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Our ref: CML2125v2

Date: 20 June 2024

Dear Sam Rees,

MARINE AND COASTAL ACCESS ACT 2009: PART 4 – MARINE LICENSING

LICENCE FOR Swansea University to carry out the Seagrass Restoration Project at Porthdinllaen

LICENCE NUMBER: CML2125v2

I am pleased to advise you that the Marine Licensing Team within Natural Resources Wales, on behalf of the Welsh Ministers, as Licensing Authority, has considered **Swansea University** variation application dated **11 March 2024** and duly made on **01 May 2024**, requesting a change to the methodology to a Marine Licence under Part 4 of the Marine and Coastal Access Act 2009, and hereby grant the Marine Licence for you to undertake the above stated works.

Accordingly, please find attached for your review and retention a copy of Marine Licence **CML2125v2** and its conditions. Please note that Marine Licence **CML2125v2** supersedes Marine Licence **CML2125v1** in its entirety.

The Licence has been varied altering the Licensed Activities to increase the seagrass harvesting area from 100m² to 10,000m².

The following additional licence condition has also been attached to the licence following a request from the MCA.

*The Licence Holder must ensure that notification is sent to The Source Data Receipt team, UK Hydrographic Office (email: sdr@ukho.gov.uk) at least **10 days** prior to commencement of the Licensed Activities, or an individual phase of the Licensed Activities, is expected to commence. The information supplied must include the start date and end date, a description of the works, positions of the work area (WGS84), and details of any marking arrangements.*

Advisory Note

Marine Licence, **CML2125v2**, constitutes a statutory consent; therefore the conditions set out herein must be complied with in full and will be binding upon any agent or contractor who undertakes any activity on the project on your behalf.

Marine Licence, **CML2125v2** is solely granted for the work to be undertaken with the area specified in the Licence; however, it does not absolve you from applying for further consents or licences as necessary to enable the full completion of your project.

If the works authorised by this Licence are unlikely to be completed by the expiry date, the Licence Holder should apply for a replacement marine licence **at least 4 months** prior to the expiry date of this Licence.

Should you require clarification as to the reasons for the inclusion of any of the conditions attached to the Licence then you must request written notice within 28 days of the receipt of this letter.

Finally, once again, please ensure you have read and understood Marine Licence **CML2125v2**. Should you have any queries with regards to your Marine Licence then please do not hesitate to contact the Marine Licensing Team.

If you have any questions about your permits or licenses and/or site management, please contact our Customer Care Centre on 03000 653 000.

Yours sincerely

Joe Thomas

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Natural Resources Wales