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**Appendix 11.1 – Copy of Application to the Welsh Government for s.135
Consent**



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For the attention of

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2nd July 2015

Dear Sir

SP Manweb Plc - North Wales Wind Farms Connection Order
Planning Inspectorate Reference Number : EN020014
Section 135 of the Planning Act 2008.

SP Manweb PLC ("SP Manweb") made an application for development consent to the Secretary of State for Energy and Climate Change to construct and install a 132 kV electric line above ground between Clocaenog Forest to a terminal point south of Glascoed Road, B5381, near to St Asaph (the "Proposed Development") on the 20 March 2015. The application was accepted for examination on 17 April 2015.

The application for development consent includes provisions which apply in relation to Crown Land and in which the Welsh Ministers are the appropriate Crown Authority (see section 227(5)(b) of the Planning Act 2008).

By virtue of this letter, the Welsh Ministers, acting via Natural Resources Wales, provide confirmation of consent to the terms of the Development Consent Order for the Proposed Development pursuant to s135 of the Planning Act 2008


For the avoidance of doubt, this letter should not be taken as Secretary of State Consent to the Development Consent Order, nor does it relate to any commercial negotiation between SP Manweb PLC and Natural Resources Wales

Yours faithfully

Mari Sibley – Principal Surveyor

Signed by and on behalf of **The Welsh Ministers**
(in the capacity of appropriate Crown authority for the purposes of section 135 and 227 of the 2008 Act)

Name (Print) **Mari Sibley**

Signature 

Date..... 2/7/15