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From: Nick Kay <nick.kay@verbeiaenergy.com>

Sent: 11 June 2015 16:11 **To:** MS Marine Licensing

Cc: Nick Oppenheim; Natasha Oppenheim

Subject: Marine Licence No 04516/12/1 - Application (Email 1 of 4)

Attachments: 150611 - completed application form.pdf; 1543-133-.pdf; 1543-134-.pdf;

1543-135-.pdf; Chart Extract.pdf

Email 1 of 4

I refer to the above referenced Marine Construction Licence, which was granted to Beinn Mhor Power on 15 August 2012.

The construction of the berthing facility will be required to access the Muiatheabhal Windfarm and the Crionaig Windfarm, which have been consented under Section 36. However delays to the Western Isles electricity interconnector have led to the construction of the Windfarms being delayed. As a direct result no construction of the berthing facility has yet been undertaken.

Beinn Mhor Power and Crionaig Power were put into liquidation last year by the previous owners. Uisenis Power has acquired all the assets and rights of Beinn Mhor Power and Crionaig Power, including the Section 36 consents. Scottish Ministers have recently granted consent for the assignment of these Section 36 consents to Uisenis Power.

The berthing facility was granted local authority planning permission (ref 12/00248) on 30 August 2012. This permission is currently being extended by Uisenis Power.

The original marine construction licence was granted on 15 August 2012 with a validity through to 22 July 2015 (no. 04516/12/1). Uisenis Power is seeking to apply for a new three year licence.

The new application will be in the name of Uisenis Power. Please note that land ownership is currently being transferred from Eishken Nominees Limited (Company Number SC122768, registered office: c/o Peter Smith, Eishken Lodge, Eishken, Isle of Lewis HS2 9LQ) to Eishken Limited (Company Number SC479415, registered office: c/o Peter Smith, Eishken Lodge, Eishken, Isle of Lewis HS2 9LQ). All other aspects of the application are the same as the 2012 application. Uisenis Power will maintain the commitments of Beinn Mhor Power, including undertaking a detailed otter survey in advance of any construction works, as set out in section 3.7.3 the Screening Report.

Please find attached the following information:

- 1. Completed application form (1 attachment email 1)
- 2. Sections, plans and elevations of the proposed facility (3 attachments email 1)
- 3. Chart showing the location (1 attachment email 1)
- 4. Additional environmental information:
 - a. Screening Report (1 attachment email 2)
 - b. EIA Screening letters from Marine Scotland and CnES (2 attachments email 2)
 - c. Marine Biological Report (24 attachments email 3)
 - d. SEPA Response Table (1 attachment email 4)
- 5. A cheque for the payment of the fee of £4,330.00 has been sent separately by post to:

MS-LOT Marine Scotland PO Box 101 375 Victoria Street

Aberdeen

Please do let me know if you require any further information.

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Sent: 05 June 2015 11:53

To: Nick Kay

Subject: RE: Marine Licence No 04516/12/1 - Extension

Nick

Thank you for your email, in this instance you will need to apply for a new licence as the original licence was for 3 years which is the maximum duration of a construction licence. Application forms can be found here unfortunately upon checking The Marine Licensing (Fees) (Scotland) Regulations 2011 a reduced fee is only payable when an application has been withdrawn or refused, guidance on fees can be found here. There is also a link to our FAQs in my signature below.

Regards

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Frequently Asked Questions

From: Nick Kay [mailto:nick.kay@verbeiaenergy.com]

Sent: 04 June 2015 16:36 **To:** MS Marine Licensing

Cc: Nick Oppenheim; Natasha Oppenheim

Subject: Marine Licence No 04516/12/1 - Extension

As discussed with Vicky Bell, please can Uisenis Power Limited request an extension to the above licence for marine construction works for a berthing facility at Eishken, Isle of Lewis.

Beinn Mhor Power was put into liquidation last year, and no construction works have yet been undertaken. Uisenis Power has now acquired all the assets and rights of Beinn Mhor Power, including the Section 36 consent for the wind farm with the consent of Scottish Ministers.

We therefore require the marine licence for the berthing facility to be extended, if possible for another three years, and changing from Beinn Mhor Power to Uisenis Power Limited.

Please can you advise how this can be done.

Kind regards

Nick Kay

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