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To the Eggborough CCGT Project Team

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Thank you for your email dated 30 August 2017.

The Joint Nature Conservation Committee (JNCC) is the statutory adviser to Government on UK and international nature conservation. JNCC co-ordinates nature conservation advice at a UK-level and advises UK Government on scientific and policy matters relating to nature conservation internationally. Within each country, the separate statutory bodies are responsible for nature and landscape conservation; Natural England (NE), Natural Resources Wales (NRW), Scottish Natural Heritage (SNH) and the Council for Nature Conservation and the Countryside Northern Ireland (CNCCNI).

JNCC has responsibility for the provision of nature conservation advice in the offshore area. 'Offshore' is defined as beyond 12 nautical miles (NM) from the coastline to the extent of the UK Continental Shelf (UKCS). Within territorial limits (<12 nm) nature conservation advice is the responsibility of the relevant country bodies.

This development proposal is not located within the offshore area, does not have any potential offshore nature conservation issues and is not concerned with nature conservation at a UK-level. JNCC therefore does not have any comments to add to this consultation.

Thank you.

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