

SUMMARY OF RESPONSES TO DEADLINE 2 SUBMISSIONS ON BEHALF OF

(1) BARROW OFFSHORE WIND LIMITED (REF: 20049974) (2) BURBO EXTENSION LTD (REF: 20049975) (3) WALNEY EXTENSION LIMITED (REF: 20049977) (4) MORECAMBE WIND LIMITED (REF: 20049973) (5) WALNEY (UK) OFFSHORE WINDFARMS LIMITED (REF: 20049978) (6) ØRSTED BURBO (UK) LIMITED (REF: 20049976) (THE "ØRSTED IPS")

IN CONNECTION WITH THE Application by Morecambe Offshore Wind Limited for an Order Granting Development Consent for the Morecambe Offshore Wind Farm

## 1. Introduction

1.1 This document contains a summary of the Ørsted IPs¹ response to deadline 2 submissions in respect of the application by Morecambe Offshore Windfarm Limited (the "Applicant") for an Order under the Planning Act 2008 granting Development Consent for the Morecambe Offshore Windfarm Generation Assets (the "Project").

## 2. Summary of submission

- 2.1 In summary the Ørsted IPs have responded to the Applicant's comments on their written representations [REP2-027] as follows:
  - in respect of wake loss, the Ørsted IPs consider the Applicant's interpretation of 'close' in the NPS-EN3, is unsustainable, and not supported by recent statements by the UK Government. The Ørsted IPs consider their approach to the wake loss issue is supported by the North West Marine Plan and maintain their view that the Project could materially impact decision making regarding lifetime extensions to their assets. The Ørsted IPs reject issues raised by the Applicant in respect of modelling wake.
  - in respect of environmental assessment, the Ørsted IPs reiterate that Barrow Offshore Windfarm should be included in the Project's cumulative effects assessment;
  - 2.1.3 in respect of shipping and navigation, the Ørsted IPs reiterate their concerns regarding the sufficiency of the Marine Navigation Engagement Forum.

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