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Clause 1

LORD LENNIE

Clause 1, page 3, line 23, at end insert –

"4ZD The climate change test mentioned in s 4ZA

The climate change test is met in relation to a relevant year if the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change on the mitigation of climate change publish a report following the passing of this Act which makes a finding that the granting of additional seaward area production licences is consistent with limiting warming to 1.5°C."

Member's explanatory statement

This amendment, together with the other in the name of Lord Lennie, sets out a new test to be applied by the OGA before inviting applications for new seaward production licences.

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