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Dear Graham

Statutory Consultation on the modification of the electricity generation licence of Carnedd Wen Wind Farm Limited

EDF Energy is one of the UK's largest energy companies with activities throughout the energy chain. Our interests include nuclear, coal and gas-fired electricity generation, renewables, and energy supply to end users. We have over five million electricity and gas customer accounts in the UK, including residential and business users.

We support the proposal to modify the generation licence of Carnedd Wen Windfarm Limited to include a Special Condition AA, and to subsequently switch on Schedules A, B and C. This case is unique and reflects the rather specific circumstances during the development of the Secure and Promote licence modification.

Ofgem also states that "In future cases where obligated company groups are granted new generation licences, the usual process will be to insert Special Condition AA into relevant licences at the point of licence grant." We agree that this is the most efficient way to proceed.

Should you wish to discuss any of the issues raised in our response or have any queries, please contact Sebastian Eyre on 020 7752 2167, or myself.

I confirm that this letter may be published on Ofgem's website.

Yours sincerely,

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