

# Notice to Mariners

## Neart na Gaoithe Offshore Wind Farm – Geotechnical Survey

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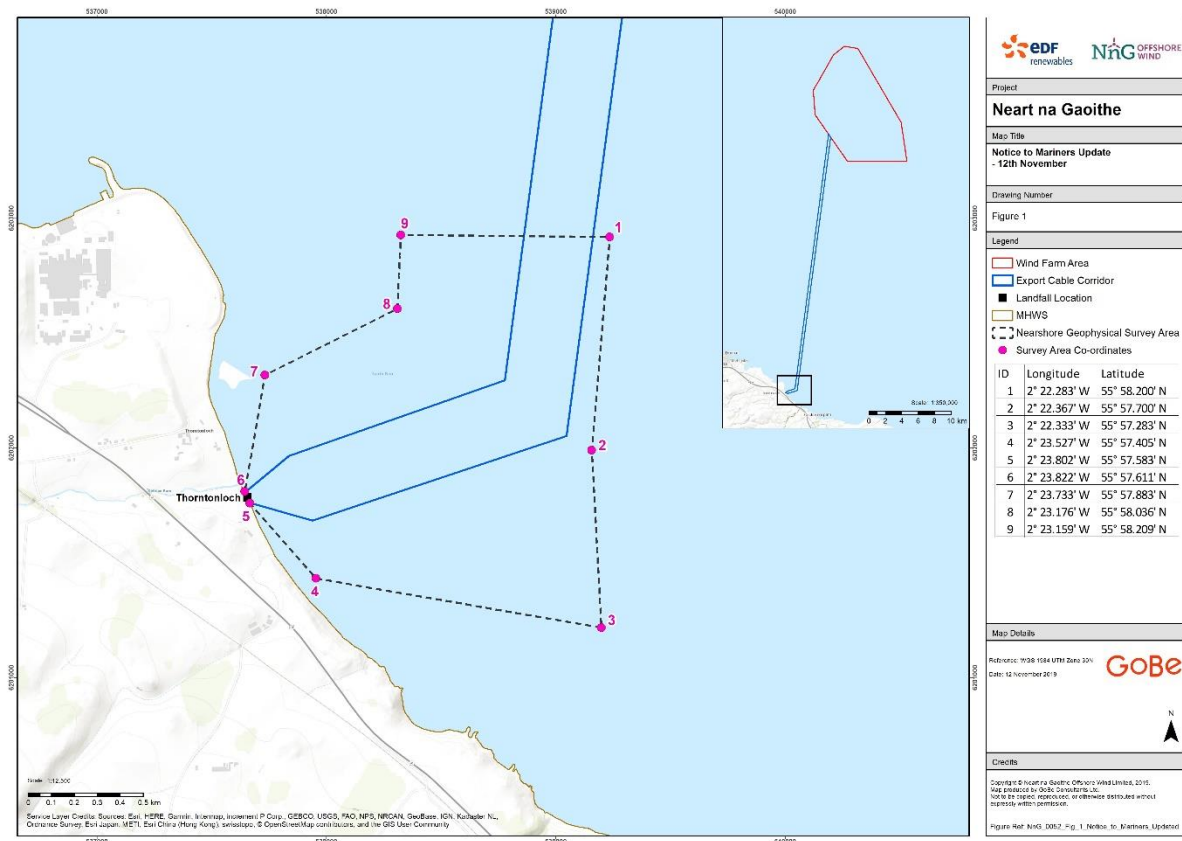
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### Survey Campaign

Mariners are advised that the nearshore geotechnical survey are now complete within the boundaries of the Neart na Gaoithe (NnG) Nearshore Export Cable Corridor, in the area adjacent to Thorntonloch beach, as shown in the map below (not to be used for navigation).

The survey work was carried out by Fugro using a ‘walking’ jack-up barge, *Wavewalker 1*, which was towed to and from site by a tug, *Neptun 10* and supported by the tug, *Afon Las*.

The survey was completed on 30<sup>th</sup> January 2020 and the vessels left site on 5<sup>th</sup> February 2020. The nearshore survey area is now reopened to all fishing.



**Area of Operations**

The survey area was contained within the nearshore survey area boundaries, defined by the following WGS84 coordinates:

Longitude (DD MM.MMM)	Latitude (DD.MM.MMM)
Nearshore Survey Area	
2° 22.283' W	55° 58.200' N
2° 22.367' W	55° 57.700' N
2° 22.333' W	55° 57.283' N
2° 23.527' W	55° 57.405' N
2° 23.802' W	55° 57.583' N
2° 23.822' W	55° 57.611' N
2° 23.733' W	55° 57.883' N
2° 23.176' W	55° 58.036' N
2° 23.159' W	55° 58.209' N

**Vessel Details**

The survey vessels were:

- *WaveWalker 1*, call sign PBVH;
- *Neptun 10*, call sign ZDJQ8; and
- *Afon Las*, call sign 2JEM8.

The survey was also supported by a guard vessel. The guard vessel was either:

- *Artemis*, call sign MVIX5; or
- *Seagull*, call sign MVBO2.

*Vessels were requested to remain at least 500 metres away from the survey vessels and static gear to be kept clear from the survey area shown on Page 1.*



Survey Vessel: *WaveWalker 1*



Support Vessel: (TUG) *Neptun 10*





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Support Vessel: (TUG) *Afon Las*



Guard Vessel: *Artemis*



Guard Vessel: *Seagull*

**Port of Operation**

Port of Leith

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***Guard Vessel:***

The Guard Vessel will be present on site whilst the survey vessel is operating to ensure minimal disruption and that vessels maintain an appropriate and safe distance.

The Guard Vessels can be contacted as below, if required:

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- Email: [concordeb47@aol.com](mailto:concordeb47@aol.com)

**Marine Co-ordination Centre:**

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