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By email to Neil.Amner@dwf.co.uk

Dear Neil,

HARBOURS ACT 1964 – DRAFT HARBOUR REVISION ORDER – PORT OF NIGG

I refer to the application by your client, Global Energy Group dated 10 November 2014, for a Harbour Revision Order under section 14 of the Harbours Act 1964, to establish a new statutory harbour and harbour authority at Port of Nigg.

Having considered relevant objections to the application, the Scottish Ministers have determined that the application is not to proceed further as in their view the proposed Order cannot lawfully be made under section 14 of the 1964 Act.

The Ministers are of the view that any application for the creation of a new statutory harbour requires to be made under section 16 of the 1964 Act.

You should note that in reaching this decision Ministers have not considered any other matters raised in the objections or representations received during the formal consultation process as the application had not proceeded to a formal objection handling stage.

A copy of this letter is being sent to all those who were consulted, made objection to, or representation on the application.

Yours sincerely

JOHN NICHOLLS
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