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Ministry of New and Renewable Energy (MNRE) notified 'Offshore Wind Energy Lease Rules, 2023' through Ministry External Affairs (MEA) vide GSR 901(E) dated 19.12.2023 under the Territorial Waters, Continental Shelf, Exclusive Economic Zones and Other Maritime Zones Act, 1976 to regulate the grant of lease of offshore areas for the development of offshore wind energy projects. In order to ease out the leasing process, the draft amendment to these rules is placed as Annexure with a request to provide comments/suggestions/views within 15 days of issuance of this circular to this office at rishikesh.mnre@gov.in.

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