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 Dogger Bank South

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Subject: Dogger Bank South Section 46 Planning Act 2008

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Attachments: RWE DBS Statutory Consultation Letter - The Planning Inspectorate.pdf

Dear Planning Inspectorate

Further to section 46, we hereby supply to you on behalf the Secretary of State, the consultation materials which are being sent to the section 42 consultees.

The materials will be available on the DBS website https://doggerbanksouth.co.uk/ from tomorrow morning when the consultation period starts.

Should you have any queries please contact me at the number below or via email

Yours

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Dogger Bank South Offshore Wind Farms



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Your ref. NA Your letter NA

Our ref. DBS Statutory Consultation

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Swindon, 05/06/2023

Dogger Bank South Offshore Wind Farms Statutory Consultation 06 June 2023 – 17 July 2023 Planning Act 2008

RWE Renewables Dogger Bank South (East) Limited and RWE Renewables Dogger Bank South (West) Limited (herein 'RWE') are in the process of preparing proposals for developing the Dogger Bank South (DBS) Offshore Wind Farms.

DBS is made up of two separate sites, DBS East and DBS West. RWE is progressing the development phase of both projects. As the DBS developments are in excess of 100MW, they are considered as 'Nationally Significant Infrastructure Projects' and the application for planning permission (termed a Development Consent Order or DCO) will be considered by the Planning Inspectorate (PINS).

The requirements for applications to the Secretary of State for a DCO are set out in the Planning Act 2008 and subsequent guidance issued by Government and the Planning Inspectorate (PINS). Copies of all the relevant information can be found on the PINS website at https://infrastructure.planninginspectorate.gov.uk.

RWE is now at the stage where it wishes to consult with various interested parties, including consultees prescribed under s42 of the Planning Act 2008. **You have been identified as a consultee within s42.**

We recognise consultation to be a vital stage in the development of our projects and this statutory consultation provides the opportunity for us to engage with statutory stakeholders and for them to comment on the project as the plans evolve. Feedback from stakeholders will be considered in our continued development of the project and will also be reported to the Secretary of State when our application is submitted.

RWE has prepared the following consultation documents:

Preliminary Environmental Information Report (PEIR)

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- o Volume 1: PEIR Chapters;
- o Volume 2: Figures; and
- o Volume 3: Appendices.
- PEIR Non-Technical Summary
- Consultation Brochure (signpost document)
- Consultation Questionnaire

All consultation documentation is available to view on our website, www.dog-gerbanksouth.co.uk. USB's containing all of the PEIR documentation along with the NTS, Consultation Brochure and Consultation Questionnaire are available upon request. Please do not hesitate to contact the team by emailing dbs@rwe.com or by phoning 0800 254 5459 should you require any guidance.

Hard copies of the NTS and Consultation Brochure will be available at our consultation events listed below:

Consultation Events			
Date	Location	Times	
Friday 9 June 2023	Beverley Memorial Hall, 73-75 Lairgate, Beverley HU17 8HN	3pm - 7pm	
Saturday 10 June 2023	Skipsea Village Hall, Bridlington Rd, Skipsea, Driffield YO25 8TJ	3pm – 7pm	
Thursday 22 June 2023	Leven Sports Hall & Playing Field, North St, Leven, Beverley HU17 5NF	3pm – 7pm	
Friday 23 June 2023	Skipsea Village Hall, Bridlington Rd, Skipsea, Driffield YO25 8TJ	3pm - 7pm	
Saturday 24 June 2023	Beverley Memorial Hall, 73-75 Lairgate, Beverley HU17 8HN	11am - 4pm	

Hard copies of the NTS and Consultation Brochure are available upon request via email (dbs@rwe.com) or phone (0800 254 5459) and will also be available to view free of charge in the below access points during the consultation. Each venue has computer facilities available to the public (there may be a charge) which will allow access by way of the internet to the PEIR and other consultation documentation.

Access Points				
	Cross Hill, Driffield	Mon 09:30 - 18:30, Tue - Fri 09:30 -		
Driffield Library	YO25 6RQ	16:30, Sat 09:30 - 12:30, Sun Closed		
		Mon, Wed, Fri 09:30 - 17:00, Tue, Thu		
	Champney Road, Bev-	09:30 - 20:00, Sat 09:00 - 16:00, Sun		
Beverley Library	erley, HU17 8HE	Closed		
		Mon 09:30 - 17:00, Wed 09:30 -		
	14 King Street, Bri-	18:00, Thu 09:30 - 15:00, Sat 09:30 -		
Bridlington Central Library	dlington, YO15 2DF	13:00, Tue, Fri, Sun Closed		
Cottingham Library and	Market Green, Cot-	Mon, Tue 09:30 - 16:30, Thu 09:30 -		
Customer Service Centre	tingham, HU16 5QG	18:30, Fri 09:30 - 13:00, Sat 09:30 -		

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		12:30, Wed, Sun Closed
		Mon, Fri 10:00 - 17:00, Tue 10:00 -
	220 Greenwood Ave-	17:30, Wed 10:00 - 18:30, Sat 10:00 -
Greenwood Avenue Library	nue, Hull, HU6 9RU	13:00, Thu, Sun Closed
		Mon, Fri 09:30 - 16:30, Tue 12:30 -
Hornsea Library and Cus-	Broadway, Hornsea,	18:30, Thu 09:30 - 13:30, Sat 09:30 -
tomer Services	HU18 1RU	12:30, Wed, Sun Closed
	Recreation Hall, East	
	Street, Leven, Beverley	Wed 10:30 - 12:30 and 15:30 - 19:00,
Leven Library	HU175NG	Mon, Tue Closed, Thu - Sun Closed
	1st Floor, 2a Marshall	
Bridlington Community	Ave, Bridlington YO15	Tue, Wed 10:00 - 16:30
Hub Centre	2DS	Thur - Mon - Closed

You can respond to our consultation directly via the project website or, if preferred, electronic copies of questionnaires are available to download and hard copies can be requested or are available at our consultation events.

We will also be holding two webinar sessions as part of the consultation on **27 June 2023 and 6 July 2023**. Further details on how to register can be found on our website.

This is a part of the statutory consultation process required under the Planning Act 2008. The consultation will open at **9am on 6 June 2023** and will run until **17 July 2023**. **Consultation responses must be received by 23:59 on 17 July 2023** to guarantee inclusion in the Consultation Report. We will, however, endeavour to consider any responses received after the consultation has closed.

The National Infrastructure Planning regime under the Planning Act 2008 expects the developer and consultees to work together to resolve as many issues as possible before an application is submitted. This consultation is a key part of this process and we would hope that you will take full advantage of the opportunity to engage with us.

If you would like to find out more information about the DBS projects, please visit our website, www.doggerbanksouth.co.uk, or contact the team using the contact details at the top of this letter. We look forward to receiving your feedback and meeting you at one of our consultation events.

Yours sincerely,

Trevor Baker Projects Lead – Dogger Bank South RWE Renewables UK Swindon Limited