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By Post

Dear Sir or Madam

Able Marine Energy Park Development Consent Order 2014 - S.I. 2014 No. 2935 (the 'DCO')

Section 153 of the Planning Act 2008 – Changes to, and revocation of, orders granting development consent

Consultation on a proposed application for a Material Change to the DCO under Schedule 6 of the Planning Act 2008 and Part 2 of the Infrastructure Planning (Changes to, and Revocation of, Development Consent Orders) Regulations 2011 (as Amended) (the '2011 Regulations')

We write to notify the Planning Inspectorate that Able Humber Ports Limited ('**ABLE**') proposes to commence consultation, pursuant to Regulation 10 of the 2011 Regulations, in regard to its proposed application for a proposed material change to The Able Marine Energy Park Development Consent Order 2014 (the '**DCO**').

Since the DCO came into force in October 2014, ABLE has been working to ensure that the Project is delivered effectively and efficiently. As a result of this process, ABLE is now seeking consent from the Secretary of State to make a material change to the DCO (the '**Application**').

The consultation will begin on Thursday 15th April 2021 and the deadline for receiving responses is Wednesday 26th May 2021.

The amendment seeks to achieve the following—

- (a) a realignment of the proposed quay (within its existing limits of deviation) to remove a berth pocket at the southern end and introduce a setback at the northern end;
- (b) changes to the construction methodology to allow the relieving slab at the rear of the quay to be piled at the surface or to be omitted, and the use of anchor piles instead of flap anchors;
- (c) consequential changes to dredge deposits where dredged materials may no longer be used in the construction of the associated works; and
- (d) unrelated to the quay changes, the realignment of a footpath diversion to the north west of the site to go round the end of a railway track instead of crossing it.

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ABLE hereby supplies the Planning Inspectorate with the same information that is being supplied to all relevant consultees agreed with the Department for Transport under Regulation 10 of the 2011 Regulations, and encloses with this letter the following documents in electronic copy:-

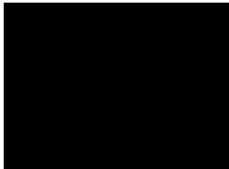
- Draft Order amending the DCO;
- Preliminary Environmental Information Report (PEIR);
- Draft Habitat Regulations Assessment;
- Draft Water Framework Directive Assessment; and
- Drawings, including plans and maps showing the nature and location of the land.

We have also included with this letter an example of a letter sent to the agreed statutory consultees who are being consulted.

All of the consultation documents will also be made available on our website at <https://www.ableuk.com/sites/port-sites/humber-port/amep/> from 15th April 2021. Following the receipt and consideration of responses to the consultation carried out in accordance with Regulation 15 of the 2011 Regulations, it is expected that the Application will be submitted to the Planning Inspectorate later in 2021.

Your faithfully

For and on behalf of Able Humber Ports Ltd



RICHARD CRAM
Engineering Director

Encs: - USB stick containing consultation documents
- Example of letter sent to the agreed statutory consultees