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Sorry 11(2)-Personal Data ,

I've been meaning to get back to you on this. Afraid things have been a bit hectic. We are hoping to have a quick discussion about it all tomorrow and should be able to get back to you quickly thereafter.

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Hi 11(2)-Personal Data

I wanted to flag some detail from our draft ScotWind Leasing documents re. how we intent to communicate DPO area limits. This is to make sure the plan-level mitigation measure "Limiting the total scale of operational development within each DPO to the maximum realistic development scenario set out in the SEA" is accurately captured in the leasing documentation.

As far as we are aware these DPO area limits are not included in the published SMP documents, so the SWL Offer Document will be the first time they are communicated publicly. Because of this we wanted to share our current

thinking with you – please see below a table detailing the seabed leasing limit per DPO that we will include in the Offer Doc and a summary of the text that will be used to explain how these limits were set (the document is still in draft so we don't have final wording yet).

DPO seabed leasing limits:

| DPO | Seabed Leasing Limit (km ²) |
|-----|---|
| E1 | 2580 |
| E2 | 1287 |
| E3 | 474 |
| NE1 | 776 |
| NE2 | 464 |
| NE3 | 339 |
| NE4 | 440 |
| NE5 | 495 |
| NE6 | 699 |
| NE7 | 1029 |
| NE8 | 400 |
| N1 | 1202 |
| N2 | 560 |
| N3 | 1720 |
| N4 | 200 |
| W1 | 1107 |
| SW1 | 292 |

- The SMP includes provision that ScotWind Leasing can make available an area of up to 8,600 km² of seabed for Option Agreements to support the development of up to 10 GW of total generating capacity.
- Further alignment with the SMP will be necessary to ensure Option Agreements do not exceed realistic maximum development scenarios within each DPO.
- DPO seabed leasing limits will be implemented by Crown Estate Scotland based on realistic maximum development scenarios stated in the SMP.
- These limits have been set using the same methodology to relate intended operating capacity to seabed area that was used in the SMP to establish the national limits.
- The areas identified in the table below represent the km² corresponding to realistic maximum development scenario in the SMP or the total area of the DPO, whichever is lower.
- Crown Estate Scotland require that the area of an individual application does not exceed 860 km².

Hopefully this makes sense but please shout if you have any comments/concerns.

Thanks!

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