

APPLICATION FOR A MARINE LICENCE FOR MARINE WORKS

Marine Works include, but are not limited to, coast defences, beneficial uses of dredged materials, subsea cables, pontoons, jetties, land reclamation, grab samples and outfall pipes under the Marine and Coastal Access Act 2009

Please read the notes carefully before completing the form.

- The Marine Licensing Team (MLT) administers Part 4 of the Marine and Coastal Access Act 2009 on behalf of the Licensing Authority, the Welsh Ministers.
- The completed application form must be accompanied by a location plan and, where appropriate, descriptive drawing(s) and any supporting environmental assessments. One completed hard copy of the application and supporting documents will always be required. Additional copies are required for consultation purposes.
 - For application and supporting documents less than 10MB we can accept an additional copy via email.
 - For applications larger than 10MB **16** additional copies in CD/DVD format will be required
 - When applications and supporting documents are hard copy only **16** copies will be required.
- Please submit applications to the **Permit Receipt Centre** via the details at the top of this form
- Please submit marine licence applications, including this form and all supporting documents, **at least 4 months before the licence is required.**

Some projects may raise matters that require a significantly longer time for consideration. These are most likely to be:

- Projects that fall **within** The Marine Works (Environmental Impact Assessment) Regulations 2007 – as amended requiring an Environmental Statement
- Large scale projects with substantial volumes of material being deposited or excavated
- Works requiring an Appropriate Assessment to be conducted under The Conservation of Habitats and Species Regulations 2017.
- Information should be provided about the anticipated **duration of the entire project** in respect of works below/seaward of Mean High Water Spring (MHWS). Where appropriate, planned phasing of the work for which consent is sought must be detailed. For projects lasting more than one calendar year, planned phasing details must be given for each 12 month period.

A licence fee is payable in respect of an application. Details of fees can be found on our web pages.

Please note applications will not be processed without the correct relevant fee or invoicing details.

- Payments can be made via Cheque, BACS or credit/debit card.
 - Cheques should be crossed and made payable to **Natural Resources Wales.**
 - For BACS payments ensure you provide the reference number (not remittance number)

- For credit/debit card payments please complete the CC1 form and submit with the application. The CC1 form can be found on our web pages

Further information on payment methods can be found on our web pages

- **All activities need to comply with the Water Framework Directive (WFD). The framework and guidance can be found on the Natural Resources Wales website, <http://naturalresources.wales>. The results of your WFD assessment must be attached to your marine licence application.**
- Please answer all questions. If any information is not available at the time of application please indicate in the relevant section, giving reasoning in a covering letter. Outstanding details must be submitted as soon as possible. Any delay in forwarding details is likely to result in delays in determining your application.

Your application may not be considered complete and therefore not processed until key information has been submitted. Your application may be returned if you fail to submit outstanding information within given timescales.

- Please note any licence may have conditions that must be discharged before works can commence. This will take additional time.
- If you have any queries with regards to completing this application please contact the MLT: marinelicensing@naturalresourceswales.gov.uk

How your application will be processed by the MLT:

- Submit all application to the **Permit Receipt Centre** via the details at the top of this form.
- Checked and acknowledged by the MLT within 21 days of receipt of application and payment
- If the application is complete and no further information is needed at this time, your application will be placed in a work queue to be assigned a permitting officer
- If the application is not complete, further information will be request and need to be provided before the application can be considered as complete
- Our **4 months** service level for determining non-EIA applications will begin from the date the **completed** application is received (*Please note some projects may take significantly longer than 4 months to determine due to their nature*)
- EIA projects may take significantly longer due to their scale and complexity. Therefore we encourage early engagement with the MLT
- Your application and supporting documents will be sent to for an initial consultation period of 28 days (*42 days for EIA projects*)
- For the majority of projects, a public notice must be advertised. Public consultation will be 28 days (*49 days for EIA projects*).
For EIA projects a second public notice will be required. The MLT will advise on how this should be done.
- Responses to consultation will be considered and additional information requested at this time, if necessary.

- A decision on your Marine Licence Application will be made

All information submitted may be referred to within a licence, therefore all works must be in accordance with this information, unless otherwise agreed with NRW acting on behalf of the Licensing Authority during the determination process.

It is the responsibility of the applicant to obtain any other consents/authorisations that may be required.

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Check List

Please ensure that you have included all the necessary information before you submit your application. **If any of the below are not completed in the application form, the application is likely to be considered incomplete and may be returned to you**

Item	Yes (✓)
The applicant is a legal entity?	Yes
The declaration is signed by the applicant?	Yes
Is the application fee correct?	Yes
Are the grid references/coordinates correct?	Yes
Do the coordinates match map locations?	Yes
Have all the relevant supporting documents been submitted?	Yes
Has a clear methodology been provided in the application form?	Yes
Has Protected sites information been included?	Yes
Has a Water Framework Directive (WFD) assessment been submitted?	Yes
Are all the continuation sheets for application questions appended with correct corresponding numbers?	N/a

Should you have any queries regarding your application please contact the MLT via marinelicensing@naturalresourceswales.gov.uk

1. Project Description and Cost

1 (a). Project Name

Morgan and Mona Offshore Wind Farms 2022 Environmental and Geotechnical Survey Works

1(b). Please provide a brief description of the proposed project, including location

Environmental and geotechnical surveys in relation to the Round 4 preferred bidders, bp and EnBW joint venture offshore wind farms, Mona and Morgan, located in the Irish Sea. The survey works are required to inform the engineering design and environmental impact assessments that will be undertaken to support the offshore wind farm developments. The environmental and geotechnical surveys will take place within the Mona and Morgan bidding areas, in the zone of influence around the bidding areas, and along potential export cable corridor routes.

This application is for the removal of sediment through the use of grab samples and vibrocores within Welsh waters.

1(c). Please provide an estimated gross cost of the project (Inc. materials and labour) for works that fall below/seaward of Mean High Water Springs (MHWS)

Works subject to tender

2. Applicant Details

To whom the licence will be issued. *This must be a legal entity such as an individual, registered company/ charity or public body.*

Title Ms

Full Name Lucy Harper

Company or Trading Name

Mona Offshore Wind Limited

Company Registration Number (if applicable)

13497266

Name of Contact or individual (if different)

Position in Company

Consenting Manager

Address inc. postcode (provide registered Company address if applicable)

Chertsey Rd
Sunbury-on-Thames
TW16 7LN

Telephone Number

+44 (0)20 3683 3881

Email Address

lucy.harper@uk.bp.com

3. Details of Agent, Contractor, Vehicles and/or Vessels used to carry out works

3(a). Agent Details

This is who we will correspond with unless otherwise informed. If no agent we will contact the applicant.

Title

Full Name

Kat Route-Stephens

Company or Trading Name

MarineSpace Ltd

Company Registration Number (if applicable)

5945946

Name of Contact or individual (if different)

Position in Company

Senior Marine Consultant

Address (Inc. postcode)

Marine Energy Hub, Second Floor, Pier House, Pier Road, Pembroke Dock, Pembrokeshire, SA72 6TR

Telephone Number

07388 171855

Email Address

Kat.routestephens@marinespace.co.uk

3(b). Does the Applicant wish to be included in all correspondence? Yes ☒ No ☐

3(c). Contractor Details

In order for contractors to benefit from the licence permission, details must be provided. Any details not provided with application must be confirmed before operations commence.

Contractor Company or Trading Name	Address
TBC	

3(d). Will the works require the use of vessels?

Yes ☒

No ☐

3(d) (i). Vessel Details (if applicable and available)

In order for contractors to benefit from the licence permission, details must be provided.

Any details not provided with application must be confirmed before operations commence.

Operator	Name of Vessel	Type of Vessel	Vessel Registration Number	Country of Registration
TBC				

3(e). Will the works require the use of vehicle?

Yes ☐ No ☒

3(e) (i). Vehicle Details (if applicable and available) to be used below MHWS

In order for contractors to benefit from the licence permission, details must be provided.

Any details not provided with application must be confirmed before operations commence.

Operator	Type/Description of Vehicle

3(f). If the contractor or vessels or vehicles are not known at the application stage, when do you expect to provide these details?

These details will need to be confirmed prior to the licence and operations commencement

Contract and vessel details will be confirmed in April 2022 and will be provided prior to the works commencing.

4. Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA)

Certain projects, due to their scale, location and/or nature, may require an EIA under the Environmental Impact Assessment Directive (Directive 85/337/EEC – as amended). If a project qualifies under EIA, an Environmental Statement (ES) must be prepared and submitted with the application.

Projects that fall within Annex I of the Directive automatically require an EIA. Projects that fall within Annex II of the Directive are assessed on a case-by-case basis for the requirement for an EIA to be undertaken.

4(a). Do you consider the works to be under the Environmental Impact Assessment Directive (Directive 85/337/EEC – as amended)? Yes ☐ No ☒

4(a) (i) If Yes, which Annex does the proposal fall under? Annex I ☐ Annex II ☐

4(a) (ii) Which number(s) within the Annex does the proposal relate to?

4(b). Have you applied for a screening or scoping opinion from the MLT under the Marine Works (Environmental Impact Assessment) Regulations 2007 (as amended)? Yes ☐ No ☒

4(b) (i). If Yes, please provide the reference number

4(c). Has an Environmental Impact Assessment been undertaken? Yes ☐ No ☒

4(c)(i). If Yes, has an Environmental Statement been submitted to support this Marine Licence application? Yes ☐ No ☐

4(d). If an Environmental Impact Assessment has been undertaken, but an ES has not been submitted, please provide an explanation

Please continue on a separate sheet if necessary. Please tick if you have done this ☐

5. Licensable Period

Determination of applications will be based on the works taking place during these dates. Please ensure you have included an adequate contingency period. If works are not completed by the Requested Licence Expiry Date you may be required to submit a new application. *Including a contingency period within your original application does not impact on Licence Fee*

Start Date 01 April 2022

Requested Licence Expiry Date

31 March 2023

*Please ensure you submit your application for a Marine Licence **at least 4 months** prior to the intended start date. Some projects, such as EIA projects, will take significantly longer to determine.*

6. Project Description

6(a). Please give a description of the proposed project.

This should include the purpose of the project, estimated timescales of construction and operation, and broken down by the phases of works, if applicable.

Details should include, but not be limited to, dimensions of project, quantity of material being deposited and removed.

To inform the development of the Morgan and Mona offshore wind farms, including the engineering design of the projects and the environmental impact assessments, bp and EnBW intend to carry out the following offshore surveys in spring and summer 2022.

Environmental Surveys

- Grab samples up to a maximum of 155 samples each a maximum of 0.1m³
- Drop Down Video / Camera

The environmental surveys will cover the potential export cable corridors and the zone of influence around the Morgan and Mona bidding areas. The environmental survey will also look to re-sample a small number of locations within the Morgan and Mona bidding areas that were sampled in 2021.

Geotechnical Surveys

- Vibrocores, up to a maximum of 110 samples, to an approximate depth of 6 m and 7.5 cm diameter; and
- Cone penetration test (CPT), to an approximate depth of 6 m.

The geotechnical survey will cover the potential export cable corridors and bidding area. Samples will be taken at approximately 1 km intervals along the full length of the potential export cable corridors.

Indicative 2022 offshore survey timeline:

- April 2022: Part 1 Geophysical and UXO survey of the bidding areas (please note this survey is not mentioned above as it does not require a marine licence);
- April – September 2022: Part 2 Geophysical, geotechnical and environmental surveys of the potential export cable corridors, the zone of influence around Mona and Morgan bidding areas; and re-sampling within the Morgan and Mona bidding areas; and
- May – October 2022: Deep geotechnical survey, including deep CPTs and boreholes of the Morgan and Mona bidding areas (separate marine licence application to be submitted to NRW for this survey).

Currently there are six options for the potential export cable corridor, within both English and Welsh waters from the Morgan and Mona sites. This results in a large study area for the surveys. It is expected that only two of these routes will be surveyed, one in English and one in Welsh waters. However, this will not be known in advance of applying for consents. Therefore, all six have been included to ensure consents are in place to allow for any of the options to be investigated when the decision has been made. The maximum number of samples included in this marine licence application allows contingency should surveys be required along two export cable corridors in Welsh waters. (see Question 8(c) iii for sample quantities).

6(b). Please detail the location of the proposed construction project.

This should be either Ordnance Survey National Grid Reference (i.e. AB 12345 67890) or Latitude and Longitude in decimal degrees to 4 decimal places (i.e. Lat 52.1234 Long - 4.1234), defining the extent of the project. **Please specify which coordinate system has been used.**

Coordinates of the proposed work have been submitted in an excel spreadsheet – *Morgan_Mona_coordinates_130122.xlsx*

Coordinate system: WGS84 UTM 30N

- (i) a suitably scaled extract of an Ordnance Survey Map or Admiralty Chart with location of project, complete with **North Arrow** and **Scale**
- (ii) construction plans and sectional drawings showing those proposed works below/seaward of MHWS, which should give details of the materials to be used (for beach replenishment the quantity, particle size and source of material to be deposited and deposit location is also required).
- (iii) a descriptive schematic drawing and suitably scaled location plan which show the full extent of the project clearly in relation to the surrounding area and features.

Please list below **all supporting documents** that have been submitted with this application, including suitable documents/maps/drawing titles and reference numbers

- Chart of proposed area (*BP_M_M_Fig_1_survey_area_OA_ZI_OFTO_20220113.png*)
- Coordinates Excel file (*Morgan_Mona_coordinates_130122.xlsx*)
- Shapefile of works location (*Morgan and Mona Scoping Final Spatial Data and Marine Plan Areas 20220112.zip*)
- Technical Supporting Note (*Technical Note Morgan and Mona Geotechnical and Environmental Surveys 2022 v2.0.docx*)
- Email from MCA (*MCA Response – Irish Sea survey.msg*)
- Emails from Archaeological Bodies (*CPAT Response – Irish Sea survey.msg; GAT - Irish Sea survey.msg; and RCAHMMW – Irish Sea Survey.msg*)
- Water Framework Directive Compliance Assessment (*WFD Assessment Morgan and Mona 2022 Surveys v2.0.docx*)
- Welsh National Marine Plan Assessment (*bp 2022 Offshore Surveys WNMP Assessment.xlsx*)
- Method Statement for vibrocoring (*methodstatement_vibrocore_drilling_V3_April2020.pdf*)

Please continue on a separate sheet if necessary. Please tick if you have done this ☐

The applicant should note that these drawings/plans may be copied to others as part of the MLT's consultation procedures. If they are subject to copyright, it is the **responsibility of the applicant to obtain the necessary approvals to reproduce the documents and to submit up to 16 copies with the application.**

7. Methods Statement

7(a). Please provide a detailed method statement for the works

This must include methods for all works including temporary structures or deposits such as jetties, cofferdams, moorings or landing stages to be constructed seaward of MHWS

Vibrocores

For full vibrocore method statement, please see supporting document Method Statement for vibrocore (*methodstatement_vibrocore_drilling_V3_April2020.pdf*)

A vibrocorer comprises a steel tube with an inner plastic liner which is vibrated into the seabed by the action of two counter rotating eccentric weights driven by an electric or hydraulic motor. Depth of penetration can be up to 6 m in suitable soil conditions, with samples being obtained in almost all unconsolidated soil types. The tube is pulled out of the seabed by the A-frame or crane used for deployment and the sample retained by a core catcher. Once recovered to deck, the plastic liner is removed and the sample described as far as practical and stored within the plastic liner for detailed description and laboratory testing onshore.

Grab Samples

Grab samples will be taken from a survey vessel using either a 0.1m² Day Grab (100% redundancy), or 0.1m² mini Hamon Grab (back-up). The grab sampler will be lowered to the seafloor from the vessels hydraulic A-Frame. Once in contact with the seafloor, tension within the connected wire is released which in turn activates the grab, collecting a sample.

Recovered samples shall be sub-sampled immediately after recovery to provide an individual sample for hydrocarbon, heavy metals, particle size analysis and infauna. Sub-samples shall comprise the top 4 cm of undisturbed sediment in cores (top 3 cm for hydrocarbon sample).

Sediment for infaunal subsampling shall be collected from the top 10-15 cm of sediment. Benthic samples must be taken with suitable equipment to avoid sediment compression. Infauna sediment samples shall be elutriated and wet-sieved on board through a 0.5-mm mesh.

Please continue on a separate sheet if necessary. Please tick if you have done this ☐

7(b). Do you intend to undertake activities that could generate underwater noise?

This include piling, use of explosives, geophysical, acoustic deterrent devices and multibeam echosounders.

Yes ☒ No ☐

7(b) (i). If Yes, what type(s) of activities will be undertaken?

Non-marine licensable geophysical survey. Please note engagement with NRW Marine Licensing Team and Species Licensing Team has been undertaken in relation to this survey. An exemption has been submitted to NRW for this survey. We intend to submit this information onto the JNCC Marine Noise Registry.

Proposed geophysical survey methods:

- MBES - operating frequency of between 200 - 400kHz or greater;
- Side Scan Sonar - simultaneous dual frequency of 300/600 kHz;
- Sub-bottom profiler - up to three SBP systems may be used: 1) 0.2 – 5 kHz; 2) 3.5 – 7 kHz; 3) 3.5 – 6.5 kHz; and
- Magnetometer Survey

7(b) (ii). If Yes, approximately how many days will the activity be undertaken for?

Q2 – Q3 2022. Up to 20 days of data acquisition.

If Yes, you will be required to complete an additional form that will be provided.

7(c). Please state the measures to be taken to:

(i) Minimise risk to the marine environment

Minimal environmental and geotechnical samples will be taken within Marine Protected Areas (MPAs) and where these are required, best practice measures and mitigation will be implemented, such as the use of Drop Down Video/ Cameras and initial geophysical data interpretation to help avoid sensitive features.

Please see attached Technical Note accompanying this application form for list of mitigation measures and best practice.

(ii) Prevent undue interference to others

Notifications to Mariners will be issued to ensure mariners are made fully aware of the activity, including notices to fishing organisations, local port authorities and other relevant stakeholders.

Please see attached Technical Note accompanying this application form for further information.

(iii) Maintain navigational safety, including marking and lighting of works

Notifications to Mariners will be issued to ensure that they are made fully aware of the activity, including to fishing organisation, local port authorities and other relevant stakeholder

Comply with all maritime safety related legislation and guidance, including COLREGs.

Please see attached Technical Note accompanying this application form for further information.

Please continue on a separate sheet if necessary. Please tick if you have done this ☒

8. Materials of Project

8(a). Description of materials to be deposited seaward of MHWS (Please tick all that apply)

Timber	☐	Iron/Steel	☐	Concrete	☐	Biocides/other chemicals	☐
Silt	☐	Stone/Rock	☐	Gravel	☐	Plastic/Synthetics	☐
Sand	☐	Other	☐				

If other, please provide a description of materials.

N/a

8(b). Delivery method of materials to site

If sea delivery, please include details of vessels to be used with a chart of proposed route and transshipment area. If vehicle delivery, please provide the proposed access route.

N/a

Please continue on a separate sheet if necessary. Please tick if you have done this ☐

8(c). Will the works involve removals seaward of MHWS?

Yes ☒ No ☐

8(c) (i). Description of materials to be removed seaward of MHWS (Please tick all that apply)

Timber	☐	Iron/Steel	☐	Concrete	☐	Biocides/other chemicals	☐
Silt	☒	Stone/Rock	☐	Gravel	☒	Plastic/Synthetics	☐
Sand	☒	Other	☒				

8(c) (ii). Description of objects/materials to be removed seaward of MHWS

Including quantities to be removed.

Removal of sediment samples for the purpose of environmental and geotechnical surveys, through the use of vibrocores and grab samples. The maximum number, location and volumes of the samples are set out in the table below:

Sample type	Area	Max. no. of samples (m ³)	Approx. volume per sample (m ³)	Approx. total volume of samples (m ³)
Grab samples	Zone of Influence around Mona Offshore Bidding Area	20	0.015	0.3
Grab samples	Within Mona Bidding Area	15	0.015	0.225
Grab samples	Along potential export cable corridors	60	0.015	0.9
Grab samples	Along potential export cable corridors – contingency route	60	0.015	0.9
Vibrocores	Within Mona Bidding Area	10	0.06	0.6
Vibrocores	Along potential export cable corridors – contingency route	50	0.06	3.0
Vibrocores	Along potential export cable corridors	50	0.06	3.0
Maximum Total volume of all samples				8.925
Most Likely Scenario Total volume of sample (1 export cable corridor only)				5.025

Currently there are six options for the potential export cable corridor, within both English and Welsh waters from the Morgan and Mona sites. This results in a large study area for the surveys. It is expected that only two of these routes will be surveyed, one in English and one in Welsh waters. However, this will not be known in advance of applying for consents. Therefore, all six have been included to ensure consents are in place to allow for any of the options to be investigated when the decision has been made. Therefore, the maximum number of samples included in this marine licence application, allows contingency should surveys be required along two export cable corridors in Welsh waters.

9. Beach Replenishment, Land Reclamation or Salt Marsh Feeding

For works involving any of the above, please provide the following information

9(a). Is the material to be deposited like for like to existing material? Yes ☐ No ☒

9(a)(i) If No for Beach Replenishment please provide justification why?

N/a

9(b). Description of material to be deposited

Please provide the grading specification of materials to be used, if using a range of grain sizes please state the percentage by weight passing. *If unsure, please refer to the Wentworth Scale*

N/a

Please continue on a separate sheet if necessary. Please tick if you have done this ☐

9(c). Source of the material to be deposited

Including dredged or land based stating the origin of material

N/a

9(d) (i) If Yes, is the analysis data been included with the application? Yes ☐ No ☐

10. Temporary Works

10(a). Will there be any temporary deposits below MHWS? Yes ☐ No ☒

This includes construction materials, removed objects/material, jetties or cofferdams

If **Yes**, please continue with section **10**

10(b). Please provide the location of temporary deposits

Please include a map/chart displaying the location of temporary deposits, if necessary.

No temporary deposits made

10(c). Description of temporary deposits

No temporary deposits made

Please continue on a separate sheet if necessary. Please tick if you have done this ☐

11. Dredge and Disposal of Dredge Material

If you are undertaking Dredge and Disposal activities please also complete the Dredge and Disposal application form and submit together.

11(a). Do you intend to apply for a marine licence to dispose of dredged material to sea as part of the works in this application? Yes ☐ No ☒

12. Protected Sites

Licensing Authorities have a duty to ensure that projects will **not have significant adverse environmental impact**, particularly on any designated **European Site of Conservation Importance - Special Areas of Conservation (SAC) and Special Protection Areas (SPA)**, listed under the **Habitats Directive (Council Directive 92/42/EEC on the conservation of natural habitats and of wild fauna and flora)**. In addition, it is Government Policy that Wetlands of International Importance (Ramsar sites) are also considered as European Sites. There is a duty to take reasonable steps to further the conservation and enhancement of nationally designated sites (Sites of Special Scientific Interest (SSSIs)).

12(a). Have you had pre-application correspondence with NRW, its legacy bodies or Natural England? Yes ☒ No ☐

12(a)(i). If Yes, please provide copies of correspondence with application and state which team(s) you have contacted?

Correspondence with NRW Marine Licensing Team, NRW Technical Specialists, NRW Species Licensing Team and Natural England in relations to 2021 survey plan in early 2021. 2022 geotechnical and environmental survey will build on the data collected from 2021, using similar methodologies.

12(b). Are any part of the works located *within or likely to affect* a designated conservation site? (SAC, SPA, SSSI or Ramsar) Yes ☒ No ☐

12(b)(i). If Yes, which designated site(s) may be affected?

- North Anglesey Marine/ Gogledd Môn Forol SAC
- Anglesey Tern/ Morwenoliaid Ynys Môn SPA
- Traeth Lafan/ Lavan Sands, Conway Bay SPA
- Liverpool Bay/ Bae Lerpwl SPA
- Y Fenai a Bae Conwy/ Menai Strait and Conwy Bay SAC
- Dee Estuary/ Aber Dyfrdwy SAC
- The Dee Estuary SPA
- Cemlyn Bay SSSI
- Traeth Lafan SSSI

Due to the type of survey works, spread over a wide area and working best practice, it is not anticipated that likely significant effects to designated sites will occur.

Please see supporting Technical Note for additional information.

12(c). Please provide a description of all mitigation measures proposed to avoid any impact on designated conservation sites.

- All equipment associated with the works will be removed on completion of the works.
- Bunding, storage facilities and spill kits will be employed to contain and prevent the release of fuel, oils and chemicals associated with the equipment into the marine environment.
- Coatings and treatments will be suitable for use in the marine environment and are used in accordance with best environmental practice.
- All equipment, materials, machinery and PPE used will be in a clean condition prior to their arrival on site, and upon removal from site, to minimise risk of introducing non-native species into the marine environment.
- Sample locations will be planned and a drop down video/ camera will be utilised before the grab sample is taken.
- A magnetometer will be deployed prior to sampling to ensure that the seabed is clear of Unexploded Ordnance (UXOs) and/ or debris.
- No sampling will be undertaken in areas identified as potential Annex I habitat.
- bp and EnBW will adhere to Welsh Offshore Marine Plan Area policies and objectives.

Please continue on a separate sheet if necessary. Please tick if you have done this ☐

12(d). If the works are not located *within* or *likely to affect* a designated conservation site, please indicated the approximate distance to the nearest designated conservation site.

N/a

Please note that if the proposed works are in or within 2km of a European Site of Conservation Importance you will have to provide suitable mitigation measure to avoid any impact on designated conservation sites.

13. Other Consents

Please detail all consents that you have applied for or received for these works

Type of Consent	Applied for	To be applied for	Reference Number	Date of Issue and Expiry
Planning Permission under Town and County Planning Act 1990 – From Local Planning Authority (LPA)				
Name and Address of LPA for location of works				
Land Owners Consent such as The Crown Estate Consent	x			
Port Authority or Local Harbour permissions				
Other NRW consents such as Flood Defence or SSSI assent				
Details of NRW consent				
Other consents such as Transport and Works Act Order, Section 36 Electricity Act, grant/loan sanction				
Details of other consents	Marine Licence and relevant exemptions from MMO for aspects in English waters			

14. Statutory Powers

14(a).Does the applicant have statutory powers to consent any aspect of the project?

E.g. coast protection authority, dredging powers, statutory undertakers Yes ☐ No ☒

14(a)(i).If Yes, please give details and state the relevant legislation that gives these powers

Under The Marine Licensing (Register of Licensing Information)(Wales) Regulations 2011 and the Environmental Impact Assessment Directive (Directive 85/337/EEC – as amended) , all information contained within or provided in support of this application will be placed on the Public Register unless NRW approve of the applicant's reasons for withholding all or part.

15. Is there any information contained within or provided in support of this application that you consider should NOT be included on the Public Register on the grounds that its disclosure:

15(a). Would be contrary to the interest of National Security? Yes ☐ No ☒

15(b). Would prejudice to an unreasonable degree you, or some other person's commercial interest of those of a third party? Yes ☐ No ☒

If **Yes** to either (a) or (b), please provide full justification as to why all or part of the information you have provided should be withheld

Please continue on a separate sheet if necessary. Please tick if you have done this ☐

16. Application Fee

16(a). What are the corresponding fee band for this application? Band 2 ☒ Band 3 ☐

16(b) Band 2 Only

Projects are charged at a fixed fee of £1920. The application will not be processed until the correct fee has been provided.

Please provide the method of payment

Method	Yes (✓)	Reference Number
Cheque		
BACS (not remittance no.)		

World Pay (phone or CC1)	Yes	Please contact Juliet Cook for Band 2 (£1920) payment: Phone: 0203 683 7587 Mobile: 07392285600 Email: Juliet.Cook@bp.com

Please attach **CC1 Form** with application. Can be found on our web pages

16(c) Band 3 Application only

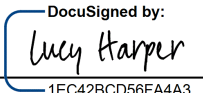
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17. Declaration

I declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief that the information given in this application form and supporting documentation is true.

WARNING: It is an offence under the Marine and Coastal Access Act 2009, under which this application is made, to fail to disclose information or to provide false or misleading information and can invalidate any licence granted.

Signature  Date _____

Name (in capitals) _____

Position in Company _____

*Applications cannot be processed unless signed by the **Applicant** (not agent), the applicant must have appropriate level of authority within the company.*

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