Response-to-ExA-4WQs-DL11-Final, enclosed with this letter.

## 2. Comments on Applicant's Submissions at Deadline 10

2.1 The MMO understands the applicant has updated several documents due to the agreement between BT and Norfolk Boreas Project to cut disused cables. The MMO has reviewed the following documents and is content with the amendments:

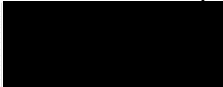
- Draft Development Consent Order (REP10-004)
- Outline Norfolk Boreas Scour Protection and Cable Protection Plan (REP10-025)
- Outline Norfolk Boreas Cable Specification, Installation and Monitoring Plan (REP10-027)
- Outline Norfolk Boreas Haisborough, Hammond and Winterton Special Area of Conservation Site Integrity Plan (REP10-029)

## 3. Outstanding issues

3.1 The MMO provided updates of outstanding issues not agreed in REP9-034. A list is provided below and the MMO has no further comments to make on these issues:

- Timeframes
- Arbitration/Appeals
- Haisborough, Hammond and Winterton Special Area of Conservation Site Integrity Plan

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