

DOGGER BANK WIND FARM

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Dear Gareth Rees,

Dogger Bank Creyke Beck Offshore Wind Farm Order 2015 – Non-material Change Application

We act on behalf of Doggerbank Offshore Wind Farm Project 1 Projco Limited (“Projco 1”) and Doggerbank Offshore Wind Farm Project 2 Projco Limited (“Projco 2”) who have the benefit of the Dogger Bank Creyke Offshore Wind Farm Order 2015 (as amended) (the “DCO”).

A non-material change (“NMC”) application to amend the DCO has been submitted to the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero (DESNZ) by Projco 1 and Projco 2.

Previous NMC applications have already been submitted to (and approved by) the Secretary of State for the following changes to the DCO:

- on 9 April 2019, to allow each wind turbine generator to have a maximum rotor diameter of up to 280 metres;³³⁴
- on 20 March 2020, to remove the maximum generating capacity for both wind farms;³³⁵ and
- on 17 June 2022, to increase the maximum permitted hammer energy during the installation of the wind turbine and electricity substation (platform) structures.³³⁶

A further NMC application is now being sought to amend the wording of certain definitions, articles and paragraphs of schedules, to allow the two parts of the development (known as the Dogger Bank A Offshore Windfarm Project, or DBA, and the Dogger Bank B Offshore Windfarm Project, or DBB) to be considered as distinct from one another, and for the discharge and enforcement of each project’s relevant requirements (including the acquisition of each project’s transmission assets) to be distinct from the other project.

This change does not amend any project parameters of either DBA or DBB. As set out within the application documents, this amendment will comprise a “non-material” change as defined in the

³³⁴ The Dogger Bank Creyke Beck Offshore Wind Farm (Amendment) Order 2019.

³³⁵ The Dogger Bank Creyke Beck Offshore Wind Farm (Amendment) Order 2020.

³³⁶ The Dogger Bank Creyke Beck Offshore Wind Farm (Amendment) Order 2022.

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Planning Act 2008 and The Infrastructure Planning (Changes to, and Revocation of, Development Consent Orders) Regulations 2011 (as amended) (the “2011 Regulations”).

You are being formally consulted by the Projects on this change as you meet the criteria set out under Regulation 7(2) of the 2011 Regulations, which means you satisfy one of the following criteria:

1. you are a person for whose benefit the DCO has effect;
2. you are a person that was, in accordance with section 56, notified of the application for the DCO; or
3. you are a person who may be directly affected by the changes proposed in the NMC.

Alongside this letter we have included the Regulation 6 Notice that has been published in Fishing News, Bridlington Free Press and The Holderness and Hornsea Gazette.

It is possible to access all of the application documents at the “documents” tab on the National Infrastructure Planning Portal (Dogger Bank Creyke Beck) page here: <https://national-infrastructure-consenting.planninginspectorate.gov.uk/projects/EN010021>.

Please send any representations about the application by email to:

DBCreykeBeck@planninginspectorate.gov.uk

Or in writing to:

Major Applications & Plans, The Planning Inspectorate, Temple Quay House, 2 The Square Temple Quay, Bristol BS1 6PN.

Please quote ‘*Dogger Bank Creyke Beck*’ on any correspondence. Any representations received by the Secretary of State in response to the consultation will be published on the Planning Inspectorate’s Infrastructure Planning Portal (<https://national-infrastructure-consenting.planninginspectorate.gov.uk/>) with all personal information removed.

The deadline for receipt of representations is 23:59 on 23 May 2025.

Please do not hesitate to contact the team at DoggerBankConsentsConsultations@sse.com if you have any queries in relation to the matters discussed above.

Yours sincerely



Dorothee Neun on Behalf of Dogger Bank Wind Farm

SECTION 153 OF THE PLANNING ACT 2008

**REGULATION 6 OF THE INFRASTRUCTURE PLANNING (CHANGES TO, AND
REVOCATION OF, DEVELOPEMNT CONSENT ORDERS) REGULATIONS 2011**

**NOTICE OF APPLICATION TO MAKE A NON-MATERIAL CHANGE TO THE
FOLLOWING DEVELOPMENT CONSENT ORDER:**

**THE DOGGER BANK CREYKE BECK OFFSHORE WIND FARM ORDER 2015 (AS
AMENDED) (S.I. 2015/318)**

REF: EN010021

1. An application has been made by Doggerbank Offshore Wind Farm Project 1 Projco Limited ("Projco 1") and Doggerbank Offshore Wind Farm Project 2 Projco Limited ("Projco 2") (together the "Applicant") to the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero to make a non-material change ("NMC") to the above mentioned Development Consent Order (the "DCO") (ref: EN010021).
2. The DCO granted development consent to Doggerbank Project 1 Bizco Limited ("Bizco 1") for "Project A" and Doggerbank Project 4 Bizco Limited ("Bizco 4") for "Project B" – two offshore wind turbine generating stations each comprising up to 200 wind turbine generators and associated development in the Dogger Bank Zone and the East Riding of Yorkshire. Bizco 1 was renamed at Companies House as Projco 1, and Project A was renamed Dogger Bank A (herein "DBA"). Bizco 4 was renamed at Companies House as Projco 2 and Project B was renamed Dogger Bank B (herein "DBB").
3. The application seeks to make non-material changes to the drafting of the DCO by amending the wording of certain definitions, articles and paragraphs of schedules to allow DBA and DBB to be considered separately, and for the discharge and enforcement of each project's relevant requirements to be distinct from the other project.
4. The contact details of the Applicant are:

Doggerbank Offshore Wind Farm Project 1 Projco Limited and Doggerbank Offshore Wind Farm Project 2 Projco Limited at No. 1 Forbury Place 43 Forbury Road, Reading, United Kingdom, RG1 3JH.
5. Email contact is possible by contacting:

DoggerBankConsentsConsultations@sse.com.
6. The application documents and details of the changes proposed by this NMC Application are available for inspection, free of charge, at the "Documents" tab on the National Infrastructure Planning Portal's Dogger Bank Creyke Beck page here:

<https://national-infrastructure-consenting.planninginspectorate.gov.uk/projects/EN010021>
7. For general enquiries on how to obtain any of the documents or on the information contained within them, please contact the Applicant (DoggerBankConsentsConsultations@sse.com).
8. A free digital copy of the application documents can also be obtained from the Applicant using the contact details provided above. This will be available until the deadline for responses set out below closes. Alternatively, a paper copy can be obtained from the Applicant for a charge of £300.

9. Please send any representations about the application by email to the Planning Inspectorate at:
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10. The deadline for receipt of representations is 23:59 on 23 May 2025.

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