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### CALEDONIA NORTH OFFSHORE WIND FARM LIMITED

### **ELECTRICITY ACT 1989**

## **MARINE (SCOTLAND) ACT 2010**

### **MARINE AND COASTAL ACCESS ACT 2009**

# THE ELECTRICITY WORKS (ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT) (SCOTLAND) REGULATIONS 2017

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### THE ELECTRICITY (APPLICATIONS FOR CONSENT) REGULATIONS 1990

Notice is hereby given that Caledonia Offshore Wind Farm Limited, registered under company registration 13844888 at 5th Floor, Atria One, 144 Morrison Street, Edinburgh, EH3 8EX, has applied to the Scottish Ministers for:

- consent under section 36 of the Electricity Act 1989; and
- marine licences under section 20 of the Marine (Scotland) Act 2010 and section 65 of the Marine and Coastal Access Act 2009;

to construct and operate Caledonia North Offshore Wind Farm, an Offshore Wind Farm in the Outer Moray Firth, Scotland, approximately 28km from Wick and 48km from Banff with a total area of 218.5km² (central latitude and longitude co-ordinates: 58°14.903'N 2°31.868'W (WGS84). The installed capacity of the proposed generating station would be approximately 900MW-1,100 MW comprising of up to 77 wind turbine generators with a maximum height of 355 metres above mean sea level.

The proposed development is subject to an environmental impact assessment ("EIA") under the EIA regulations listed above and is likely to have significant effects on the environment in an European Economic Area State.

Copies of the applications including plans detailing the location, together with a copy of the EIA report discussing Caledonia Offshore Wind Farm Limited's proposed development in more detail and presenting an analysis of the environmental implications, are available for inspection electronically, free of charge at:

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Location	Address	Opening Hours
Wick	East Caithness	Monday: 07:00 - 12:30; 14:45 - 20:30
Library	Community Facility,	Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday: 07:00 - 20:30
	7 Newton Rd,	Friday: 07:00 - 12:30; 14:45 - 20:30
	Wick	Saturday, Sunday: 10:00 - 16:00
	KW1 5SA	
Buckie	Cluny Place	Monday: 10:00 - 20:00
Library	Buckie	Tuesday: 10:00 - 17:00
	AB56 1HB	Wednesday: 10:00 - 20:00
		Thursday: 10:00 - 17:00
		Friday: Closed
		Saturday: 10:00 - 12:00
Banff	High Street	Monday: Closed
Library	Banff	Tuesday: 09:00 - 12.30; 13:00 - 17:00
	AB45 1AE	Wednesday: 14:00 – 18:30
		Thursday, Friday: Closed
		Saturday: 09:30 - 12:00
		Sunday: Closed
Turiff	Grange Villa	Monday: 10:00 – 18:00
Library	The Square	Tuesday: Closed
	Turriff	Wednesday: 09:30 - 13:30
	AB53 4AE	Thursday: Closed
		Friday: 09:00 – 17:00
		Saturday, Sunday: Closed

The EIA report can also be viewed online at <a href="https://marine.gov.scot/ml/caledonia-offshore-wind-farm">https://www.caledonia-offshore-wind.com/</a>. Copies of the EIA report may also be obtained from Caledonia Offshore Wind Farm Limited (email: <a href="mailto:caledonia.info@oceanwinds.com">caledonia.info@oceanwinds.com</a>; tel: 0131 228 2672) at a charge of £6,000 hard copy and £10 on USB stick (including post and packaging). Copies of a short non-technical summary are available free of charge.

Any representations should be made in writing to the Scottish Ministers by email to: <a href="MD.MarineRenewables@gov.scot">MD.MarineRenewables@gov.scot</a> or by post to Marine Directorate - Licensing Operations Team, Scottish Government, 375 Victoria Road, Aberdeen, AB11 9DB, identifying the proposed development and specifying the grounds for the representation, not later than 3 February 2025. The Scottish Ministers may however consider representations received after this date. Representations should be dated and should clearly state the name (in block capitals) and the email or postal address of those making the representation.

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Subsequent submission by Caledonia Offshore Wind Farm Limited of additional or further information (as defined in the above EIA regulations) to the Scottish Ministers will be publicised in a similar manner to the current application including publication on the above websites. Representations relative to additional or further information should be made on the same basis as detailed above.

Where the Scottish Ministers decide to exercise their discretion to do so the Scottish Ministers can cause a Public Local Inquiry ("PLI") to be held.

Having considered the applications, the environmental information and the above legislation together with any representations received, the Scottish Ministers may:

- Consent to the proposed development, with or without conditions attached; or
- Reject the proposed development.

### Fair Processing Notice

The Scottish Government's Marine Directorate - Licensing Operations Team ("MD-LOT") determine applications for marine licences under the Marine (Scotland) Act 2010 and the Marine and Coastal Access Act 2009 and section 36 consents under The Electricity Act 1989. During the consultation process any person having an interest in the outcome of the application may make a representation to MD-LOT. The representation may contain personal information, for example a name or address. This representation will only be used for the purpose of determining an application and will be stored securely in the Scottish Government's official corporate record. Representations will be shared with the applicant and/or agent acting on behalf of the applicant, any people or organisations that we consult in relation to the application, the Directorate of Planning and Environmental Appeals should the Scottish Ministers call a PLI and, where necessary, be published online, however personal information will be removed before sharing or publishing.

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