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Mariners are advised that Neart na Gaoithe Offshore Wind Farm Limited (NnGOWL) have completed cable burial activities for the inter-array cables within the Neart na Gaoithe Offshore Wind Farm site. The works commenced on the 8th of January 2024 with the Living Stone vessel. The Living Stone vessel was replaced by the Normand Navigator on the 24th of April and Testing and termination (T&T) of all inter-array cables are currently ongoing. The Normand Navigator vessel left the NnG site on the 24th of May 2024. **T&T works will resume on the 10th of June 2024 at the earliest from the MCS Sirocco vessel (call sign: 2FFP4).**

The *HST Millie* (call sign: MOAN6) vessel that was acting as crew transfer vessel for the IAC termination and testing works being carried out from the Normand Navigator vessel will return to the WTG commissioning package to support commissioning works on site. *The Windcat 37 (call sign: 2IDS5) is no longer working on this campaign.*

Further details of the vessels involved are provided in Table 2 below.

Area of Operations

Mariners are advised that all vessels in this campaign 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 requested to have AIS turned on and detectable when in the vicinity of construction works. Vessels are requested to contact the Guard Vessel (details provided below) prior to entering the site to confirm current safety zones in place, and to ensure that the Marine Coordination Centre can be made aware of your presence on site.**

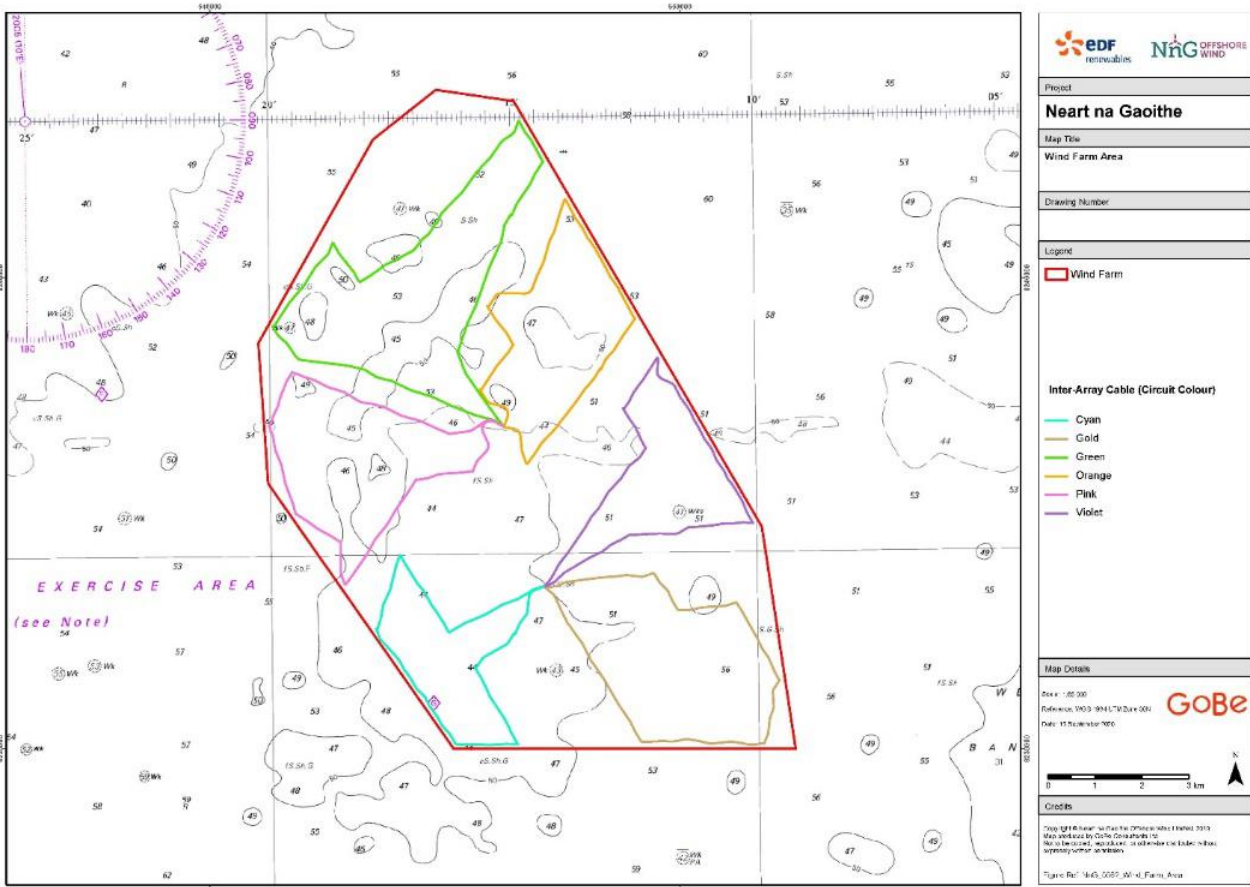


Figure 1 – Wind Farm Area – Inter-Array Cable Routes

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)
Wind Farm Lease Area	002° 09.898' W	56° 15.271' N	Exclusion to Static Gear	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

Weather permitting, constructions work will be carried out on a continuous basis; 24-hour working, seven days a week. **T&T works will resume on the 10th June 2024 at the earliest.**

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 – MCS Sirocco Vessel Details

Vessel name:	MCS Sirocco
Vessel Type and Dimensions	Crew Transfer Vessel
Vessel role:	Crew Transfer & Platform Cargo Supply
Call sign:	2FFP4
Maritime Mobile Service Identity:	235090843
IMO:	9643764
On board contact:	Satcom: 0044 (0)1475 830 732 Mobile: 0044 (0)7920 569 689 Email: mcssirocco@maritimecraft.co.uk
Onshore representative:	DPA Vessel Owner: Yvonne Orr Emergency Phone (24h): 07769 934 450 Email: yvonneo@maritimecraft.co.uk
	

Adverse weather conditions

Upon adverse weather conditions, if the construction vessels are not able to hold on position, they will seek shelter either around the Isle of May or within the Firth of Forth or return to a Port.

Port of Operation

The MCS Sirocco will mobilise from Rosyth.

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 Details

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
	

Table 4 - Tranquillity S Guard Vessel Details

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



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 3 - Marine Coordination Contact Details

Telephone number (daytime):	+44 (0) 1890 751415
Emergency contact (24/7):	+44 (0) 7508 421406
Email:	nng.mc@smchse.com
Address:	NnG Offshore Wind Farm Marine Coordination Centre, Gungreen 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. **Due to vessel availability, the Tranquillity Guard Vessel Skipper is currently acting as Offshore Fisheries Liaison Officer (OFLO) and can be contacted via VHF Channel 16.**

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