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Mariners are advised that whilst works successfully repaired the lighting on Neart na Gaoithe Offshore Wind East Cardinal Buoy last week, the AIS is currently not functional.

Follow up works will be undertaken using the *Forth Drummer* (call sign 2FIG9), or similar. A subsequent notice to mariners will be issued once functionality is restored.

The coordinates of the buoy are provided in Table 1.

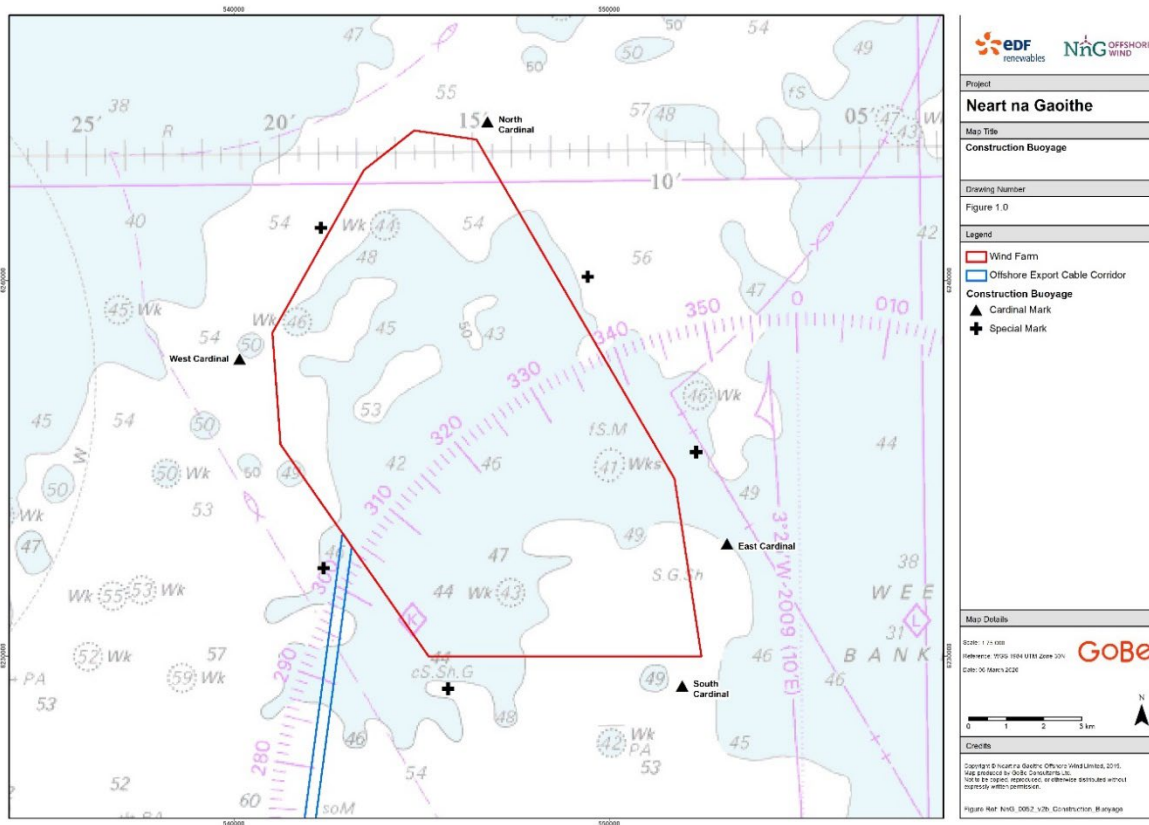


Figure 1 - As-laid positions of Neart na Gaoithe Cardinal Buoys

Table 1 – NnGOWL Construction Navigation Buoyage positions

Construction Buoyage	Coordinates (WGS84)	
	Latitude (DDM)	Longitude (DDM)
NNG N - North Cardinal - Quick (Q) white light character	56° 20.424' N	002° 14.616' W
NNG E - East Cardinal - Q (3) 10 s white light character	56° 14.329' N	002° 08.557' W
NNG S - South Cardinal - Q (6) + Long (L) FL 15 s white light character	56° 12.293' N	002° 09.760' W
NNG W - West Cardinal - Q (9) 15 s white light character	56° 17.057' N	002° 21.083' W

Schedule

The buoys have been deployed for the duration of the construction of Neart na Gaoithe Offshore Wind Farm. Each will be inspected and maintained at least every 12 months.

For updates on the progress of the works, information will be provided in the Weekly Notice of Operations available on the NnG project website here <https://nngoffshorewind.com/downloads/>.

Vessels Associated with the Activity

The Contractor, Briggs Marine will deploy the Forth Drummer, or similar, to travel from Burntisland to the NnG Offshore Wind Farm to inspect and carry out repair work on the buoy.

Table 2 –Forth Drummer

Vessel name:	Forth Drummer
Call sign:	2FIG9
IMO:	9676917
MMSI:	235091503
On board contact:	Contact name: Vessel Master Email: MVDrummer@briggsmarine.com Phone: +44 (0) 7909 254184



One guard vessel is currently on site supporting the Neart na Gaoithe Offshore Wind Farm construction. The guard vessels will be one of the below, which can be contacted as follows, if required:

Table 3 - Seagull Guard Vessel

Vessel name:	Seagull
Vessel role:	Guard Vessel
Call sign:	MVBO2
On board contact:	Contact name: Vessel Master Email: seagullbf74@gmail.com Phone: +44 (0) 1261 878040 / +44 (0) 7895 919100


Vessel name:	Seagull
	

Table 4 - Tranquillity S Guard Vessel



Vessel name:	Tranquillity S
Vessel role:	Guard Vessel
Call sign:	MJUH9
On board contact:	Contact name: Vessel Master Email: spousekeil@yahoo.com Phone: +44 (0) 1346 454758
	

Table 5 - Morning Dawn Guard Vessel

Vessel name:	Morning Dawn
Vessel role:	Guard Vessel
Call sign:	MHEU3
On board contact:	Contact name: Vessel Master Email: bridge@morning-dawn.co.uk Phone: + 33 640 047722 / +44 1779 400158

Vessel name:	Morning Dawn
	

General Safety Advice

Construction activities are ongoing within the boundaries of the Neart na Gaoithe Offshore Wind Farm. Mariners are advised to refer to the NnG Weekly Notice of Operations where up to date information regarding activities on site is broadcast. A copy of this notice and the Weekly Notice of Operations can also be found at <https://nngoffshorewind.com/downloads/>

Marine Coordination Contact Details

The following contact can provide more information if required. Please note that specific queries can also be addressed to the relevant vessel or shore based representative.

Table 6 - Marine Coordination Contact Details

Telephone number (daytime):	+44 (0) 1890 751415 (use Emergency contact only until further notice)
Emergency contact (24/7):	+44 (0) 7508 421406
Email:	nng.mc@smchse.com
Address:	NnG Offshore Wind Farm Marine Coordination Centre, Gunsreen Basin, Eyemouth, TD14 5SD

Fisheries Liaison

Fisheries liaison associated with the activity will be co-ordinated by Natural Power. For any commercial fishery queries please contact the NnG company Fisheries Liaison Officer (CFLO) Peter Berney, telephone: +44 (0)7391 402387 or email: NnG.FLO@naturalpower.com. There is currently an offshore FLO on board the *Saipem 3000 (S3000)* on site, who can be contacted via VH Channel 16.

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