

Notification of Application: Carbon Dioxide Appraisal and Storage Licence

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The Oil and Gas Authority ('**OGA**') has received an application for a Carbon Dioxide Appraisal and Storage Licence pursuant to Chapter 3 of the Energy Act 2008 (the '**Act**'), in respect of the following area (the '**Area**'):

A polygon, the boundary of which is defined by parallels of Latitude and Meridians joining the following points, as defined on European Datum First Adjustment 1950:

53° 36' 00"N, 002° 02' 00"E 53° 36' 00"N, 002° 31' 00"E 53° 15' 00"N, 002° 31' 00"E 53° 15' 00"N, 002° 02' 00"E 53° 36' 00"N, 002° 02' 00"E

A map of the Area is attached, for illustrative purposes only, at Appendix 1.

Any persons wishing to make an application for a Carbon Dioxide Appraisal and Storage Licence in respect of all or part of the Area must notify the OGA at **Offshore.Exploration@ogauthority.co.uk** of their intention to do so within **14 calendar days** from the date of this Notice (by **5 p.m. GMT on 16 February 2021**) (the '**Deadline**'). Such persons will then be required to submit their completed application within a further 21 calendar days (by 5 p.m. GMT on 23 February 2021). If you have not given notice to the OGA on or before the Deadline, you will <u>not</u> subsequently be able to submit an application for the Area unless informed otherwise. Guidance on how to apply for a Licence is available at: https://www.ogauthority.co.uk/licensing-consents/carbon-storage/

Please be aware that (among other necessary consents and approvals) a Crown Estate Lease is required in order to carry out carbon dioxide storage activities in accordance with the Act. The Crown Estate's policy document dated 12th May 2020 setting out who it will consider applications from for carbon dioxide transportation and storage rights is available at: https://www.thecrownestate.co.uk/media/3518/tce-role-ccus-may2020.pdf.

Appendix 1

Illustrative Map of Carbon Dioxide Appraisal and Storage Licence Application Area



