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Mariners are advised that Neart na Gaoithe Offshore Wind Farm Limited (NnGOWL) are due to conduct a bathymetry survey at the WTG locations within the Neart na Gaoithe Offshore Wind Farm site. **The works were completed on the 1<sup>st</sup> July and the *Kommandor Iona* has left the site.**

The MBES bathymetry survey will be completed by the vessel *Kommandor Iona* (call sign: GAAK). The MBES survey works are due to begin on the 9<sup>th</sup> of June, at the earliest are estimated to last 14 days. Details of the *Kommandor Iona* vessel can be found in Table 2.

### Area of Operations

Mariners are advised that the *Kommandor Iona* vessel will be working within the boundaries of the Neart na Gaoithe Offshore Wind Farm, shown in Figure 1 within the coordinates shown in Table 1.

**All vessels are requested to remain at least 500 meters away from all the work vessels and static fishing gear is requested to be removed from the exclusion area shown in Figure 1 and Table 1. Vessels over 15m are also requested to have AIS turned on and detectable when in the vicinity of construction works.**

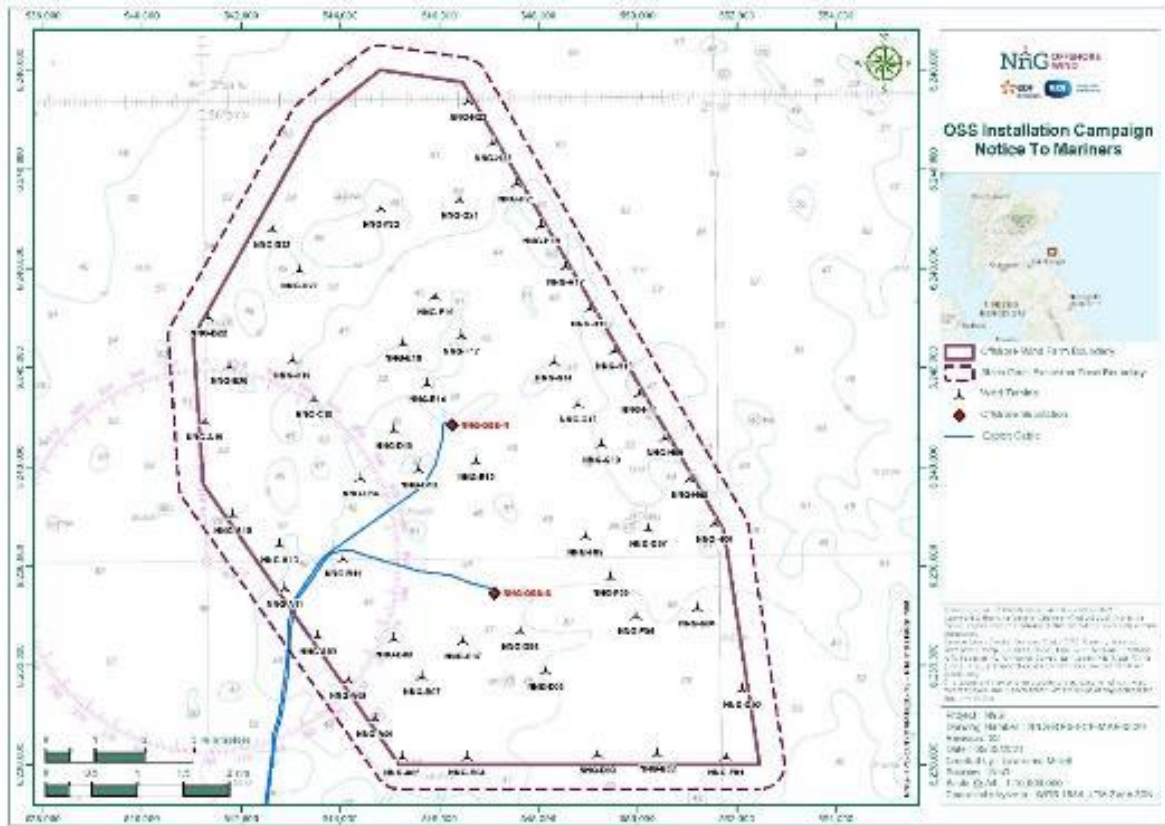


Figure 1 – Wind Farm Area – Inter-Array Cable Routes

Table 1 - Coordinates for NnG Offshore Wind Farm Area and Exclusion Area

	LONGITUDE (DD.MM.MMM)	LATITUDE (DD.MM.MMM)		LONGITUDE (DD.MM.MMM)	LATITUDE (DD.MM.MMM)
<b>Wind Farm Lease Area</b>	002° 09.898' W	56° 15.271' N	<b>Exclusion to Static Gear</b>	002° 20.566' W	56° 15.680' N
	002° 13.998' W	56° 12.752' N		002° 20.849' W	56° 17.468' N
	002° 19.628' W	56° 15.479' N		002° 18.242' W	56° 19.938' N
	002° 20.232' W	56° 17.430' N		002° 16.611' W	56° 20.613' N
	002° 16.518' W	56° 20.312' N		002° 14.363' W	56° 20.392' N
	002° 09.255' W	56° 12.721' N		002° 09.300' W	56° 15.334' N
	002° 16.293' W	56° 12.766' N		002° 08.661' W	56° 12.651' N
	002° 20.055' W	56° 15.827' N		002° 09.058' W	56° 12.405' N
	002° 17.826' W	56° 19.752' N		002° 16.505' W	56° 12.410' N
	002° 14.910' W	56° 20.171' N			

**Schedule**

The WTG location bathymetry survey began on the 9<sup>th</sup> June 2023 and was completed on the 1<sup>st</sup> July.

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

**Vessel Associated with the Activity**

Table 2: *Kommandor Iona* Vessel Details

Vessel name:	<i>Kommandor Iona</i>
Vessel role:	Survey Vessel
Call sign:	GAAK
Maritime Mobile Service Identity:	235003070
On board contact:	Contact name: Vessel Master Email: pc.kiona@fugro.com Phone: +44 7557177768 Bridge: +44 1224085571



**Adverse weather conditions**

Upon adverse weather conditions, if the survey vessel is not able to hold on position, it will seek shelter either around the Isle of May or within the Firth of Forth or return to a Port.

**Port of Operation**

The *Kommandor Iona* will likely mobilise from Leith.

**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/resources/>

One guard vessel is currently within the wind farm site. The guard vessel 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: <a href="mailto:seagullbf74@gmail.com">seagullbf74@gmail.com</a> Phone: +44 (0) 1261 878040 / +44 (0) 7895 919100
	

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: <a href="mailto:spousekeil@yahoo.com">spousekeil@yahoo.com</a> Phone: +44 (0) 1346 454758
	

**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 5 – 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:	<a href="mailto:nng.mc@smchse.com">nng.mc@smchse.com</a>
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](mailto:Nng.FLO@naturalpower.com). An Offshore Fisheries Liaison Officer (OFLO) is present on the S3000 in the wind farm area and can be contacted via VHF Channel 16.

**Distribution List**

A central list of recipients is maintained by the company Fisheries Liaison Officer; if you are not the appropriate recipient of these notices, or do not wish to receive the notices in the future, please contact us at [Nng.FLO@naturalpower.com](mailto:Nng.FLO@naturalpower.com).

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