



Planning Act 2008 – sections 61 and 66

Application by Morecambe Offshore Windfarm Ltd for an order granting development consent for the Morecambe Offshore Windfarm Generation Assets Project [EN010121]

Amendment to the appointment of the Examining Authority

The above application was accepted for examination on 27 June 2024. On 23 July 2024 a document was published confirming that Robert Jackson (Lead), Richard Hunt and Marc Willis had been appointed by the Planning Inspectorate, on behalf of the Secretary of State under delegated powers, to examine the application. These appointments were made in accordance with the Planning Inspectorate's Conflict of Interest Policy.

Due to personal circumstances, Richard Hunt is no longer able to continue his role as a member of the Panel for this project and has submitted his resignation from the panel under s66(3) of the Planning Act 2008.

The Planning Inspectorate has considered the skill sets required for the Panel members and suitability for leading the Panel and has decided on behalf of the Secretary of State under delegated powers, to appoint Guy Rigby as a replacement member of the panel for the Project, with effect from 27 August 2024. This appointment has been made in accordance with the Planning Inspectorate's Conflict of Interest Policy.

The Panel therefore now consists of:

- Robert Jackson (Panel Lead)
- Marc Willis
- Guy Rigby

The Planning Inspectorate

This decision was made by officials on behalf of the Secretary of State for the Ministry of Housing, Communities and Local Government under delegated powers