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## **EXPLANATORY NOTE**

*(This note is not part of the Order)*

By section 36 of the Electricity Act 1989, the consent of the Secretary of State is required for the construction, extension or operation of a generating station above a permitted capacity.

This Order exempts from that requirement any generating station on an offshore installation which is used solely to supply electricity to that or another offshore installation.