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From: [REDACTED]
Sent: 12 May 2015 16:24
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: [REDACTED] Installation of 2 moorings, Shiant Isles, North Minch

Hi [REDACTED]

I would be grateful if you could please re-scan the advert page to include the publication title and date.

Thanks in advance,

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: 10 May 2015 22:02
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: [REDACTED] : Installation of 2 moorings, Shiant Isles, North Minch

[REDACTED]

Please find attached scan of mooring application notice published in the Stornoway Gazette on 7th May. The Stornoway Gazette is the main weekly paper circulated on the Western Isles. The invoice you sent through for the fee for processing the application has also been paid.

Kind Regards

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: 29 April 2015 16:47
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: [REDACTED] Installation of 2 moorings, Shiant Isles, North Minch

Hi [REDACTED]

Thanks for confirming. Please find attached the required public notice template. I look forward to receiving a copy of the published advert.

In regards to the application fee, I have requested for an invoice to be issued to you. Please note that we will not be in a position to make a determination on your licence application until payment has been received.

Kind regards,

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: 29 April 2015 12:42
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: [REDACTED] Installation of 2 moorings, Shiant Isles, North Minch

[REDACTED]

I had entered the coordinates in the wrong format in the Crown Estate application and have since had correspondence with them to correct this (see correspondence pasted below) so they now have the same coordinates that were supplied in the Marine Scotland application.

Kind Regards

Hi

Apologies for the error in the coordinates for the moorings. The coordinates given is what our mapping system gave but I have now converted this to the correct format. The correct lat and long for the proposed mooring are shown in the table below.

Mooring	Latitude		Longitude	
	degrees	decimal min	degrees	decimal min
1	57	53.641	-6	21.439
2	57	53.538	-6	21.591

Kind Regards

From:

Sent: 21 April 2015 11:59

To:

Subject: ACT: XX328/838 2 Moorings at Shiant Islands - Co-ordinates - 21-04-15

Dear

Can I please ask you to supply new co-ordinates as the ones supplied on the attached application are incorrect.

They are presented in degrees and decimal minutes. However, the decimal minutes is a figure above 60 which is impossible.

Many thanks

From:

Sent: 27 April 2015 14:24

To:

Subject: Installation of 2 moorings, Shiant Isles, North Minch

Further to my previous correspondence, it would appear that the coordinates provided on the marine licence application form differ from the coordinates detailed on The Crown Estate application form. Can you please confirm which coordinates are correct? The coordinates on both applications (and any subsequent consents issued) should preferably match.

Kind regards,

[Redacted]

From: [Redacted]
Sent: 23 April 2015 12:25
To: [Redacted]
Subject: RE: [Redacted] mooring application for Shiant Isles

Thanks [Redacted] I will review the information provided and will be in contact in due course.

Kind regards,

[Redacted]

Scottish Government | Marine Laboratory | 375 Victoria Road | Aberdeen | AB11 9DB

[Redacted]

From: [Redacted]
Sent: 23 April 2015 12:16
To: [Redacted]
Subject: [Redacted] mooring application for Shiant Isles

H [Redacted]

Following our conversation this morning please find attached a re-submission of the application for moorings at the Shiant Isles that I originally sent by post on the 23rd March. I have also attached a map showing the mooring locations and a copy of the application to the Crown Estate.

Please note that the date for laying of moorings is the date we originally intended to lay them but I understand that it is very unlikely that we will have consent before the 20th May. However, if there is any way of streamlining the consultation process as discussed over the phone that would be much appreciated.

Please could you confirm receipt of the application and let me know if you require any further information?

Kind Regards

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Dh'fhaodadh gum bi teachdaireachd sam bith bho Riaghaltas na h-Alba air a chlàradh neo air a sgrùdadh airson dearbhadh gu bheil an siostam ag obair gu h-èifeachdach neo

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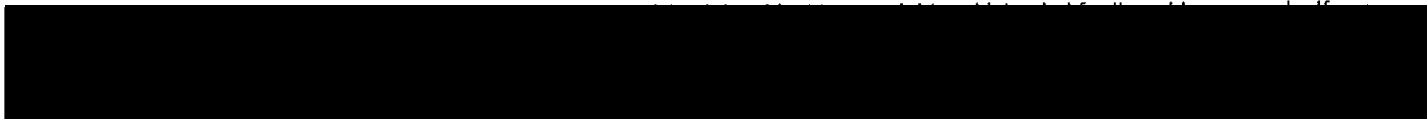
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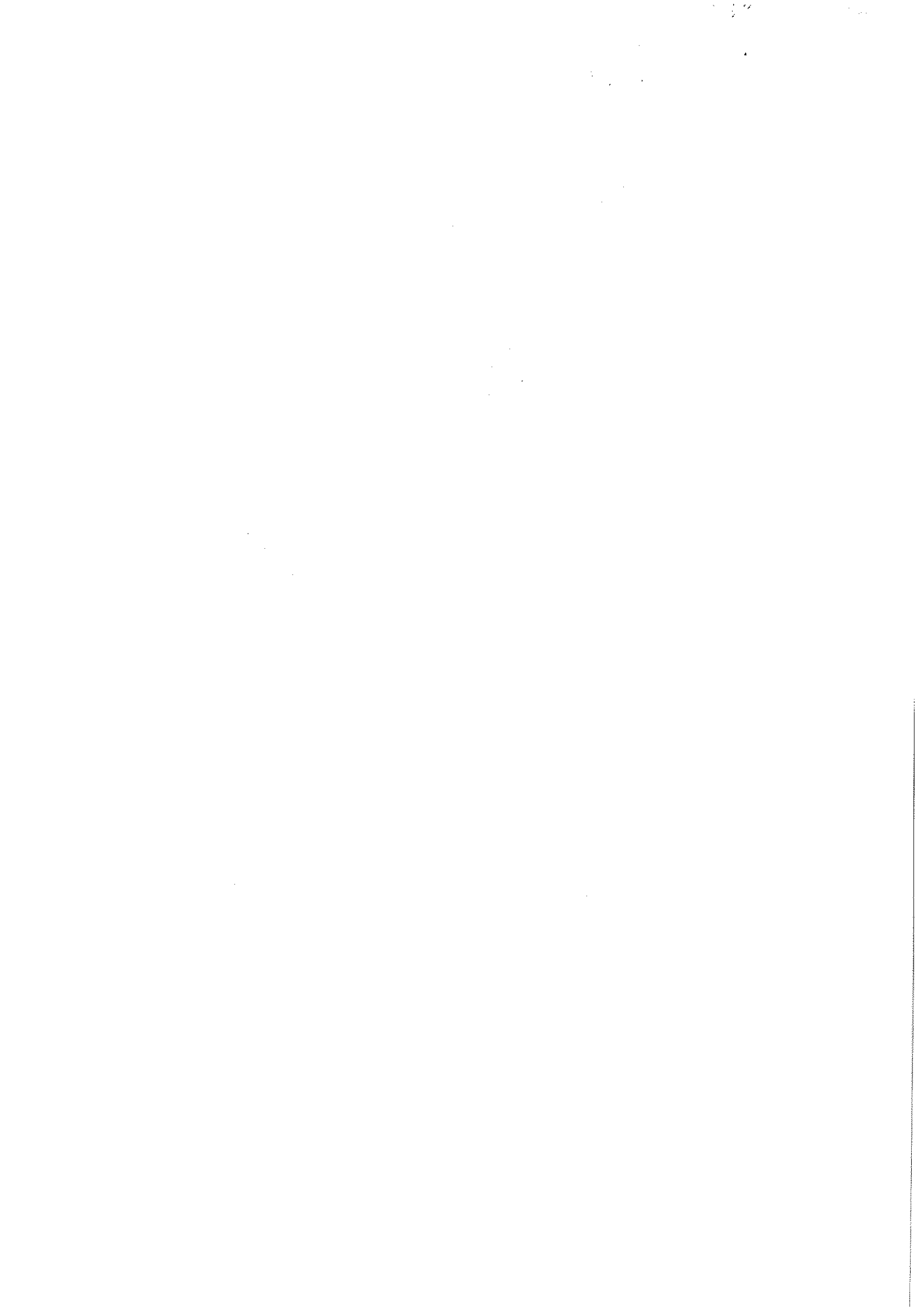
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[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: 23 April 2015 12:16
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: mooring application for Shiant Isles
Attachments: [REDACTED] Shiants Moorings Application-signed.pdf; RSPB Scotland Crown Estate Mooring Application.pdf; Shiants moorings final map.pdf

Categories: Red Category

[REDACTED]

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**Moorings & Marine Fish and Shellfish Farms in the Territorial Sea
and UK Controlled Waters Adjacent to Scotland**

Marine (Scotland Act) 2010

Marine and Coastal Access Act 2009

IMPORTANT: Before completing this form, please read these notes carefully.

The following numbered paragraphs correspond to the questions on the application form and are intended to assist applicants in completing the form. These explanatory notes are specific to this application and so applicants are advised to read these in conjunction with the General Guidance document. If further clarification is needed please contact Marine Scotland Licensing Operations Team (MS-LOT) on  or email:



Please refer to the General Guidance for information regarding payment methods.

Marine Laboratory, PO Box 101, 375 Victoria Road,
Aberdeen AB11 9DB
www.scotland.gov.uk/marinescotland



Explanatory Notes

1. Project and Payment Details

Please provide a brief description of the mooring(s) or Marine Farm and details of how payment will be made.

2. Applicant

The person, company or organisation making the application that will be named as the licensee on any licence issued.

3. Application Type

Please indicate if this is a new application or renewal.

4. Details of Mooring/Marine Farm

Please provide information on the location, type and number of moorings and the designation status of the area (details of Natura 2000 sites can be found on the SNH Sitelink website at <http://gateway.snh.gov.uk>). If applying for a group of moorings, the corner points of the site should be given. Please only complete section a and b if applying for a marine farm, unless your application also includes moorings associated with the farm operations.

5. Details of Marine Farm(s)

Please provide information on the type of farm, the infrastructure and include a sketch of the marine farm equipment layout to be used

6. Latitude & longitude: For positions read from charts of 1:25,000 scale or smaller, the format should be, e.g. 55°55.55'N 2°22.22'W. The decimal point specifies that decimals of minutes are used and the datum is stated explicitly. If seconds are used then the datum should be explicitly marked, e.g. 55°55'44"N 2°22'11"W. For positions read from larger scale charts, e.g. 1:10,000, three decimal places of minutes should be used, e.g. 55°55.444'N 2°22.222'W.

It is important that the correct positions are included with this application, as any errors may result in the application being refused or delayed.

7. Consultation

Lochs Creran, Alsh, Duich and Long are designated as Special Areas of Conservation (SAC) under the Habitats Directive (Council Directive 92/43/EEC). Loch Creran has been selected for its bedrock and biogenic reefs of the tube worm *Serpula vermicularis* and the horse mussel, *Modiolus modiolus* and Lochs Alsh, Duich and Long for their sublittoral rock (marine) reefs. All are very sensitive to physical damage from anchors and the placement of moorings and in order to assist their protection reference should be made to the special moorings pack which can be downloaded from the following link: <http://www.scotland.gov.uk/Topics/marine/Licensing/marine/Applications>

Other Considerations

Applicants should also be aware of the need to pay due regard to coastal and marine archaeological matters and attention is drawn to Historic Scotland's Operational Policy Paper HP6, "Conserving the Underwater Heritage". Please ensure that you have:

- completed all applicable sections of the application form;
- signed and dated the declaration;
- provided the correct relevant documents, charts, and continuation sheets (where necessary); and
- enclosed the correct payment (together with the remittance slip) or paid by means of BACS (if appropriate).

Otherwise your application may be delayed or returned to you.

**Application for the Placement of Moorings & Marine Fish and
Shellfish Farms in the Territorial Sea and UK Controlled Waters
Adjacent to Scotland
(ML-006)**

**Marine (Scotland) Act 2010
Marine and Coastal Access Act 2009**

**It is the responsibility of the applicant to obtain any other consents or authorisations that
may be required.**

**Under Part 4, Section 54 of the Marine (Scotland) Act 2010 and Section 101 of the Marine and Coastal
Access Act 2009 all information contained within or provided in support of this application will be
placed on the Public Register. There is no national security grounds for application information not
going on the Register under the 2010 Act. Under the 2009 Act, application information goes on the
Register unless the Secretary of State determines that it's disclosure in the Register would be
contrary to the interests of national security.**

Public Register

Is there any information contained within or provided in support of this application that you consider should not be included on the Public Register on the grounds that its disclosure

- (a) would be contrary to the interests of national security; or YES NO
- (b) would adversely affect the confidentiality of commercial or industrial information where such confidentiality is provided by law to protect a legitimate commercial interest? YES NO

If **YES**, to either (a) or (b), please provide full justification as to why all or part of the information you have provided should be withheld.

1. Mooring(s) and Payment Details

Please give a brief identifiable description, including the location, of the moorings.

We propose to install one mooring on either side of the isthmus that connects Eilean Tighe and Garbh Eilean at the Shiant Isles located in the Minch to the West of Harris

Payment: Enclosed payment BACS OR Invoice

2. Applicant Details

Title [redacted] Initials [redacted] Surname [redacted]

Trading Title (if appropriate) [redacted]

Address [redacted]

Name of Contact (if different) [redacted]

Position within Company (if appropriate) [redacted]

Telephone No. (Inc. dialing code) [redacted]

Fax No. (inc. dialing code)

Company Registration No. Email [redacted]

3. Application Type

Is this a new application or a renewal/amendment of an existing consent (please tick box)?

New application Renewal/Amendment

If applying for a renewal or amendment please enclose a copy of the original consent letter with this application or provide the consent reference number, and provide details of the amendments to be made to the consent.

4. Details of Mooring/Marine Farm

(a) Name of the geographical location of the mooring/Marine Farm:

Shiant Isles in the Minch to the East of Harris

(b) Is the proposed location adjacent to a Special Area of Conservation (SAC), Special Protection Area (SPA), Site of Special Scientific Interest (SSSI), Ramsar or similar conservation area boundary? YES NO

(c) Type of mooring (please tick): Private Commercial

(d) Number of moorings: 2



(e) Size and type of vessel(s) to be moored:

Several vessels will use the moorings as part of the Shiant's Seabird Recovery Project from June 2015 to September 2018. These will vary in size from a minimum of a 7.5m RIB to a maximum of a 17m Wildcat 53 catamaran.

5. Details of Marine Farm

(a) Please tick one of the boxes below which best describes the proposal:

Finfish Shellfish Other (please specify)

(b) Please insert the **NUMBER** (in the boxes provided) of component parts to be used at the marine farm from the equipment list below:

Ring Cages Square Pens Longlines

Rafts/Grid Cages/Lines Feed Barges

Moorings pontoons Feed pipes to shore
 Pipe routes must be marked on the accompanying chart

Other (please specify)

(c) Please enclose a sketch of the marine farm clearly showing the relevant dimensions.

6. Position (to WGS 84):

LATITUDE										LONGITUDE									
1 Corner Positions																			
		°										°							
		°										°							
		°										°							
		°										°							
2 Central Positions																			
5	7	°	5	3		6	4	1	2	-6	°	2	1		4	3	9	2	
		°										°							
5	7	°	5	3		5	3	8	0	-6	°	2	1		5	9	1	0	
		°										°							

7. Consultation with Conservation Bodies

Please confirm if you have consulted with any of the following organisations listed below prior to submitting this application by ticking the relevant box. A copy of any relevant correspondence should be included with this application:

Crown Estate Marine Scotland (Marine Laboratory) Maritime and Coastguard Agency
 Northern Lighthouse Board Scottish Environment Protection Agency
 Scottish Natural Heritage Other (please specify below)

Marine Laboratory, PO Box 101, 375 Victoria Road,
 Aberdeen AB11 9DB
www.scotland.gov.uk/marinescotland



Other: An application for these moorings was sent by post on the 23rd March but I have now re-submitted the application after making an inquiries to find out that the original application was not received. An Application was also sent to the crown estate on 23rd March which is being processed.

Proposed Date for Laying of Mooring/installing farm equipment:

20th May 2015

Declaration

I declare to the best of my knowledge and belief that the information given in this form and related papers is true.

WARNING

It is an offence under the Act under which this application is made to fail to disclose information or to provide false or misleading information.

Signature

Date

23/04/2015

Name in BLOCK LETTERS

Position within company
(if appropriate)

Please check carefully the information you have given and that all the enclosures (including copies) have been included

Application Check List

• Completed application form x 1	✓
• Maps/Charts x 1	✓
• All other relevant documentation x 1	✓
• A copy of the original consent letter (if applicable) x 1	
• Payment (if paying by cheque)	

Marine works application form

Moorings

Please read the attached guidance notes before completing this form

1. Applicant details

Name

Organisation Name
If applicable

Address

Post Code

Telephone Number

Mobile Telephone

Email

2. Correspondence Details If different from above

Name

Organisation Name
If applicable

Address

Post Code

Telephone Number

Email

3. Mooring details

Name of Water:

Existing Licence Number (if applicable):

Please list the moorings you are applying for and their intended positions. If you wish to apply for a moorings area rather than individual positions then please provide a plan showing the area required. Continue on a separate sheet if necessary.

Please note you must provide co-ordinates to 3 decimal places and specify whether WGS84 or Chart Datum is the co-ordinate system used.

WGS84? Y - Chart Datum? N		Latitude		Longitude		Vessel Owner
Mooring	Vessel Name & Length	Degrees	Decimal Min	Degrees	Decimal min	Name
1	NA 9 m	57	89 482	-6	35 732	NA
2	NA 9 m	57	89 230	-6	35 985	NA
3						
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Are the moorings for private or commercial use?

No plans are required for individual moorings but for clarity you may wish to enclose a plan indicating the position of each of the moorings applied for.

If you are applying on behalf of a number of individuals and you have ten or more moorings then may wish to consider forming a Moorings Association. Further details on how to form a Moorings Association are available in the guidance notes.

4. Other consents

Please note that other consents for your mooring may be required, see Section 9 of the Guidance Notes.

If you wish to discuss your mooring application in more detail please speak to one of our dedicated Marine Officers, contact details are also found in the guidance notes.

5. Declaration

I have read and accept the terms of the Notes for Guidance and hereby apply for a licence for the mooring(s) in the position(s) as noted in Section 3 of this application and confirm the information on this form is complete and correct.

Signed: 

Name: 

Date: 

Please return this form to:

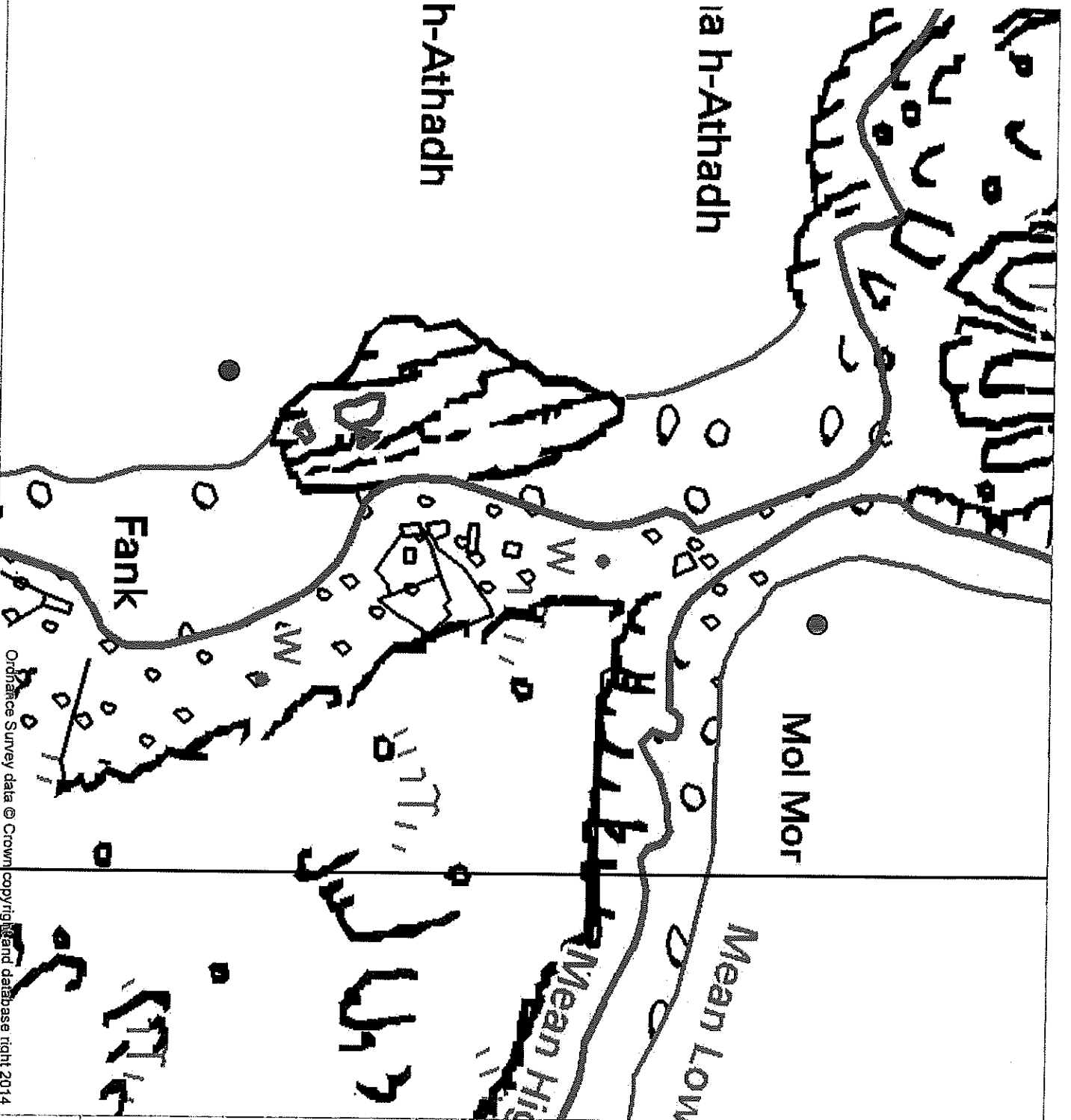
Coastal Management Team


or email your application to: 

Proposed location of moorings on the Shiantis

Legend:

- Mooring 1
- Mooring 2



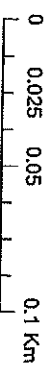
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Proposed location of moorings on the Shiantis

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- Mooring 2

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