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Your reference: EN020022

24 March 2020

Dear Sir or Madam,

## Planning Act 2008 – Section 88 and The Infrastructure Planning (Examination Procedure) Rules 2010 – Rule 6

## Application by AQUIND Limited for an Order Granting Development Consent for the AQUIND Interconnector Project

## Notice of appointment of the Examining Authority and date, time and place of the Preliminary Meeting

Thank you for your consultation on the Rule 6 letters dated 5 March 2020. The following constitutes the Marine Management Organisation's (MMO) formal statutory response. The MMO is an Interested Party within both examinations.

Due to leave and resourcing during the summer months, particularly as the MMO attendees will be travelling from Portsouth to Newcastle following the hearings, the MMO would like to request a 1 week extension to the following deadlines:

Deadline 3 – 24 June 2020

Deadline 6 – 26 September 2020

Please could you respond to me as soon as possible to confirm whether an extension to these deadlines would be acceptable?

I can also confirm that the MMO will not be attending the Preliminary Meeting on 22 April.

## Your feedback

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If you require any further information please do not hesitate to contact me using the details provided below.

Yours Sincerely,

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