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NatureScot

Your Ref: MNOW-OP004

Our Ref: EN010137

Date: 16 October 2024

Dear Sir/ Madam,

The Infrastructure Planning (Examination Procedure) Rules 2010 (as amended) – Rule 17

Application by Mona Offshore Wind Limited for an Order Granting Development Consent for the Mona Offshore Wind Farm

Request for further information

We are writing under Rule 17 of the Infrastructure Planning (Examination Procedure) Rules 2010 (as amended).

NatureScot is invited to review the updated ornithological assessment work submitted into Examination by the Applicant. A summary of the updates is included in the Applicant's Deadline 3 cover letter [REP3-001] and the relevant documents can be viewed via the Examination Library.

Following the review, NatureScot is invited to confirm (with reasoning) by Deadline 4 (4 November 2024) whether or not it agrees with the Applicant's conclusion of no Adverse Effects on the Integrity (AEoI) of any European site within the jurisdiction of Scotland from the Mona Offshore Wind Farm alone, or in combination with other plans or projects.

Yours faithfully,

Caroline Jones

Lead Member of the Panel of Examining Inspectors

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