APPENDIX D: LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

AA	appropriate assessment (for the purposes of The Conservation of Habitats and Species Regulations 2017)
ADMS-6	atmospheric dispersion modelling software version 6
AEoI	adverse effect(s) on integrity
AGC	Aldeburgh Golf Club
AIL	abnormal indivisible load
ALARP	as low as reasonably practicable
ALC	agricultural land classification
ALSRP	Ash Level and South Richborough Pastures
ANCB	appropriate nature conservation body
AOE	Alde-Ore Estuary
AOI	area of interest
AONB	area of outstanding natural beauty
AP	affected person
AQMA	air quality management area
(o)AQMP	(outline) air quality management plan
AQO	air quality objectives
ASD	areas of safeguarded depth
ASI	accompanied site inspection
ASWD	areas of safeguarded water depth
BCT	Bat Conservation Trust
BFL	Blackheath Farms Limited
BMP	benthic mitigation plans
BMS	biodiversity management strategy
BMV	best and most versatile (agricultural land)
BNG	biodiversity net gain
BoR	Book of Reference
BPM	best practicable means
BWEK	Bird Wise East Kent
CA	compulsory acquisition
CA Guidance	the Department for Community and Local Government's 'Guidance related to procedures for the compulsory acquisition of land' published September 2013
CAH	compulsory acquisition hearing
CBRA	cable burial risk assessment
CCA	county character area
CEA	cumulative effects assessment
CEFAS	Centre for Environment Fisheries and Aquaculture Science
(o)CEMP	(outline) [onshore] construction environmental management plan
CIL	community infrastructure levy
CNP	critical national priority
(o)CNVMP	(outline) construction noise and vibration management plan
CO2	carbon dioxide
CoCP	code of construction practice
CPRE	Campaign to Protect Rural England
CR1	change request 1
CRoW Act	Countryside and Rights of Way Act 2000
(o)CSIP	(outline) cable specification and installation plan
(o)CTMTP	(outline) construction traffic management and travel plan

CWS	County Wildlife Site
dB	decibel
DCF	Development Co-ordination Forum
(d) or (r) DCO	(draft) (recommended) Development Consent Order
DDC	Dover District Council
Defra	Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs
DESNZ	Department for Energy Security and Net Zero
DFMP	drilling fluid management plan
DL	deadline
(d)DML	(draft) Deemed Marine Licence (schedule 16 of the dDCO)
DMO	local destination management organisation
DoL	depth of lowering
EA	Environment Agency
EA1N	East Anglia One North
EA1NL	East Anglia One North Limited
EA2	East Anglia Two
EA2L	East Anglia Two Limited
EA3	East Anglia Three Offshore Wind Farm
EAF	East Atlantic Flyway
ECHR	European Convention on Human Rights
ECoW	ecological clerk of works[LH2.1]
EDR	effective deterrent range
EEA	European Economic Area
EHO	environmental health officer
EIA	environmental impact assessment
EIA Regs	The Infrastructure Planning (EIA) Regulations 2017
EIFCA	Eastern Inshore Fisheries and Conservation Authority
EL	examination library
EM	Explanatory Memorandum
EMF	electro-magnetic field
EN-1	Overarching National Policy Statement (NPS) for Energy (2024)
EN-3	National Policy Statement for Renewable Energy Infrastructure (2024)
EN-5	National Policy Statement for Electricity Networks Infrastructure (2024)
EnvCoW	environmental clerk of works
EPR	The Infrastructure Planning (Examination Procedure) Rules 2010
EPUK	Environmental Protection UK
EqIA	equalities impact assessment
ES	environmental statement
ESC	East Suffolk Council
EU	European Union
EUNIS	European Union Nature Identification Network
ExA	Examining Authority
ExQ1	ExA's first written questions
ExQ2	ExA's second written questions
ExQ3	ExA's third written questions
F-gas	fluorinated gas
FEP	flood emergency plan
FID	flight initiation distance
FLL	functionally linked land
(o)FLCP	(outline) fisheries liaison and coexistence plan

FLO	fisheries liaison officer
FPC	Friston Parish Council
FPGM	flood plain grazing marsh
FRA	flood risk assessment
FSA	formal safety assessment
FTP	furthering the purposes
FZ	flood zone
GHG	greenhouse gas
GI	ground investigation
GIL	gas insulated lines
GIS	gas insulated switchgear
GVA	gross value added
GW	gigawatt
The Habitats Regulations	The Conservation of Habitats and Species Regulations 2017
The Offshore Marine Regulations	The Conservation of Offshore Marine Habitats and Species Regulations 2017
ha	hectare(s)
HDD	horizontal directional drilling
HE	Historic England
HGV	heavy goods vehicle
HHA	Harwich Haven Authority
HND	holistic network design
HRA	habitats regulations assessment
HVAC	high voltage alternating current
HVDC	high voltage direct current
Hz	hertz
IAPI	initial assessment of principal issues
IAQM	Institute for Air Quality Management
ICES	International Council for the Exploration of Seas
IEMA	Institute of Sustainability and Environmental Professional (formerly Institute of Environmental Management and Assessment)
ILP	Institute of Lighting Professionals
IMO	International Maritime Organisation
INNS	invasive non-native species
IP	interested party
(o)IPMP	(outline) in-principle monitoring plan
ISH	issue specific hearing
IUCN	International Union for the Conservation of Nature
JNCC	Joint Nature Conservation Committee
JUV/JUB	jack up vessel/jack up barge
KCC	Kent County Council
KDP	Kent Dolphin Project
KEIFCA	Kent and Essex Inshore Fisheries and Conservation Authority
km	kilometre(s)
KP	kilometre point
kV	kilovolt
KWT	Kent Wildlife Trust
LA SSSI	Leiston-Aldeburgh SSSI

LA90,15min	A-weighted sound pressure level that is exceeded by the residual sound at the assessment location for 90% of a given time interval, T, measured using time weighting F and quoted to the nearest whole number of decibels
LAeq,T	A-weighted continuous equivalent sound pressure level for time interval T
LAQM.TG(22)	Local Air Quality Management Technical Guidance, 2022
LArTr	specific sound level plus any adjustment for the characteristic features of the sound for the reference time interval Tr. BS4142 defines this as 1 hour during the day from 07:00 to 23:00 hours and a shorter period of 15 min at night from 23:00 to 07:00 hours.
LCA	landscape character area
LCeq,T	C-weighted continuous equivalent sound pressure level for time interval T
LCT	landscape character type
(o)LEMP	outline landscape and ecological management plan
LGPL	London Gateway Port Limited
LHA	local highways authority
LiDAR	light detection and ranging
LIR	local impact report
LLFA	lead local flood authority
LMS	landfall method statement
LNR	local nature reserve
LNRS	local nature recovery strategy
LOAEL	lowest observed adverse effect level
LoD	limits of deviation
LPA	local planning authority
LRT	land rights tracker
LSE	likely significant effects
LVEP	local visitor economy partnership
LVIA	landscape and visual impact assessment
LWS	local wildlife site
m	metre(s)
MCA	Maritime and Coastguard Agency
MCAA	Marine and Coastal Access Act 2009
MCC	manual classified counts
MCZ	marine conservation zone
MCZA	marine conservation zone assessment
MDS	maximum design scenario
MHWS	mean high water springs
MinCA	mineral consultation area
(o)MMMP	(outline) marine mammal mitigation plan
MMO	Marine Management Organisation
MPA	marine protected area
MPE	marine physical environment
MU	management unit
MW	megawatt
NCA	national character area
NDHA	non-designated heritage assets
NE	Natural England
Nemo link	Nemo link interconnector
NESO	National Energy Systems Operator
NERC Act	Natural Environment and Rural Communities Act 2006

NFFO	National Federation of Fishermen's Organisations
NFU	National Farmers Union
NGET	National Grid Electricity Transmission
NGV	National Grid Ventures
NIA	noise important area
(o)NIP	(outline) navigation and installation plan
NL	national landscape
nm	nautical mile(s)
NMFS	National Marine Fisheries Service
NNR	national nature reserve
NO2	nitrogen dioxide
NOAA	National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration
NOx	nitrogen oxide
NPPF	national planning policy framework
NPS	national policy statement
NPS EN-1	overarching NPS for Energy
NPS EN-3	NPS for Renewable Energy Infrastructure
NPS EN-5	NPS for Electricity Networks Infrastructure
NPSE	Noise Policy Statement for England
NR	Network Rail
NRA	navigational risk assessment
NRMM	non-road mobile machinery
NSIP	nationally significant infrastructure project
NSN	national site network
NSR	noise sensitive receptor
NT	National Trust
NTS	non-technical summary
NWHS	Natural World Heritage Site
NWL	Northumbrian Water Limited
oCTMTP	outline Constructive Traffic Management and Travel Plan
O&M	operation and maintenance
OD	ordnance datum
Ofgem	Office of Gas and Electricity Markets
(o)OCEMP	(outline) offshore construction environmental management plan
(o)OIMP	outline offshore INNS management plan
OFH	open floor hearing
OFTO	offshore electricity transmission
OHL	overhead line
(o)OLMP	(outline) operational lighting management plan
oRWMP	outline Rights of Way and Management Plan
OSU	other sea users
OTD	operation turtle dove
OTE	Outer Thames Estuary
OWF	offshore wind farm
OWSI	overarching written scheme of investigation
PA2008	Planning Act 2008
PADSS	principal areas of disagreement summary statements
PC	parish council
PD	procedural decision
PEIR	preliminary environmental information report

PLA	Port of London Authority
PLONOR	pose little or no risk
PM	preliminary meeting
PM10	particulate matter which is 10 micrometres or less in diameter
PM2.5	particulate matter which is 2.5 micrometres or less in diameter
PP	protective provisions
PRoW	public right(s) of way
PRoWMP	Public rights of way management plan
PSED	Public Sector Equality Duty
PTS	permanent threshold shift
R	requirement
RAM	restricted in ability to manoeuvre
RCP 8.5	representative concentration pathway
REAC	register of environmental actions and commitments
RIES	report on the implications for European sites
RPA	root protection area
RR	relevant representation
RRZ	recommended restricted zone
RSPB	Royal Society for the Protection of Birds
RTD	red-throated diver
RVP	representative viewpoint
RYA	Royal Yachting Association
s	section
SAC	special area of conservation
SAM	scheduled ancient monument
SASES	Substation Action Save East Suffolk
SBBOT	Sandwich Bay Bird Observatory Trust
SBHM	Sandwich Bay and Hacklinge Marshes
SBP	sub-bottom profiler
SCANS	Small Cetaceans in European Atlantic waters and the North Sea
SCC	Suffolk County Council
SCI	sites of community importance
SCOS	Special Committee on Seals
SEAS	Suffolk Energy Action Solutions Ltd
SECHNL(P)	Suffolk & Essex Coast & Heaths National Landscape (Partnership)
SEL/SELcum	sound exposure level/cumulative sound exposure level
SEN	special educational needs
SF6	sulphur hexafluoride
SFG	Southwold Fishermen's Group
SHC	Suffolk heritage coast
ShMP	Shoreline Management Plan
SMM	Save Minster Marshes
(o)SMP	(outline) soil management plan
SMU	seal management unit
SNCB	statutory nature conservation body
SNS SAC	Southern North Sea Special Area of Conservation
SOAEL	significant observed adverse effect level
SoCG	statement of common ground
SoNLI	schedule of negotiations with land interests
SoR	statement of reasons

SPA	special protection area
SPLpeak	peak sound pressure level
SPP	special parliamentary procedure
SPR	ScottishPower Renewables UK Limited
the SPR parties	SPR, East Anglia ONE North Limited (EA1NL) and East Anglia TWO Limited (EA2L)
SPZ	source protection zone
SSC	suspended sediment concentration
SSCEP	skills, supply chain and employment plan
SSSI	site of special scientific interest
STC	Saxmundham Town Council
SU	statutory undertaker
SuDS	sustainable drainage systems
TCE	The Crown Estate
tCO2e	tonnes of carbon dioxide equivalent
TCPA	Town and Country Planning Act
TCSB	Thanet Coast and Sandwich Bay
TDC	Thanet District Council
TDFZ	turtle dove friendly zone
TECFO	Thames Estuary Cockle Fishery Order
TeFA	Tenant Farmers Association
TEZ	temporary exclusion zone
TFA	Thanet Fishermen's Association
TJB	transition joint bay
TP	temporary possession
UK	United Kingdom
UKCP18	UK Climate Projections 2018
UK NSN	network of European sites within the UK
USI	unaccompanied site inspection
UU	unilateral undertaking
UXO	unexploded ordnance
WFD	Water Framework Directive
WHO	World Health Organisation
WHS	World Heritage Site
WNEL	William Notcutt Estates Limited
WR	written representation
WSI	written scheme of investigation
WWTP	wastewater treatment plant
ZoI	zones of influence
ZTV	zone of theoretical visibility
µg/m3	micrograms per metres cubed