

# Outer Dowsing Offshore Wind

## Consultation Report

### Appendix 5.1.6 Formal Notices Part 3

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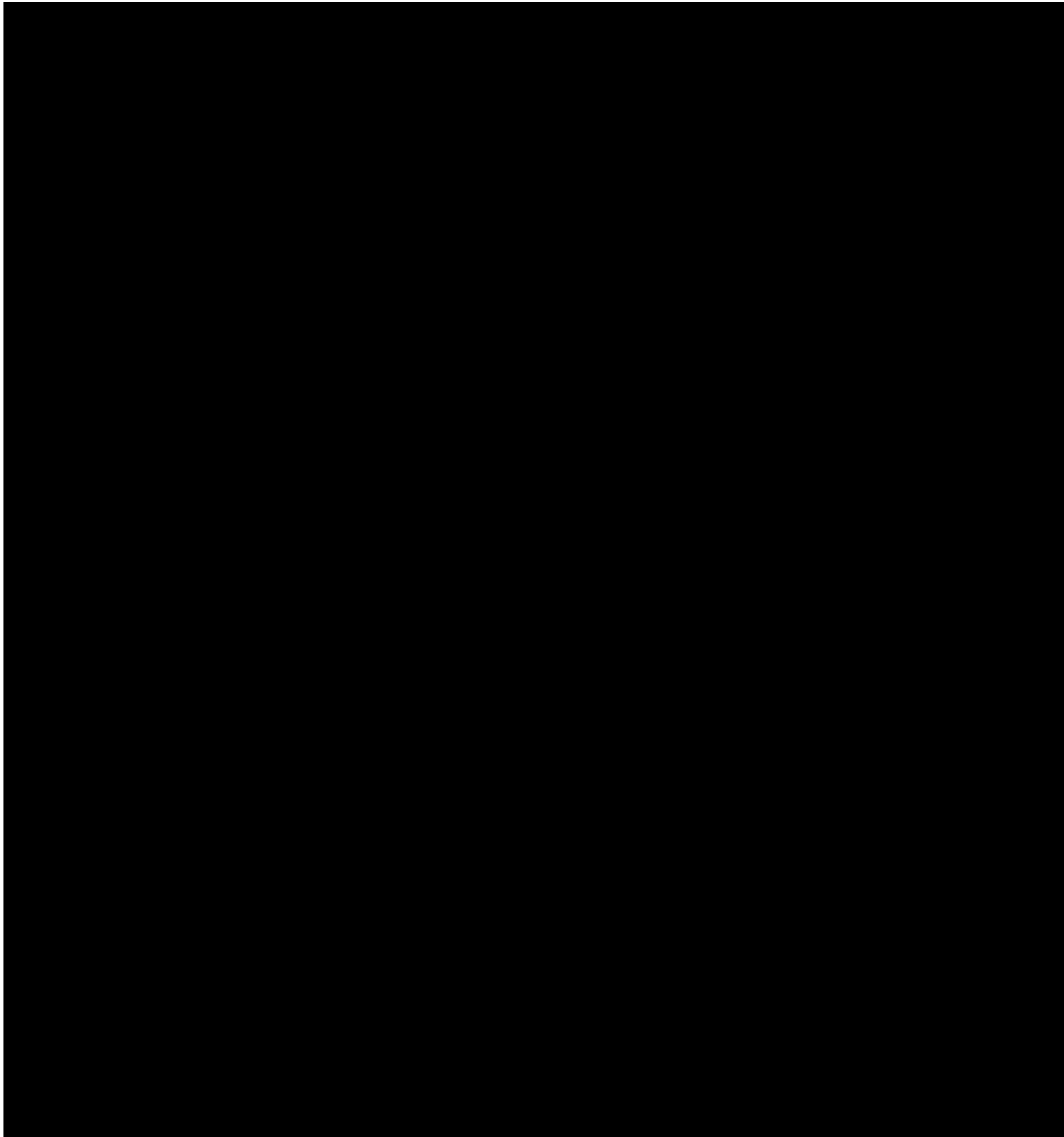
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## SECTION 48, PLANNING ACT 2008

**REGULATION 4, THE INFRASTRUCTURE PLANNING (APPLICATIONS: PRESCRIBED FORMS AND PROCEDURE) REGULATIONS 2009  
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Principal: Sheila Paige B.A. (Hons.)

**Teacher of Science  
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**(an additional TLR point is available for experienced candidates)  
January 2024/Immediate Start**

University Academy Holbeach is seeking to appoint an enthusiastic, highly motivated and inspirational teacher to join our Science department. This post is suitable for an experienced or early careers teacher (ECT) wishing to join a team of specialists who ensure a high standard of teaching, learning and achievement. Support for ECT induction is available.

Interested candidates will have:

- QTS
- the ability to teach Science across key stages 3 and 4 (with the opportunity to teach at KS5)
- the ability to plan and deliver high quality lessons
- the ability to motivate and achieve excellent results
- excellent organisational skills
- the ability to form positive working relationships with staff and pupils
- the ability to work collaboratively

University Academy Holbeach is an oversubscribed school in a rural location and serves the local community and the surrounding villages. The school site is equipped with state of the art facilities including teaching walls and an excellent ICT infrastructure. All teachers are provided with a laptop to support their work.

Teachers wishing to embark upon further post graduate study as part of their CPD will be supported through our sponsor the University of Lincoln.

The school was rated as 'Good' by Ofsted (February 2019).

For an application pack please visit the school website

[www.universityacademyholbeach.org](http://www.universityacademyholbeach.org)

Early applications are encouraged. We reserve the right to interview and appoint prior to the closing date of the advertisement, should we identify an appropriate candidate.

University Academy Holbeach is committed to the safeguarding and promoting the welfare of young people and expect all staff to share this commitment. All posts will be subject to an enhanced DBS disclosure, medical and reference checks. Applicants may be subject to an online presence check.

**Closing date: Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> November 2023**

UNIVERSITY ACADEMY  
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Principal: Sheila Paige B.A. (Hons.)

**Teacher of History  
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- QTS
- the ability to teach History to KS4 (there is the possibility to teach KS5)
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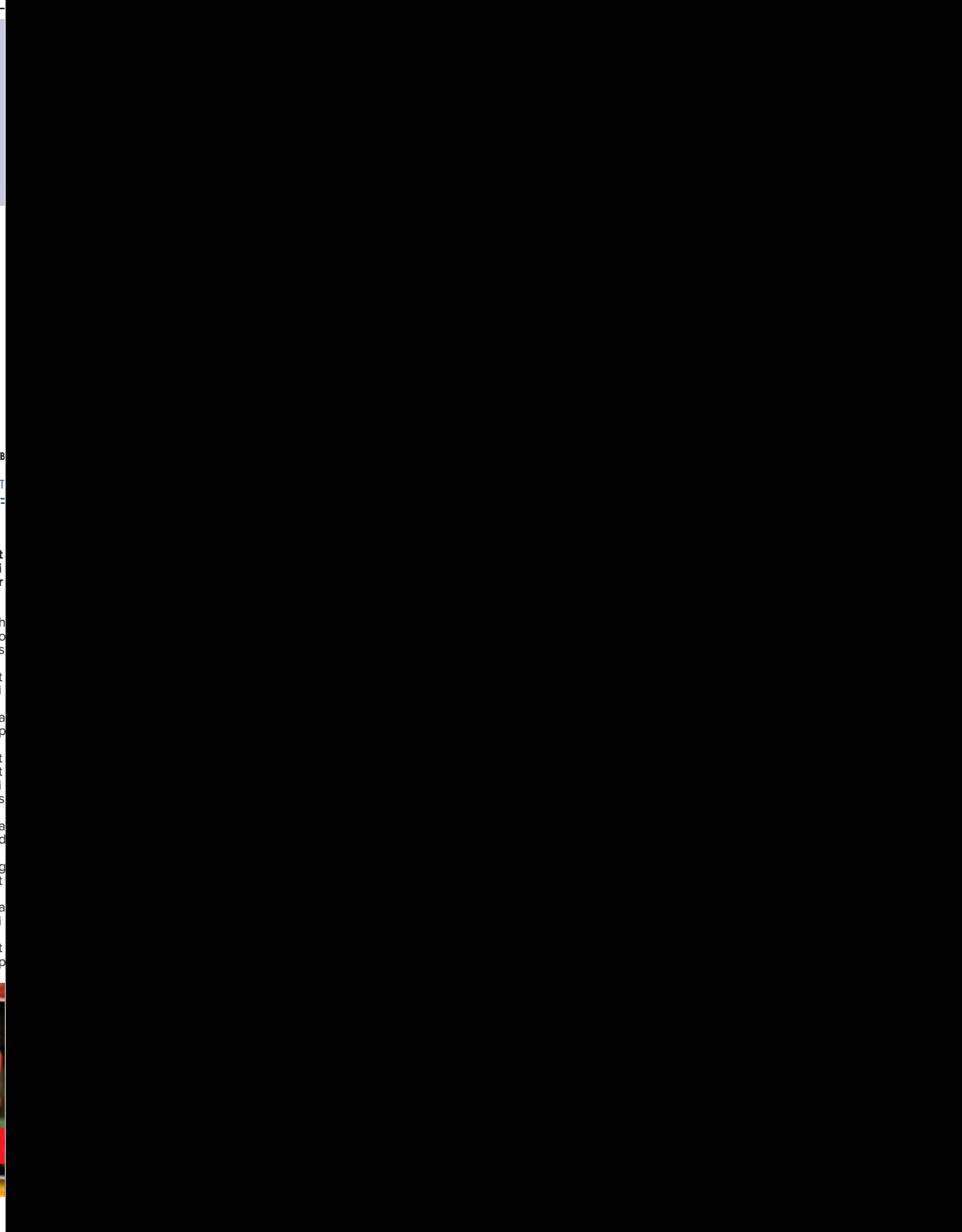
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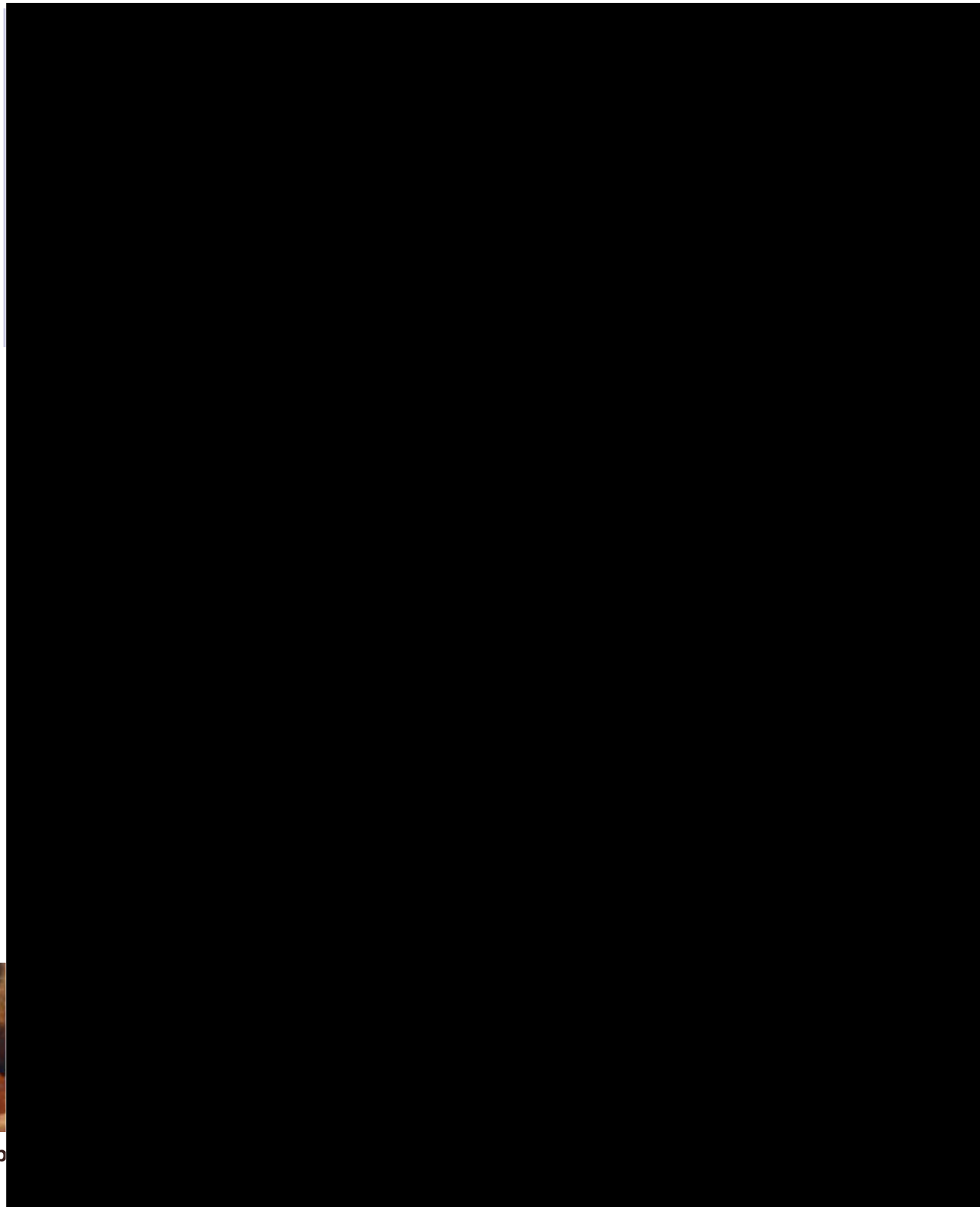
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## Israeli coalition ready to invade

● Netanyahu forms war government ● Troops expected to cross into Gaza next week ● BA suspends flights over rocket fear

**Richard Spencer** Tel Aviv  
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Israel united around a new government last night as it prepared for an invasion of Gaza, expected as early as next week.

Binyamin Netanyahu, whose efforts to form a stable cabinet have almost torn the country apart in the past two years, will be joined by Benny Gantz, a former general turned opposition leader, and Yoav Gallant, the defence minister, at the head of the government.

The new coalition is a resumption of Israel's historical secular norm: politicians and former generals with a range of views prepared to adopt a common stance against military foes. Last year

Gantz and other centre-left leaders refused to join a coalition with Netanyahu, who was forced to join with hard-right and ultra-religious parties.

As Gantz changed course, the army declared the area around Gaza a no-go zone for non-military personnel. The Israeli military said hundreds of thousands of troops had assembled around the enclave, "ready to execute the mission we have been given".

Last night Netanyahu gave a televised address in which he said Israel was on the attack. "Every member of Hamas is a dead man," he added.

Tanks have been heading into the area for days, with soldiers expecting an order to go into Gaza as soon as the new cabinet has reviewed updated plans.

The strip is already buckling under the stress of continuous bombardment and a lack of power, water and other essentials amid Israeli retaliation for an assault launched by Hamas terrorists on Saturday.

The development came as:

● Palestinian rocket attacks and Israeli airstrikes continued for a fifth day, with casualties rising on both sides: 1,200 Israelis are confirmed to have died and 1,100 have died in Gaza, including more than 300 children.

● The King condemned the "acts of terrorism" inflicted on Israel.

● Seventeen British citizens were said to be dead or missing, with Jake Marlowe, 26, who worked at the Supernova music festival, confirmed dead.

● James Cleverly, the foreign secretary, made an unannounced visit to Israel but had to take cover as sirens sounded during a meeting with his counterpart.

● British Airways suspended flights to and from Israel after one of its planes heading to Tel Aviv turned back to Heathrow following a report that Hamas had fired rockets towards Ben Gurion airport.

● Air raid warnings forced millions of residents to take shelter in northern Israel, after suspected aerial attacks from Lebanon raised fears of the conflict spilling over on to a second front. However, the alerts were later attributed to a "malfunction".

Last night Hamas continued to hold up to 150 people hostage after seizing

them at the weekend. Qatar has been called in by western allies to try to negotiate the release of women and children, regional diplomats told The Times. The proscribed terrorist group is believed to want to hand some hostages back in return for the release of Palestinian women prisoners in Israeli jails.

However, there is unlikely to be time for detailed negotiations, nor is any attempt likely to be made to free dozens of hostages by force before a full-scale ground assault.

Israeli airstrikes have already destroyed about 1,000 buildings across the small enclave, from Gaza City and Beit Hanoun in the north to Khan Younis in the south. The towns were

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Israeli airstrikes on the Gaza Strip in retaliation for Saturday's attacks by Hamas have left its population short of power, water and other essentials. The death toll has risen to 1,100 in Gaza and 1,200 in Israel

## Rapists will go free as judges are told that prisons are full

**Catherine Baksi**  
**Jonathan Ames** Legal Editor  
**Matt Dathan** Home Affairs Editor

Convicted rapists and burglars will be free to walk the streets from next week because the country's prisons are full.

Lord Justice Edis, the senior presiding judge for England and Wales, has ordered crown court judges to delay sentencing hearings for criminals who are on bail. It means convicted offenders, including some who have committed

serious crimes, will be temporarily spared jail.

The Times also understands that some prisoners will be released early under plans drawn up by justice ministers, which could start as soon as next week.

In an online meeting between Edis and senior judges, it emerged that suspects who are accused of the most serious crimes and remanded in custody are to be held in magistrates' court cells.

One senior crown court judge told

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## Legal Notices



## SECTION 48, PLANNING ACT 2008

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- If required, the temporary stopping up, alteration or diversion of streets;
- The application and/or disapplication of legislation including, among other things, legislation relating to compulsory purchase; and
- Such ancillary, incidental and consequential provisions, permits or consents as are necessary and/or convenient.

The Project is an Environmental Impact Assessment (“EIA”) development for the purposes of The Infrastructure Planning (Environmental Impact Assessment) Regulations 2017. This means that the Project constitutes development for which an EIA is required and the proposed application for a DCO will be accompanied by an Environmental Statement. The Applicant prepared Preliminary Environmental Information for the purposes of the Statutory Consultation and an Environmental Update Report has been prepared to support this Further Statutory Consultation. The documents, plans and maps showing the nature and location of the Project can be accessed free of charge from Friday 20<sup>th</sup> October 2023 until Friday 24<sup>th</sup> November 2023 at the locations and times set out below.

Venue	Opening hours (may be subject to change)	
<b>Mablethorpe Library and Customer Service Centre</b> Stanley Avenue Mablethorpe Lincolnshire LN12 1DP	Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday Sunday	09:00-17:00 09:00-17:00 09:00-17:00 09:00-18:00 09:00-17:00 09:00-13:00 Closed
<b>Skegness Library</b> 23 Roman Bank Skegness Lincolnshire PE25 2SA	Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday Sunday	09:00-17:00 09:00-17:00 09:00-17:00 09:00-18:00 09:00-17:00 09:00-13:00 Closed
<b>Boston Library</b> County Hall Boston Lincolnshire PE21 6DY	Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday Sunday	09:00-17:00 09:00-17:00 09:00-17:00 09:00-18:00 09:00-17:00 09:00-16:00 Closed
<b>Pinchbeck Community Hub and Library</b> 48 Knight Street Pinchbeck Lincolnshire PE11 3RU	Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday Sunday	Closed 10:00-13:00 10:00-13:00 and 14:00-16:00 10:00-13:00 Closed Closed Closed
<b>Lincolnshire County Council*</b> County Offices Newland Lincoln LN1 1YL	Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday Sunday	09:00-17:00 09:00-17:00 09:00-17:00 09:00-17:00 09:00-17:00 Closed Closed
<b>East Lindsey District Council*</b>	Monday	09:00-17:00

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The Hub Mareham Road Horncastle LN9 6PH	Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday Sunday	09:00-17:00 09:00-17:00 09:00-17:00 09:00-17:00 Closed Closed
<b>South Holland District Council</b> Council Offices Priory Road Spalding Lincolnshire PE11 2XE	Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday Sunday	09:00-17:00 09:00-17:00 09:00-17:00 09:00-17:00 09:00-17:00 Closed Closed
<b>Boston Borough Council</b> Municipal Buildings West Street Boston PE21 8QR	Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday Sunday	08:45-17:15 08:45-17:15 08:45-17:15 08:45-17:15 08:45-16:45 Closed Closed

A hard copy of the Environmental Update Report, Onshore Substation Visualisations and associated plans will be available to inspect at all of the above venues. USBs containing the Preliminary Environmental Information, Environmental Update Report and associated plans will be available to take away from all of the above venues and computers will be available at all venues except those marked with an \* to view the material at the venue.

Public Information Days, where the consultation materials will be available for inspection, will also be held by the Applicant on the following dates in the locations specified:

Date	Address	Time
Tuesday, 24 October 2023	Wainfleet All Saints Coronation Hall High Street Wainfleet PE24 4BS	2pm – 8pm
Wednesday, 25 October 2023	Hogsthorpe Village Hall Thames Street, Hogsthorpe, PE24 5PT	2pm – 8pm
Thursday, 26 October 2023	Live online webinar with Q&A <a href="http://www.outerdowsing.com">www.outerdowsing.com</a>	1pm – 2pm
Thursday, 26 October 2023	Live online webinar with Q&A <a href="http://www.outerdowsing.com">www.outerdowsing.com</a>	7pm – 8pm
Friday, 27 October 2023	Butterwick Village Hall Church Road Butterwick PE22 0HT	2pm – 8pm
Saturday, 28 October 2023	Fosdyke Village Hall Old Main Road Fosdyke PE20 2BU	10am – 4pm
Thursday, 2 November 2023	Old Leake Community Centre Furlongs Lane Old Leake, PE22 9NX	2pm – 8pm

Where a copy of the documents is requested from the Applicant, this can be provided free of charge on a USB. The documents can also be made available in hard copy on request at a cost of:

- Environmental Update Report: free on request;
- Non-Technical Summary of Preliminary Environmental Information: free on request;
- Preliminary Environmental Information Report: £750;

- Plans: £50.

Further details in relation to the Project and copies of the documents, plans and maps showing the nature and location of the Project can be inspected free of charge from Friday 20<sup>th</sup> October 2023 until Friday 24<sup>th</sup> November 2023 on the Applicant's website at [www.outerdowsing.com/](http://www.outerdowsing.com/).

Any responses or representations to the publication of this notice must be made in writing to:

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The consultation will end at 11:59pm on **Friday 24 November 2023**.

Responses must (i) be received by the Applicant no later than 11:59pm on Friday 24 November 2023 (ii) be in writing (iii) state the grounds of the response or representation (iv) indicate who is making the response or representation and (b) give an address to which correspondence relating to the response or representation may be sent.

Consultation responses may be made publicly available however the Applicant will not share individuals' data although the general area of an individual's location may be indicated for context.

If you would like further information about this notice, the consultation documents or the Project, or would like to request copies of the consultation documents please contact the project team by using one of the following contact methods:

Email: [contact@outerdowsing.com](mailto:contact@outerdowsing.com)

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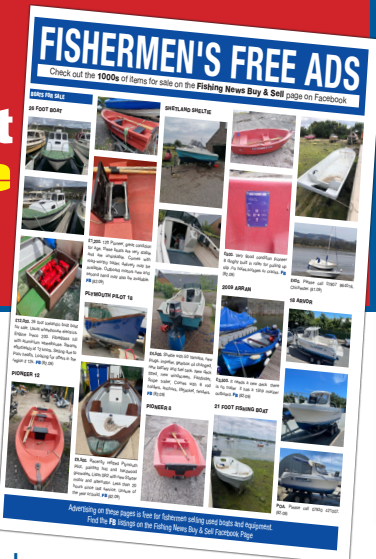
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**PUBLIC NOTICES**

**SECTION 47, PLANNING ACT 2008:  
 NOTICE PUBLICISING A STATEMENT OF COMMUNITY CONSULTATION**

**GT R4 Limited, trading as Outer Dowsing Offshore Wind (the Applicant), intends to apply for consent to build and operate the Outer Dowsing Offshore Wind project, located approximately 54 km off the coast of Lincolnshire, England together with associated offshore and onshore infrastructure. The offshore export cables from the offshore wind turbines are proposed to make landfall south of Anderby Creek. From the landfall, the cables would continue underground to one of two different connection points – a connection to the existing overhead line circuits at Weston Marsh (north of Spalding) or to a proposed new National Grid substation (east of Alford).**

We, the Applicant, intend to make an application to the Planning Inspectorate under section 37 of the Planning Act 2008 for a Development Consent Order (DCO) to authorise the proposed scheme.

Before submitting our application to the Planning Inspectorate, we are required to produce and publish a Statement of Community Consultation (SoCC), setting out how we will consult the local community about our proposals. In preparing the SoCC we have consulted with Lincolnshire County Council, East Lindsey District Council, Boston Borough Council and South Holland District Council as the host Local Planning Authorities, and have also consulted with North East Lincolnshire Council, West Lindsey District Council, North Kesteven District Council, South Kesteven District Council, Peterborough City Council, Fenland District Council, and Borough Council of King's Lynn and West Norfolk. We are also required to make the SoCC available for inspection by the public and publish this notice stating where and when it can be accessed.

Please refer to the SoCC for full details on how we will be consulting the local community on our plans for the Outer Dowsing Offshore Wind project. The SoCC can be viewed from 21st October 2022 throughout the pre-application period along with our suite of consultation materials, online at: [www.outerdowsing.com](http://www.outerdowsing.com).

Alternatively, paper copies of the SoCC can also be accessed (subject to availability and any COVID-19 restrictions in place at the time) from 21st October 2022 throughout the pre-application period at the following locations. Please contact the location beforehand to confirm provision of materials and opening hours.

Location	Address	Opening Hours
Mablethorpe Library and Customer Service Centre	Stanley Avenue, Mablethorpe Lincolnshire, LN12 1DP	The Lincolnshire County Council website contains opening hours and accessibility details for the following access points: <a href="https://www.lincolnshire.gov.uk/libraries-archives/lincolnshire-library-service">https://www.lincolnshire.gov.uk/libraries-archives/lincolnshire-library-service</a>
Skegness Library	23 Roman Bank, Skegness Lincolnshire, PE25 2SA	
Boston Library	County Hall, Boston Lincolnshire, PE21 6DY	
Pinchbeck Community Hub and Library	48 Knight Street, Pinchbeck Lincolnshire, PE11 3RU	
Lincolnshire County Council	County Offices, Newland Lincoln, LN1 1YL	Monday to Thursday – 09:00 – 17:00 Friday 09:00 – 16:30 Saturday & Sunday - Closed
East Lindsey District Council	Tedder Hall, Manby Park, Louth Lincolnshire, LN11 8UP	Monday to Friday – 08:45 – 17:00 Saturday & Sunday - Closed
South Holland District Council	Council Offices, Priory Road Spalding, Lincolnshire, PE11 2XE	Monday to Friday – 09:00 – 17:00 Saturday & Sunday - Closed
Boston Borough Council	Municipal Buildings, West Street Boston, PE21 8QR	Monday to Thursday – 08:45 – 17:15 Friday – 08:45 – 16:45 Saturday & Sunday - Closed

If you are unable to access the SoCC, or you require it in another format such as large print, please contact the Applicant's project team using the following contact details:

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