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**Supplementary consultation in accordance with Articles 4 and 5 of the Espoo Convention on Environmental Impact Assessment in a Transboundary Context (Espoo Convention) regarding a planned offshore wind farm "Najaderna" in Sweden's exclusive economic zone.**

The Swedish Environmental Protection Agency invited Finland on the 17th of June 2025 regarding the EIA and application for a permit for the "Najaderna" Offshore wind farm. Finland replied to the Swedish Environmental Protection Agency with comments received during the consultation.

The developer has now prepared replies to prior received comments during the transboundary consultation. The SEPA now informs Finland with the statement from the developer for information and with the opportunity to comment on the documents.

In accordance with Articles 4 and 5 of the Convention on Environmental Impact Assessment in a Transboundary Context (Espoo Convention), Sweden hereby invites authorities and organizations in Finland that contributed with comments in prior consultation to review attached replies, and if needed, present further comments based on attached documentation to be handled in the permit application process.

**The planned project**

The developer, Najaderna Offshore AB, has to the Swedish government applied for a permit to build an offshore wind farm within Swedish territorial waters and the Swedish Economic Zone (SEZ) in the southern Bothnian Sea. The project area for the wind farm covers approximately 350 km<sup>2</sup> and is located at its closest point about 17 km off the mainland coastline within Tierp Municipality, Uppsala County, and also extends into Sweden's Exclusive Economic Zone (EEZ). The project area consists of open sea with a water depth ranging from approximately 30 to 70 meters. Within the wind farm area, a maximum of 67 wind turbines is planned, with a total height of up to 365 meters above sea level and an installed capacity of about 1,700 MW.

As the project is located in Sweden's economic zone, a permit is required according to Section 5 of the Swedish Economic Zone Act (1992:1140) to build and operate the facilities. Permits under SEZ are reviewed and decided by the government. To an application in the case of an SEZ permit, an EIA must be drawn up and chapter. 2–4 shall be applied for the examination. and chapter. 5 §§ 3–5 and 18 of the Environmental code.

### **Upcoming process**

The developer has submitted an environmental impact assessment to the government in accordance with the law (1992:1140) on Sweden's economic zone (SEZ), the government has commissioned the county administrative board of Uppsala to prepare the permit application. The county administrative board will take into account eventual further comments received based on the developer's reply.

If there are any further comments based on the developer's reply, The SEPA kindly asks you to submit your comments **no later than 20<sup>th</sup> of March 2026**

Send the answer to this consultation by e-mail to:  
[registrator@naturvardsverket.se](mailto:registrator@naturvardsverket.se) and [espoo@swedishepa.se](mailto:espoo@swedishepa.se). Please indicate Case number NV-06832-22 and "OWF Najaderna" in your answer.

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Attachments in Swedish and Finnish:  
Developers reply (Swedish and Finnish)

Cc.  
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