

# ENVIRONMENT & INFRASTRUCTURE

## ENERGY

**GALLOPER OFFSHORE WIND LTD.  
GALLOPER OFFSHORE WIND FARM  
NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR SAFETY ZONE SCHEME DURING  
THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE GALLOPER OFFSHORE WIND  
FARM IN THE OUTER THAMES ESTUARY  
THE ELECTRICITY (OFFSHORE GENERATING STATIONS)  
(SAFETY ZONES) (APPLICATIONS PROCEDURES AND CONTROL  
OF ACCESS) REGULATIONS 2007 (SI NO 2007/1948)**

Notice is hereby given that GALLOPER OFFSHORE WIND LTD (Registration Number 7320597), whose registered office is at Windmill Hill Business Park, Whitehill Way, Swindon SN5 6PB, has applied for: A notice from the Department of Energy and Climate Change as set out in the Energy Act 2004 and the Electricity (Offshore Generating Stations) (Safety Zones) (Application Procedures and Control of Access) Regulations 2007 (SI No 2007/1948) declaring a Safety Zone scheme to be in place during the construction of the consented Galloper Offshore Wind Farm.

Galloper Offshore Wind Limited has submitted an application to the Department of Energy and Climate Change for consent to implement a 'rolling' 500m navigational safety zone around offshore renewable installations where vessels are engaged in construction of offshore wind turbines and an offshore substation. Once an activity has been completed in a specific location, the safety zone will then 'roll on' to cover the next location within the site in which a construction activity is taking place. For partially completed infrastructure unaccompanied by a construction vessel a 50m navigational safety zone has been applied for.

Copies of the Safety Zone Application can be found at [www.galloperwindfarm.com/documents](http://www.galloperwindfarm.com/documents) on the current consultations webpage or can be provided by writing to FAO Offshore Consents Manager, Galloper Offshore Wind Limited, Windmill Hill Business Park, Whitehill Way, Swindon. SN5 6PB.

Any person wishing to make representations to the Secretary of State about the application should do so in writing to the Secretary of State for Energy and Climate Change, c/o National Infrastructure Consents Team, 3 Whitehall Place, London SW1A 2AW, e-mail: [deccnic@decc.gsi.gov.uk](mailto:deccnic@decc.gsi.gov.uk) stating the name of the proposal and nature of their representations, not later than 20<sup>th</sup> April 2016.

The National Infrastructure Consents Team will co-ordinate the receipt of any representations and will pass to the applicant a copy of any representations received unless the person or persons making the representations expressly request that their comments should not be copied to the applicant. (2500543)

## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

**THE PLANNING INSPECTORATE  
PLANNING ACT 2008 (AS AMENDED)  
REGULATION 24 OF THE INFRASTRUCTURE PLANNING  
(ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT) REGULATIONS 2009  
(AS AMENDED)**

**NOTIFICATION OF INFORMATION ABOUT DEVELOPMENT  
LIKELY TO HAVE SIGNIFICANT EFFECTS ON THE  
ENVIRONMENT IN ANOTHER EEA STATE  
PROPOSED EAST ANGLIA THREE OFFSHORE WIND FARM**

The Planning Inspectorate has accepted for examination an application by **East Anglia THREE Limited** for an order granting development consent for the East Anglia THREE Offshore Wind Farm. The application is for an order granting development consent to construct and operate the proposed East Anglia THREE Offshore Windfarm. The windfarm would comprises up to 172 wind turbine generators and associated infrastructure, with an installed capacity of up to 1,200 MW. The offshore array element of the windfarm would be located in the North Sea, approximately 69km from the coast at Lowestoft, Suffolk, and cover an area of approximately 305km<sup>2</sup>. The

application includes the offshore array, related offshore and onshore export cables, an onshore substation, and any further works to lay or to pull the onshore cables through any (previously laid) onshore ducts and for directly laying cables at the substation. The 166km offshore cable route would make landfall at Bawdsey, Suffolk. The onshore cables would be buried along a 37km cable route to a substation near Bramford, Suffolk.

Information about the proposed development and its likely significant effects is available in the application documents and Environmental Statement for the proposed development, which are available electronically on the Planning Inspectorate's website:

<http://infrastructure.planninginspectorate.gov.uk/projects/eastern/east-anglia-three-offshore-wind-farm/?ipcsection=docs>

and in hard copy at the following location:

The Planning Inspectorate, Temple Quay House, Temple Quay, Bristol BS1 6PN

Based on the current information provided by the applicant to the Secretary of State, and applying a precautionary approach, the Secretary of State is of the view that the proposed development is likely to have significant effects on the environment in the Netherlands, Belgium, Denmark, France, Germany, Norway, Sweden, and Ireland. In accordance with Regulation 24 of the EIA Regulations the Secretary of State has provided information to the above mentioned EEA States about the proposed development and its likely significant effects. These States have been asked, where they have not already done so, to indicate by 21 April 2016 whether or not they wish to participate in the procedure for examining and determining the application under the Planning Act 2008 (as amended) (PA 2008) and Regulation 24 of the Infrastructure Planning (Environmental Impact Assessment) Regulations 2009 (as amended) (EIA Regulations). This Regulation transposes Article 7 of EU Directive 85/337/EC as amended into the legislation of England, Wales and Scotland.

The application is being examined in public and, subject to the provisions of the PA 2008, the examination will be completed within a period of six months. Further information about how to participate in the examination procedure under the PA 2008 and the way in which the Secretary of State notifies and consults EEA States in accordance with Regulation 24 of the EIA Regulations is available on the Planning Inspectorate's website: <http://infrastructure.planningportal.gov.uk/> Following examination of the application and having taken the environmental information into consideration, the decision maker may refuse or grant development consent. If development consent is granted, this may be subject to requirements which, if necessary, will secure measures to avoid, reduce or offset the major adverse effects of the proposed development.

Date: 16 March 2016

Signed by the Planning Inspectorate for and on behalf of the Secretary of State for Communities and Local Government (2500558)

## Planning

### TOWN PLANNING

**DEPARTMENT FOR TRANSPORT  
TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 1990**

The Secretary of State gives notice of an Order made under Section 247 of the above Act entitled "The Stopping up of Highway (North West) (No.08) Order 2016" authorising the stopping up of a length of the unnamed highway which extends from its junction with Oldfield Road and lies north of Hampson Street at Salford, in the City of Salford to enable development as permitted by Salford City Council, under reference 14/65457/OUTEIA.

Copies of the Order may be obtained, free of charge, from the Secretary of State, National Transport Casework Team, Tyneside House, Skinnerburn Road, Newcastle Business Park, Newcastle upon Tyne NE4 7AR or [nationalcasework@dft.gsi.gov.uk](mailto:nationalcasework@dft.gsi.gov.uk) (quoting NATTRAN/NW/S247/2115) and may be inspected during normal opening hours at Salford City Council, Salford Civic Centre, Chorley Road, Swinton, Salford, M27 5AW.