

11 February 2025

The Planning Inspectorate Temple Quay House Temple Quay Bristol BS1 6PN

Your Ref: EN010119

Identification No. 20050480

The North Falls Offshore Wind Farm

Dear Sir / Madam

Further to the application relating to the North Falls Offshore Wind Farm, we wish to provide our further responses as follows in relation to Deadline 1-

Comments to the draft Development Consent Order (DCO) (APP-005) Doc. Ref. 6.1.1

Colouring of Structures

With regard to 'Colouring of Structures', as provided for in Schedule 8, Part 2, s.17, Schedule 9, Part 2, s.18, and Schedule 10, Part 2, s.17 of the draft DCO, Trinity House requests that the wording be amended to reflect the agreed standard navigation conditions as follows:

"Except as otherwise required by Trinity House the undertaker must paint all structures forming part of the authorised project yellow (colour code RAL 1023) from at least HAT to a height as directed by Trinity House. Unless the MMO otherwise directs, the undertaker must paint the remainder of the structures grey (colour code RAL 7035)."

Lighting and Marking Plan

With regard to 'Lighting and Marking Plan', as provided for in Schedule 8, Part 2, s.16(3) and s.21(1)(i), Schedule 9, Part 2, s.17(3) and s.22(1)(i), and Schedule 10, Part 2, s.16(3) and s.21(1)(i) of the draft DCO, Trinity House requests that the wording be amended to reflect the agreed standard navigation conditions by changing the aforementioned 'Lighting and Marking Plan' to read 'aids to navigation management plan'.

'Close Out' Report

With regard to 'Close Out Report[s]', as provided for in Schedule 8, Part 2, s.33 and Schedule 9, Part 2, s.34 of the draft DCO, Trinity House requests that the wording of the first sentence of each aforementioned clause be amended as follows:

"The undertaker must submit a close out report to Trinity House, the MMO, MCA, UKHO and the relevant statutory nature conservation body within three months of the date of completion of construction."

Please address all correspondence regarding this matter to either myself at @trinityhouse.co.uk and to Mr Steve Vanstone at navigation@trinityhouse.co.uk

Yours faithfully,

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