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Offshore Consenting – The New Issues

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Scope

- Energy Act 2004 Update
- Issues for Round 2 Projects

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Energy Act 2004

- Royal Assent 22.7.04
- Commencement Orders – Key Provisions
 - (1) 5.10.04. Renewable Energy Zone (ss. 84-88)
 - (2) 1.3.05 s.36 Consents – Variations For Offshore (s. 93)
 - (3) 1.3.05 Extinguishment of Navigation Rights (s. 99)
 - (4) 1.3.05 International Sea Lanes (s.99)
 - (5) 1.9.05 Extinguishment of Navigation Rights by S/S (s. 100)
 - (6) 1.10.05 Safety Zones (ss. 95-98) + Schedule 16)
 - (7) 1.10.05 Decommissioning (ss. 105-114)
 - (8) (Not confirmed) Offshore Transmission Licensing (ss. 90-92)

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- International Sea Lanes
 - Draft DTI Guidance
 - NOREL Sub-Group
 - Anticipated Final Guidance
- Decommissioning
- S. 36 Electricity Act or Town and Country Planning Act For Onshore?

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- Extinguishment and Safety Zones
 - Scope for Extinguishment
 - Scope for Safety Zones
 - Submarine Telegraph Act 1885
 - Transport and Works Act?
- Generation Licences
 - Class Exemption (Up To 50 MW)
 - Applications for Exemptions
 - Round 2

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- Flexible Consents
- Marine Spatial Planning Bill?

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