

**SECTION 27** 

**Public Safety** 



## Section 27. Public Safety

#### A. Narrative.

The proposed project will include the installation of five Vestas V136-4.0 MW turbines. Attached is information provided by Vestas which attests to the safety standards of their WTG equipment. This includes information pertaining to overspeed controls See Exhibit 27.1.

The site plans included in this application demonstrates the safety setback zones for each WTG.

Also attached is the safety policy from Cianbro, who will be the general contractor for the project (Exhibit 27.2).



## Exhibit 27.1

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# SAFETY CULTURE

## **2018 SAFETY STATISTICS**

> 5.7 million work hours RIR 0.90 EMR 0.51

Beyond Zero - We Have Each Other's Backs Cianbro Accident Prevention Process (CAPP) "Healthiest and Safest Company in America" - ACOEM







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### **Safety Policy**

Cianbro team members deserve a work environment that is free from injuries, illnesses, and at-risk behaviors.

We will attain our goal of eliminating at-risk behaviors and achieving zero injuries by having each other's backs. We believe that teamwork is required to achieve a safe working environment.

All Cianbro managers are expected to provide an injury/illness free workplace for all team members and subcontractors. Supervisors must hold all team members, subcontractors and vendors accountable to high performance standards.

#### **Action Items:**

The following minimum action items have been established:

- (1) Report all near misses daily. Expect your team to report near misses to you. This information, when acted upon, will improve our overall safety performance.
- (2) Measure performance and progress towards our ultimate goal and develop improvement initiatives to be implemented.
- (3) Use activity planning, frequent inspections of all work activities by competent persons, and other hazard recognition tools to identify and mitigate hazards.
- (4) Implement a "Safety Health Awareness Raises Excellence" (SHARE) committee at all work locations. Focus on improving the overall project/department safety processes to include eliminating, isolating or controlling physical and environmental hazards, injury management activities, eliminating at-risk behaviors, promoting wellness initiatives, community involvement, and team member morale, etc.
- (5) Support CAPP (Cianbro's Accident Prevention Process) at each project by allowing adequate time for team members to complete observations and provide immediate feedback to those observed.
- (6) Train each team member appropriately before starting a new work assignment. This training will, at a minimum, include workplace orientation, team member mentoring, care and use of personal protective equipment, and lastly specific activity planning instructions including recognition and mitigation of hazards. In addition, team members must be qualified to properly operate tools and/or equipment in order to complete their work safely. Supervisors must ensure that new team members are partnered with experienced team members to help them work safely.
- (7) Provide immediate medical attention from an established health care clinic or hospital to every injured team member.
- (8) Investigate all accidents, injuries, at-risk behaviors, and near misses to find root causes. The results of the investigation will be used and communicated to prevent future occurrences.
- (9) Pre-qualify subcontractors based on their safety performance and hold them accountable to comply with all federal, state, local, and Cianbro requirements. Monitor their safety performance and ensure that all injuries are investigated, documented and reviewed by project management.

We will communicate the Cianbro Safety Program to all Cianbro team members with innovation and effectiveness, while holding team members accountable to follow established safety initiatives.

The corporate, business unit/market and project safety managers will assist the project teams in developing, implementing, and monitoring their compliance with all safety programs, policies, and procedures.

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- Beyond Zero Safety Reviews
- Cianbro Accident Prevention Process (CAPP) Card
- **Counseling Report**
- **Daily Activity Plan**
- First Report of Incident
- Hazard Hunt Card
- Hazardous Materials and Hazardous Waste Handbook
- Health and Safety Recognition Policy
- Incident Investigation Policy
- Injury Management Policy
- Lesson Learned Form
- Life Saving Absolutes Policy
- **Progressive Discipline Policy**
- Project Environmental Plan
- Project Management Plan (PMP) Outline
- **Recognition Report**
- Safety Inspection X-ray Program
- Safety Monthly Topics Calendar
- Safety Policy and Procedure Index
- Safety Specialist's Job Responsibilities and Expectations
- Subcontractors Best Practices at Jobsites Policy
- Wellness Program Brochure
- Work Activity Planning Policy



#### **Overview**

Cianbro implemented the Cianbro Accident Prevention Process (CAPP) program in 1997 as a behavior-based safety process that provides all team members with the opportunity to participate in safety improvement by performing observations that identify both safe and at-risk behavior in everyday work activities.

#### Vision

Continually improve our safety culture through management support of an employee owned and operated behavioral observation and feedback process that provides leadership and direction towards our goal of zero workplace injuries.

#### Mission

Implement Cianbro's Accident Prevention Process (CAPP) into our safety program to create an environment of safe behaviors that will result in zero workplace injuries.

#### **Objectives**

Identify safe and at-risk behaviors by observing work in progress

Provide immediate feedback to the person doing the work on what was observed safe and at-risk

Discuss alternatives to any at-risk behaviors to determine barriers that may exist to safely perform the work

Collect data to use in problem solving potential solutions

Develop action plans to eliminate barriers that may exist

Implement action plans and start the process over again



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# CONFORMITY STATEMENT

Statement No.: DE-DNVGL-SE-0074-04979-0 Issued: 2019-06-07

## Issued for: Design Evaluation of Vestas V136-4.0 MW / V136-4.2 MW

Specified in Annex 1

## Issued to: Vestas Wind Systems A/S

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According to:

# DNVGL-SE-0074:2018-01 Type and component certification of wind turbines according to IEC 61400-22

Based on the document: ER-DE-DNVGL-SE-0074-04979-0

Evaluation Report, dated 2019-06-07

Changes of the system design are to be approved by DNV GL.

Hellerup, 2019-06-07

For DNV GL Renewables Certification

Bente Vestergaard Service Line Leader Type Certification



By DAkkS according DIN EN IEC/ISO 17065 accredited Certification Body for products. The accreditation is valid for the fields of certification listed in the certificate. Hamburg, 2019-06-07

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Basic standard

**General** Wind Turbine class

Power regulation Rotor orientation Rotor tilt Cone angle Rated power Rated wind speed v<sub>r</sub>

Rotor diameter Hub height(s) Hub height operating wind speed range v<sub>in</sub> - v<sub>out</sub>

Design life time Software version

#### Wind conditions

Turbulence intensity  $I_{ref}$  at  $v_{hub} = 15 \text{ m/s}$ Annual average wind speed at hub height  $v_{ave}$ 

Reference wind speed  $v_{\text{ref}}$  Mean flow inclination Hub height extreme wind speed  $v_{\text{e50}}$ 

#### **Electrical network conditions**

Normal supply voltage and range

Normal supply frequency and range Voltage imbalance Maximum duration of electrical power network outages Number of electrical network outages

#### **Other environmental conditions**

Standard temperature ranges

Relative humidity of the air

Air density

Solar radiation Description of lightning protection system Page 2 of 5

IEC 61400-1 ed. 3 + A1

IEC 2B (V136-4.0 MW) IEC S (V136-4.2 MW) pitch-controlled Upwind 6.0° 4.0° 4000 kW / 4200 kW 10.7 m/s (V136-4.0 MW) 11.0 m/s (V136-4.2 MW) 136 m 112 m 3 – 27 m/s (HWO disabled) 3 – 32 m/s (HWO enabled) 20 years 2017.09.126

0.14 8.5 m/s (V136-4.0 MW) 8.0 m/s (V136-4.2 MW) 42.5 m/s 8° 59.5 m/s

720 V 19.1-36 kV  $\pm$  10 % 50 or 60 Hz  $\pm$  6 % Hz IEC 61000-3-6 TR max 2 % Two 3 months periods Max 52 per year

Normal: -20°C to +40°C\* Extreme: -20°C to +50°C (\*de-rating strategy above +30°C for V136-4.0 MW \*de-rating strategy above +20°C for V136-4.2 MW) 100% (max 40% of time) and 90% (rest of life time) 1.225 kg/m<sup>3</sup> (for normal operation) 1.273 kg/m<sup>3</sup> (for low temperature operation) 1000 W/m<sup>2</sup> Designed acc. to IEC 61400-24, Protection Level 1 and IEC 61312-1

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#### **Major components**

Туре Blade Hybrid/Infused Manufacturer Vestas Material Hybrid: Glass fibre pre-preg / dry glass "hybrid" and pvc core with Carbon and T pultrusions Infused: dry glass together with Carbon and T pultrusions Blade length 66.65 m Air brake 3 Drawing / Data sheet / Part no. V136 blade: 0055-0068 Rev. 6 Aero add-ons: 0059-6671, Rev. 0 -V136 STE kit 0056-5767, Rev. 1 - V136 Vortex Generator Assembly **Blade bearing** Type Double row four-point contact ball bearing Manufacturer Laulagun/Rollix/Liebherr/TMB Drawing / Data sheet / Part no. 29058368, Rev.1 **Pitch system** Type Hydraulic power unit Manufacturer LJM/Glual/Hine/Liebherr Hydraulic Cylinder (140/90x922) 29060554, Rev. 2 Pitch Actuation Module Туре Manufacturer Vestas Wind Systems A/S Drawing / Data sheet / Part no. 29113714, Rev.1 Main shaft Cast iron Type EN-GJS-500-14 Material Drawing / Data sheet / Part no. 29085300, Rev. 4 Main bearing Spherical Roller Bearing Type Manufacturer SKF/FAG Drawing / Data sheet / Part no. SKF - 240/950 CA/C3LW 33VQ113 FAG - F-582562.PRL-WPO Gearbox Type 2 stage planetary and helical stage gearbox Manufacturer ZF (EH1052A)

Yaw system

Drive manufacturer Drawing / Data sheet / Part no.

Drawing / Data sheet / Part no.

Gear ratio

Drive type

Drive type

8 x 3.2 kW, 400 V, 60 Hz

096-EH1052A001, Rev. A

8 x 2.7 kW, 400 V, 50 Hz

asynchronous motors

MZ10/A4A-55337

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Drive manufacturer Drawing / Data sheet / Part no.

Drive type

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Drive type

Drive manufacturer Drawing / Data sheet / Part no.

Gear type

Gear manufacturer Drawing / Data sheet / Part no.

Gear type

Gear manufacturer Drawing / Data sheet / Part no.

Bearing type

Bearing manufacturer Drawing / Data sheet / Part no.

#### Generator

Manufacturer

Type

Rated power Rated frequency Rated speed Rated voltage Rated current Insulation class Degree of protection Page 4 of 5

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asynchronous motors Lafert MZ10/A4A-55338

8 x 2.7 kW, 400 V, 50 Hz asynchronous motors ABB 3GZF500810-23 A 14 AA 100 A

8 x 3.2 kW, 400 V, 60 Hz asynchronous motors ABB 3GZF500810-23 A 14 AA 100 A

8 x 2.7 kW, 400 V, 50 Hz asynchronous motors Bonfiglioli CD00006614-02

8 x 3.2 kW, 400 V, 60 Hz asynchronous motors Bonfiglioli CD00007013-01

Bevel stage and three planetary stages, i = 952.3 Bonfiglioli I7090T010300

Bevel stage and three planetary stages, i = 935 Comer N07297\_01

Preloaded sliding bearing, PETP pads Vestas Wind Systems A/S 29104726, Rev. 0

DASG 560/6M, Induction generator Vestas Nacelles Deutschland (VND) 4450 kW 74 Hz 1485 rpm 800 V 3650 A H IP54

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Converter	Type Manufacturer Rated voltage machine/grid Rated current Degree of protection Drawing / Data sheet / Part no.	Full quadrant IGBT Vestas Wind Systems A/S 720 Vrms / 800 Vrms 3200 A IP54 0069-2805, Rev. 0
Transformer	Type Manufacturer Rated voltage Degree of protection Drawing / Data sheet / Part no.	Cast-Resin transformer 4GY6781-1EY Siemens 33 / 0.72 V IP00 0073-7914, Rev. 0
	Type Manufacturer Rated voltage Degree of protection Drawing / Data sheet / Part no.	Cast-Resin transformer DTTH1N 4000/30 SGB 33 / 0.72 V IP00 0073-7915, Rev. 0
Tower	Type Number of sections Length Drawing / Data sheet / Part no.	Conical steel 5 109.60 m (HH 112 m) 0072-0565, Rev. 0
Manuals	O&M manual Transport manual Installation / Commissioning manual	0040-6996, Rev. 14 0040-6996, Rev. 14 0040-6996, Rev. 14

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6.8 Lights

The turbine is equipped with lights in the tower, nacelle and hub.

There is emergency light in case of the loss of electrical power.

## 6.9 Emergency Stop

There are emergency stop buttons in the nacelle, hub and bottom of the tower.

## 6.10 **Power Disconnection**

The turbine is equipped with breakers to allow for disconnection from all power sources during inspection or maintenance. The switches are marked with signs and are located in the nacelle and bottom of the tower.

## 6.11 Fire Protection/First Aid

A handheld 5-6 kg CO<sub>2</sub> fire extinguisher, first aid kit and fire blanket are required to be located in the nacelle during service and maintenance.

- A handheld 5-6 kg CO<sub>2</sub> fire extinguisher is required only during service and maintenance activities, unless a permanently mounted fire extinguisher located in the nacelle is mandatorily required by authorities.
- First aid kits are required only during service and maintenance activities.
- Fire blankets are required only during non-electrical hot work activities.

## 6.12 Warning Signs

Warning signs placed inside or on the turbine must be reviewed before operating or servicing the turbine.

## 6.13 Manuals and Warnings

The Vestas Corporate OH&S Manual and manuals for operation, maintenance and service of the turbine provide additional safety rules and information for operating, servicing or maintaining the turbine.

## 7 Environment

## 7.1 Chemicals

Chemicals used in the turbine are evaluated according to the Vestas Wind Systems A/S Environmental System certified according to ISO 14001:2004. The following chemicals are used in the turbine:

- Anti-freeze to help prevent the cooling system from freezing.
- Gear oil for lubricating the gearbox.
- Hydraulic oil to pitch the blades and operate the brake.
- Grease to lubricate bearings.
- Various cleaning agents and chemicals for maintenance of the turbine.



General Description 4MW Platform Turbine Protection Systems

\*The control system includes: the turbine controller (VMP8000), HV switchgear functions, and remote control system.

\*\*Requires upgrade of the 230V UPS for control system with extra batteries.

\*\*\*Requires upgrade of the 230V UPS for internal light with extra batteries.

\*\*\*\*Requires upgrade of the 24V DC UPS with extra batteries.

**NOTE** For alternative backup times, consult Vestas.

## 5 Turbine Protection Systems

## 5.1 Braking Concept

The main brake on the turbine is aerodynamic. Stopping the turbine is done by full feathering the three blades (individually turning each blade). Each blade has a hydraulic accumulator to supply power for turning the blade.

In addition, there is a mechanical disc brake on the high-speed shaft of the gearbox with a dedicated hydraulic system. The mechanical brake is only used as a parking brake and when activating the emergency stop buttons.

## 5.2 Short Circuit Protections

Breakers	Breaker for Aux. Power.	Breaker 1 for Converter Modules	Breaker 2 for Converter Modules
Breaking Capacity Icu, Ics	TBD	TBD	TBD
Making Capacity Icm	TBD	TBD	TBD

Table 5-1:Short circuit protection data

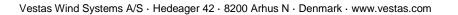
## 5.3 **Overspeed Protection**

The generator rpm and the main shaft rpm are registered by inductive sensors and calculated by the wind turbine controller to protect against overspeed and rotating errors.

The safety-related partition of the VMP8000 control system monitors the rotor rpm. In case of an overspeed situation, the safety-related partition of the VMP8000 control system activates the emergency feathered position (full feathering) of the three blades independently of the non-safety related partition of VMP8000 control system.

Overspeed Protection		
Sensors Type	Inductive	
Trip Level (variant dependent)	12.0-17.5 rpm / 2000 (generator rpm)	

Table 5-2:Overspeed protection data





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## 5.4 Arc Detection

The turbine is equipped with an Arc Detection system including multiple optical arc detection sensors placed in the HV transformer compartment and the converter cabinet. The Arc Detection system is connected to the turbine safety system ensuring immediate opening of the HV switchgear if an arc is detected.

## 5.5 Smoke Detection

The turbine is equipped with a Smoke Detection system including multiple smoke detection sensors placed in the nacelle (above the disc brake), in the transformer compartment, in main electrical cabinets in the nacelle and above the HV switchgear in the tower base. The Smoke Detection system is connected to the turbine safety system ensuring immediate opening of the HV switchgear if smoke is detected.

## 5.6 Lightning Protection of Blades, Nacelle, Hub and Tower

The Lightning Protection System (LPS) helps protect the wind turbine against the physical damage caused by lightning strikes. The LPS consists of five main parts:

- Lightning receptors. All lightning receptor surfaces on the blades are unpainted, excluding the Solid Metal Tips (SMT).
- Down conducting system (a system to conduct the lightning current down through the wind turbine to help avoid or minimise damage to the LPS itself or other parts of the wind turbine).
- Protection against overvoltage and overcurrent.
- Shielding against magnetic and electrical fields.
- Earthing system.

Lightning Protection Design Parameters			Protection Level I
Current Peak Value	i <sub>max</sub>	[kA]	200
Impulse Charge	Qimpulse	[C]	100
Long Duration Charge	Qlong	[C]	200
Total Charge	Q <sub>total</sub>	[C]	300
Specific Energy	W/R	[MJ/Ω]	10
Average Steepness	di/dt	[kA/µs]	200

Table 5-3: Lightning protection design parameters

**NOTE** The Lightning Protection System is designed according to IEC standards (see section 8 Design Codes, p. 28).

## 5.7 EMC

The turbine and related equipment fulfils the EU Electromagnetic Compatibility (EMC) legislation:

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