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The Continental Shelf (Designation of Areas) Order 2013

*Made* 11<sup>th</sup> December

*Coming into force* 31<sup>st</sup> March

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 11th day of December 2013

Present,

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council

Her Majesty, in exercise of the powers conferred on Her by section 1(7) of the Continental Shelf Act 1964( ), section 3(3) of the Territorial Sea Act 1987( ) and of all other powers enabling Her in that behalf, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

—(1) This Order may be cited as the Continental Shelf (Designation of Areas) Order 2013, and comes into force on 31st March 2014.

(2) The Continental Shelf (Designation of Areas) (Consolidation) Order 2000( ) and the Continental Shelf (Designation of Areas) Order 2001( ) are revoked.

(3) In respect of the matters referred to in section 2(4) of the Territorial Sea Act 1987 (which continues in effect certain regulations and licences relating to petroleum), the Continental Shelf (Designation of Areas) Orders 1964 to 1982( ) shall continue to have effect as they had effect immediately before the coming into force of the Territorial Sea Act 1987.

(4) The coordinates in the Schedules to this Order are defined on the World Geodetic System 1984 Datum (WGS84).

The areas which are designated as areas within which the rights of the United Kingdom outside territorial waters with respect to the sea bed and subsoil and their natural resources are exercisable are:

- (a) The area designated under section 41(3) of the Marine and Coastal Access Act 2009( ) (the exclusive economic zone), except that between points 177 and 184 inclusive the area shall extend only to the line described in Schedule A to this Order; and
- (b) The area bounded by the lines defined in Schedule B to this Order.



Point	Co-ordinate	Co-ordinate	Description
252	58° 03' .892091N	023° 39' .714184W	Geodesic
253	58° 02' .974844N	023° 40' .453946W	Geodesic
254	58° 02' .051057N	023° 41' .164199W	Geodesic
255	58° 01' .121008N	023° 41' .844673W	Geodesic
256	58° 01' .062803N	023° 41' .885232W	Geodesic
257	57° 28' .000000N	025° 08' .122804W	Parallel of latitude
258	57° 28' .00N	023° 57' .40W	Meridian of longitude
259	57° 22' .00N	023° 57' .40W	Parallel of latitude
260	57° 22' .00N	021° 32' .00W	Meridian of longitude
261	57° 14' .00N	021° 32' .00W	Parallel of latitude
262	57° 14' .00N	019° 30' .00W	Meridian of longitude
263	57° 05' .50N	019° 30' .00W	Parallel of latitude
264	57° 05' .50N	017° 24' .00W	Meridian of longitude
265	56° 56' .00N	017° 24' .00W	Parallel of latitude
266	56° 56' .00N	015° 36' .00W	Meridian of longitude
267	56° 49' .00N	015° 36' .00W	Parallel of latitude
268	56° 49' .00000N	014° 30' .57261W	268 to 186 are joined by a line every point of which is 200 nautical miles from the nearest point on the baselines from which the breadth of the territorial sea of Great Britain and Northern Ireland is measured.
186	56° 34' .63126N	014° 19' .86168W	

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