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To: Aquind Interconnector

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Subject: Application by AQUIND Limited ("the Applicant") for an Order granting

Development Consent for the proposed AQUIND Interconnector ("the AQUIND

Interconnector project") - Request for Extension

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Dear Sir or Madam,

We are writing to you in connection with the request for information issued on behalf of the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero ("the Secretary of State") dated 3 March 2023, to assist him with the re-determination of the application for development consent for the AQUIND Interconnector project. We attach a letter seeking an extension to the deadline for responses to be provided. The reasons why this extension is being requested are detailed within the letter.

We would be grateful if we could be informed of the Secretary of State's decision on whether to allow the requested extension of the period to respond to 23:59 on 28 April 2023, and for this to be communicated to the other persons of whom the Secretary of State has requested information, including interested parties, prior to the 31 March 2023 deadline.

Best regards, Martyn

Martyn Jarvis

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