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Glossary

Term	Meaning
Applicant	Morgan Offshore Wind Limited.
Development Consent Order (DCO)	An order made under the Planning Act 2008 granting development consent for a Nationally Significant Infrastructure Project (NSIP).
Morgan Array Area	The area within which the wind turbines, foundations, inter-array cables, interconnector cables, scour protection, cable protection and offshore substation platforms (OSPs) forming part of the Morgan Offshore Wind Project: Generation Assets will be located.
Morgan Offshore Wind Project: Generation Assets	This is the name given to the Morgan Generation Assets project as a whole (includes all infrastructure and activities associated with the project construction, operations and maintenance, and decommissioning).

Acronyms

Acronym	Description
CRM	Collision Risk Modelling
HRA	Habitat Regulation Assessment
IoM	Isle of Man
MGN	Marine Guidance Notes
MHWS	Mean High Water Springs
REWS	Radar Early Warning Systems

1 EXAMINATION PROGRESS TRACKER AND STATEMENT OF COMMONALITY

1.1 Introduction

- 1.1.1.1 On 05 August 2024, the Examining Authority (ExA) published the Rule 6 Letter in relation to the Examination of the application by Morgan Offshore Wind Limited ('the Applicant') for the Morgan Offshore Wind Project: Generation Assets (hereafter referred to as the 'Morgan Generation Assets').
- 1.1.1.2 The Rule 6 letter set out the requirement for the Applicant to prepare a Statement of Commonality to capture commonality between the Applicant and each party for whom the ExA has requested the submission of a Statement of Common Ground (SoCG), and any additional parties for whom a SoCG is proposed. The letter also requests that the Applicant prepare an Examination Progress Tracker reporting on what it considers are the principal and other notable issues in the Examination.
- 1.1.1.3 SoCGs are being prepared between the Applicant and other parties to set out the areas of agreement and disagreement with these parties in relation to the Development Consent Order (DCO) application for the Morgan Generation Assets.
- 1.1.1.4 The Rule 6 letter states it would be helpful and reduce duplication if the Statement of Commonality could be combined with the Examination Progress Tracker. This document therefore presents the Examination Progress Tracker which incorporates progress on the SoCG.
- 1.1.1.5 The Applicant notes that the ExA requests this initial Examination Progress Tracker (combined with the Statement of Commonality) to be submitted by the Procedural Deadline (27 August 2024) and subsequently updated and submitted at each Examination Deadline. A mid-Examination Progress Tracker will be submitted at Deadline 4 (10 December 2024) and the final Examination Progress Tracker will be submitted at Deadline 6 (25 February 2025).

1.2 Overview of the Morgan Generation Assets

- 1.2.1.1 The Morgan Array Area (i.e. the area within which the offshore wind turbines will be located) is 280 km² in area and is located 22.22 km (12 nm) from the Isle of Man coastline, 37.13 km (20.1 nm) from the northwest coast of England and 58.5 km (31.6 nm) from the Welsh coastline (Anglesey) (when measured from Mean High Water Springs (MHWS)). The Morgan Array Area is located wholly within English offshore waters (beyond 12 nm from the English coast).

The key components of the Morgan Generation Assets include:

- Offshore wind turbines
- Foundations (for wind turbines and Offshore Substation Platforms (OSPs))
- OSPs
- Scour protection
- Cable protection
- Inter-array cables linking the individual wind turbines to the OSPs
- Offshore interconnector cable(s).

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1.3 Examination Progress Tracker

- 1.3.1.1 This Examination Progress Tracker has been prepared in response to the ExA’s Rule 6 letter requesting an Examination Progress Tracker, in the form of a table, reporting on what it considers are the principal and other notable issues in the Examination.
- 1.3.1.2 The Applicant has set this out in table format, as requested by the ExA, and presents the issue and/or sub issue, the Interested Parties which have raised them, a summary of the concerns raised, the progress being made to address them (if any), the up-to-date position and any progress to resolution in Table 1.2.
- 1.3.1.3 The Examination Progress Tracker combines the Statement of Commonality as requested by the ExA. The table sets out where a SoCG is being progressed and its status. For full details of the items under discussion with each stakeholder, please refer to the relevant SoCG (once available).
- 1.3.1.4 For ease of reference the table has used a ‘traffic-lighting’ system to guide the reader to the likelihood of resolving the issues and progress with the SoCG. This is set out in Table 1.1.

Table 1.1: Position definitions and colour coding.

Colour	Definition
Green	The Interested Party/Parties’ and the Applicant’s positions are aligned. All matters agreed in SoCG.
Light Green	The Interested Party/Parties’ and the Applicant are making progress to align their positions but further work is required to achieve that. Some matters under discussion, some matters agreed in SoCG.
Yellow	The Interested Party/Parties’ and the Applicant are making progress to align their positions but further work is required to achieve that. All matters under discussion in SoCG (where applicable).
Amber	The Interested Party/Parties’ and the Applicant are making progress to align their positions but further work is required to achieve that. Some matters are under discussion with some matters not agreed in SoCG.
Red	The Interested Party/Parties’ and the Applicant are unable to align their positions. All matters not agreed in SoCG.
Indigo	The Interested Party/Parties’ and the Applicant are making progress to align their positions but further work is required to achieve that. Some matters not agreed, some matters agreed in SoCG.
Blue	The Interested Party/Parties and the Applicant are making progress to align their positions but further work is required to achieve that. Some matters not agreed, some matters under discussion, some matters agreed in SoCG.
Beige	The Interested Party/Parties and the Applicant are unable to align their positions, however the matter is not considered to be material. Topic not within remit of party and not covered in SoCG.

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Table 1.2: Examination progress tracker.

Principal issue	Summary of Issue	Interested Party	Current position	SoCG Status
1 – Aviation and Radar				
Effects on safety and operations of civil and military aviation and radar	Assessment of effects to civil or military aviation and proposed mitigation	BAE Systems/Walney Aerodrome	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG
		Blackpool Airport	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG
		MoD Safeguarding	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG

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		RAF Valley	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG
		Ronaldsway Airport	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG
	Assessment and mitigation of effects to Primary Surveillance radar and mitigation measures	MoD Safeguarding	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG

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		NATS Safeguarding	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG
		Defence Infrastructure Organisation - Warton	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG
	Potential impacts on naval surface or sub-sea operations	MoD Safeguarding	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG

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Effects to Radar Early Warning Systems (REWS) on existing offshore infrastructure	Assessment of effects on REWS and microwave communications and proposed mitigation	Chrysaor Resources (Irish Sea) Limited/Harbour Energy	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG

2 – Biodiversity and Ecology

Benthic ecology and marine physical processes	Matters relating to benthic ecology and marine physical processes, including assessment of effects, cumulative impacts and mitigations proposed	Isle of Man Government (Territorial Sea Committee)	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG
		Joint Nature Conservation Committee (JNCC)	JNCC would look to defer to Natural England and, therefore, would not look to develop a SoCG.	N/A
		Marine Management Organisation	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG

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		Natural England	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG (approach being discussed with Natural England)
Fish and shellfish ecology	Matters relating to fish and shellfish ecology including assessment of effects, cumulative impacts and mitigations proposed	Isle of Man Government (Territorial Sea Committee)	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG
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		Natural England	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG (approach being discussed with Natural England)
Marine mammal ecology	Matters relating to marine mammal ecology including assessment of effects, cumulative impacts and mitigations proposed	Isle of Man Government (Territorial Sea Committee)	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG
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		Natural England	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG (approach being discussed with Natural England)
	Matters relating to marine mammal ecology in relation to Welsh designated sites	Natural Resources Wales	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG
	Matters relating to marine mammal ecology in relation to Scottish designated sites	NatureScot	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG

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Ornithology	Matters relating to marine ornithology including assessment of effects, cumulative impacts and mitigations proposed	Natural England	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG (approach being discussed with Natural England)
		Royal Society for the Protection of Birds	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG
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3 – Commercial Fisheries				
Displacement of any fishing activities and any consequent social, economic or environmental effects	Assessment of baseline data	Irish South and East Fish Producers Organisation	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG
		National Federation of Fishermen's Organisations	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG

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		Northern Ireland Fish Producer's Organisation	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG
		Scottish Pelagic Fishermen's Association	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG
		Scottish Whitefish Producers Association	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG

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		West Coast Sea Products Ltd.	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG
	Assessment and proposed mitigation of effects on commercial fishing	Irish South and East Fish Producers Organisation	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG
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	Coexistence in relation to commercial fisheries and development of the Outline Fisheries Liaison and Co-existence Plan	Irish South and East Fish Producers Organisation	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG
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4 – Habitats Regulations Assessment				
Interrogation of data and information on which the HRA would be based	Collision Risk Modelling (CRM) and the applicant's displacement assessments and subsequent apportioning	Natural England	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG (approach being discussed with Natural England)
		Natural Resources Wales	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG

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Screening of protected sites, likely significant effects, and those taken forward for assessment	The approach the Applicant has taken to the HRA screening and assessment	Natural England	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG (approach being discussed with Natural England)
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Likelihood of adverse effects on the integrity of habitat sites including information to assess any potential derogation	Presentation of data and conclusion that the project would not have an adverse effect alone or in-combination on the integrity of the designated sites listed	Natural England	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG (approach being discussed with Natural England)
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Cumulative and in-combination effects	Approach to the projects cumulative and in-combination assessments and the assessment of historic projects.	Natural England	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG (approach being discussed with Natural England)
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5 - Other Offshore Infrastructure and Other Sea Users				
Oil and gas infrastructure	Impact upon decommissioning of Millom field facilities.	Chrysaor Resources (Irish Sea) Limited/Harbour Energy	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG
Telecommunications and electricity transmission infrastructure	Proximity of IOM Interconnector to Morgan Generation Assets	Isle of Man Government (Territorial Sea Committee)	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG

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Other offshore renewable energy installations	Assessment of effects to existing and proposed infrastructure including wake effects	Other wind operators who have made Relevant Representations	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to relevant parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	N/A
Recreational sea users	Recreational sea users	N/A	<p>No interested party has submitted a relevant representation that makes comment in respect of recreational sea users.</p> <p>This item has been included for completeness as a matter noted as a 'principal issue' in the Rule 6 letter.</p>	N/A
Mechanisms for co-existence and/ or co-operation	Co-existence with other offshore renewable installations and oil and gas infrastructure	Other wind operators who have made Relevant Representations	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	N/A

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		Chrysaor Resources (Irish Sea) Limited/Harbour Energy	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG
6 – Shipping and Navigation				
Maintenance of safe marine navigation	Assessment and mitigation of navigational safety effects	Trinity House	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG
	Principles for Aids to Navigation plan	Trinity House	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG

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	Navigation and Safety	The UK Chamber of Shipping	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG
	Compliance with Marine Guidance Note (MGN) 654 and mitigations proposed including outline vessel traffic management plan and design layout principles	Maritime and Coastguard Agency	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG
Effects on routeing and operations of ferries, commercial shipping and ports, including deviation and adverse weather routing for lifeline ferry services and any consequent social, economic or environmental effects	Shipping and lifeline ferry services	Isle of Man Government (Territorial Sea Committee)	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG

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	Effects on shipping and lifeline ferry services	Isle of Man Steam Packet Company	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG
	Assessment and proposed mitigation of cumulative impacts and effects to shipping and ferry services	Maritime and Coastguard Agency	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG
	Assessment of effects on shipping and scheduled ferry services and proposed mitigation	Stena line	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG

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Principal issue	Summary of Issue	Interested Party	Current position	SoCG Status
	Shipping routes and scheduled services	The UK Chamber of Shipping	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG
Effects to marine communications and mobile radar operations	Effects to marine communications and mobile radar operations	N/A	<p>Effects to marine communications and mobile radar operations were not raised by any shipping and navigation stakeholders within relevant representations.</p> <p>This item has been included for completeness as a matter noted as a 'principal issue' in the Rule 6 letter.</p>	N/A

7- Data sources, methodology and assumptions behind the Environmental Statement Common to all topics

Effects to marine archaeology and setting of terrestrial heritage assets	Effects to setting of terrestrial heritage assets including World Heritage Sites	Historic England	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG
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		Isle of Man Government (Territorial Sea Committee)	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG
	Adequacy of Outline Offshore Written Scheme of Investigation for archaeology and Protocol for Archaeological Discoveries	Historic England	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG
		Manx National Heritage	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG

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	Proposed temporary and permanent Archaeological Exclusion Zones and their radius or extent	Historic England	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG
		Manx National Heritage	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG
	Principles for cable laying and protection	Historic England	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG

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Principal issue	Summary of Issue	Interested Party	Current position	SoCG Status
Compliance with Marine Policy Statement and North West Marine Plan 2021	How the Application is compliant with the Marine Policy Statement and North West Marine Plan 2021	Marine Management Organisation	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG
Drafting of the DCO and Deemed Marine Licence	Acceptability of conditions and outline plans within the Draft DCO and Marine Licence	Marine Management Organisation	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG
		Natural England	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG (approach being discussed with Natural England)

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Outline plans submitted with the Application	Coverage and content of all outline plans submitted with the Application	Marine Management Organisation	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG
		Natural England	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG (approach being discussed with Natural England)
	Time periods for securing the review and approval of detailed plans post consent	Marine Management Organisation	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG

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	Principles of proposals for safety zone applications	Marine Management Organisation	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG
		Maritime and Coastguard Agency	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG
	Outline Offshore Operations and Maintenance Plan	Maritime and Coastguard Agency	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG

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Decommissioning	Principles for decommissioning	Marine Management Organisation	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG
Seascape, landscape and visual impacts	Provision of single frame images with a Horizontal Frame of View (HFoV) of 39.6° to be included within the SLVIA for all viewpoints.	Natural England	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG (approach being discussed with Natural England)

8 – Cumulative effects with other offshore wind farms and associated grid connection projects

Consenting approach for the Morgan Generation Assets and separation of Development Consent Order Applications	Consideration of the indirect, secondary and cumulative impacts from multiple/linked Nationally Significant Infrastructure Projects	Natural England	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG (approach being discussed with Natural England)
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9 – Transboundary effects

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Transboundary matters and status of the Isle of Man Government in the Examination	Clarification on whether the Isle of Man (as a UK Crown Dependency) is considered 'part of the UK' for this assessment process	Isle of Man Government (Territorial Seas Committee)	<p>Yellow: The issue is capable of resolution. The Applicant will look to progress this issue with relevant Interested Parties with a view to agreeing a resolution.</p> <p>An initial response has been provided to parties in response to their submitted relevant representation.</p> <p>Discussions are ongoing.</p>	Issue to be addressed within SoCG

1.3.2 List of Statements of Common Ground

- 1.3.2.1 The ExA has specified that SoCGs should be submitted at the deadlines as set out in the Examination Timetable published in the Rule 6 Letter. Table 1.3 provides the status of the SoCG submissions at each Examination Deadline.
- 1.3.2.2 This tracker uses the colour code in Table 1.1 to highlight progress with the SoCG at each deadline.

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Table 1.3: Status of SoCG submissions (To be populated for Deadline 1).

Doc Ref	Party	Status at Deadline 1	Status at Deadline 2	Status at Deadline 3	Status at Deadline 4 (mid Examination)	Status at Deadline 5	Status at Deadline 6 (Final)
	BAE Systems / Walney Aerodrome						
	Blackpool Airport						
	Chrysaor Resources (Irish Sea) Limited / Harbour Energy						
	Historic England						
	Irish South and East Fish Producers' Organisation						
	Isle of Man Government (Territorial Sea Committee)						
	Isle of Man Steam Packet Company						
	Joint Nature Conservation Committee	Confirmed that SoCG not required					
	Manx National Heritage						
	Marine Management Organisation						
	Maritime and Coastguard Agency						
	MoD Safeguarding						
	NATS Safeguarding						

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Doc Ref	Party	Status at Deadline 1	Status at Deadline 2	Status at Deadline 3	Status at Deadline 4 (mid Examination)	Status at Deadline 5	Status at Deadline 6 (Final)
	Natural England	Approach being discussed with Natural England					
	National Federation of Fishermen's Organisations						
	NatureScot						
	Northern Ireland Fish Producers' Organisation						
	Natural Resources Wales						
	Other wind operators who have made Relevant Representations						
	RAF Valley aerodrome						
	Ronaldsway Airport						
	Royal Society for the Protection of Birds						
	Scottish Pelagic Fishermen's Association						
	Scottish Whitefish Producers Association						
	Stena Line						
	Trinity House						
	The UK Chamber of Shipping						
	West Coast Sea Products Ltd.						

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