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Dear Mr Wheadon,

Planning Act 2008 and The Infrastructure Planning (Examination Procedure) Rules 2010

Application by RWE Renewables UK Dogger Bank South (West) Ltd and RWE Renewables UK Dogger Bank South (East) Ltd ("the Applicants") for an Order granting Development Consent for the proposed Dogger Bank South Offshore Wind Farms ("the Proposed Development")

Request for Information RSPB Registration ID: 20050122

I am writing further to your letter dated 6 November 2025 requesting the views of the Applicant and Interested Parties on post-examination documents published on the Dogger Bank South Offshore Wind Farms project page.

Having reviewed the information requested relating to offshore ornithology matters and considered the nature of the further information that will result, the RSPB considers it best to reserve its comments at this stage. We will review the further information submitted by the Applicant and other Interested Parties in due course and, subject to any future consultation, consider how best we can assist the Secretary of State at that stage.

Yours sincerely,

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