Appendix 9.3 Record of Baseline Noise Survey

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NOISE SURVEY RECORD SHEET



| Project Title: Faray Project Number: 1677 | | | | |
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| Monitoring Location No. | NMP2 – Fers Ness | Time & Date (start of measurement): | 18/08/2020 09:50 | |
| GPS Coordinates: | HY53070,33775 | Time & Date (end of measurement): | 07/10/2020 10:30 | |
| Calibration check (pre-measurement): | 94.0 | Calibration check (post-measurement): | 94.0 | |
| Weather conditions (at commissioning) | | | | |
| Wind (light/med/strong/km/h): | Light – moderate. South-easterly | Temperature (°C): | 16 | |
| Rain: | Dry | Cloud (% cover): | 100% (fog) | |
| Ambient Noise Environment | | | | |
| Dominant noise source(s): | Noise from cattle (eating, moving around) | | | |
| Other audible noise sources: Tonality, frequency of occurrence, description of noise (e.g. drone/whistle/hum/banging) | Bird calls – nearby ducks and geese and more distant sparrows & wild birds | | | |
| | Distant/indistinct farm machinery | | | |
| | Landowner noted that tractor would be in use passing monitoring position occasionally | | | |
| | Existing turbine inaudible at monitoring position (wind blowing from NMP up-wind of turbine) and screened entirely from view by steading | | | |
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| Project Title: Faray | Project Number: 1677 | | | | |
|--|--|--|------------------|--|--|
| Monitoring Location No. | NMP1 - Shoehall | Time & Date (start of measurement): | 18/08/2020 12:30 | | |
| GPS Coordinates: | HY55650,36251 | Time & Date (end of measurement): | 07/10/2020 10:00 | | |
| Calibration check (pre-measurement): | 94.0 | Calibration check (post-measurement): | 94.0 | | |
| Weather conditions (at commissioning) | | | | | |
| Wind (light/med/strong/km/h): | Light – moderate south-easterly | Temperature (°C): | 16 | | |
| Rain: | Dry | Cloud (% cover): | 80 | | |
| Ambient Noise Environment | | | | | |
| Dominant noise source(s): | Wind-induced buffeting, wind-induced rustling of vegetation. | | | | |
| | Noise from existing turbine at Newark (south-east of NMP) is barely audible under down-wind conditions. Monitoring position selected such that outbuilding provides screening noise from small turbine at Bredakirk such that it is inaudible in cross-wind conditions at time of installation). | | | | |
| Other audible noise sources: Tonality, frequency of occurrence, | Bird calls and noise from the sea are lesser contributors to overall noise levels | | | | |
| description of noise (e.g. drone/whistle/hum/banging) | | | | | |
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