

**CONTINUATION AND RENEWAL OF
MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING ON THE DEVELOPMENT OF OFFSHORE
WIND
BETWEEN
THE GOVERNMENT OF DENMARK AND THE CALIFORNIA ENERGY
COMMISSION
hereby jointly referred to as “the Participants”**

The purpose of this document is to continue and renew the Memorandum of Understanding between the Government of Denmark and the California Energy Commission that was signed by the Participants on April 30, 2018.

WHEREAS,

The rationale expressed in the Memorandum of Understanding continues to exist and be relevant, specifically:

Climate change represents an urgent and potentially irreversible threat to human societies, particularly the poor and vulnerable, as well as to the environment and our global economy;

Denmark and California have both committed to fighting climate change as part of the Under2 Coalition. The Coalition was formed in 2015 by the states of California and Baden-Württemberg, Germany to mobilize and galvanize bold climate action from like-minded city, state and regional governments around the globe. Coalition members pledge to limit greenhouse gas emissions to 2 tons per capita or 80 to 95 percent below 1990 levels by 2050. Denmark became an Endorsing Partner to the Under2 MOU in February 2017;

Denmark has experience and history in developing offshore wind energy facilities and California is exploring the feasibility, potential impacts, and appropriate locations of, and for, wind facilities offshore the California Coast;

WHEREAS,

The Participants recognize the value of continuing and renewing the Memorandum of Understanding in order to further its objective of sharing knowledge, experiences, data, and best practices relevant to the development of offshore wind energy.

NOW THEREFORE,

The Participants agree to continue and renew the Memorandum of Understanding;

FURTHER,

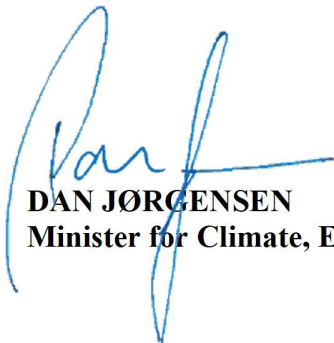
Upon signature by the Participants, the Memorandum of Understanding shall continue and be renewed from its previous expiration date and shall continue until December 31, 2022;

FURTHER,

The Participants agree all other terms of the Memorandum of Understanding shall remain the same.

For the Danish Government

For the California Energy Commission



DAN JØRGENSEN
Minister for Climate, Energy and Utilities

Karen Douglas

KAREN DOUGLAS
Commissioner,
California Energy Commission

Signed on 10 August 2020
at Copenhagen

Signed on November 2, 2020
at Sacramento, CA