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The Norfolk Boreas Offshore Wind Farm Order 2021 and The Norfolk Vanguard Offshore Wind Farm Order 2022 (together, the Orders)

Request for Secretary of State approval of Compensation Plan of Work

Dear James,

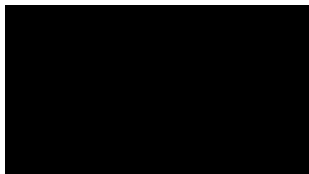
As you are aware, Schedule 17 of the Norfolk Vanguard Offshore Wind Farm Order 2022 (Norfolk Vanguard Order) and Schedule 19 of the Norfolk Boreas Offshore Wind Farm Order 2021 (Norfolk Boreas Order) require the delivery of benthic, kittiwake and lesser black-backed gull compensation measures. To facilitate this, the Orders require the establishment of a steering group for each compensation measure and, prior to commencement of the authorised development, the Secretary of State's approval of a Plan of Work to govern the operation of each steering group.

Accordingly, Norfolk Boreas Limited and Norfolk Vanguard Limited have formed a joint Benthic Steering Group (BSG), Kittiwake Steering Group (KSG) and Lesser Black-Backed Gull Steering Group (LBBGSG). Enclosed with this letter is copy correspondence confirming each member's intention to participate in the relevant steering group. The enclosed Plans of Work have also been prepared in accordance with paragraphs 2, 13 and 24 of Schedule 17 of the Norfolk Vanguard Order and paragraphs 2, 13 and 24 of Schedule 19 of the Norfolk Boreas Order. As can be seen, the Plans of Work include the details listed in sub-paragraphs (a) to (d) relating to terms of reference, membership, a schedule of meetings and a dispute resolution mechanism.

The Plans of Work have been prepared in consultation with the members of the BSG, KSG and LBBGSG respectively and the final form of the Plans of Work which are enclosed have been agreed by all respective steering group members. If required by the Secretary of State, email confirmation from each respective member confirming this can be provided on request.

The final Plans of Work are enclosed for the Secretary of State's approval pursuant to paragraphs 2, 13 and 24 of Schedule 17 of the Norfolk Vanguard Order and paragraphs 2, 13 and 24 of Schedule 19 of the Norfolk Boreas Order. Norfolk Vanguard Limited and Norfolk Boreas Limited look forward to hearing that the enclosed Plans of Work are approved as soon as possible but should you require any further information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely,



Jake Laws

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Enclosures:

1. Signed invite letters from members of the steering groups
2. The Kittiwake Steering Group Plan of Work

3. The Lesser-Black Backed Gull Steering Group Plan of Work
4. The Benthic Steering Group Plan of Work