

Energy Security Select Committee

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Biography

Mary leads all UK Public Affairs for Vattenfall – covering relationships with national governments and the civil service, Members of Parliament and related stakeholders. She has previously held a similar role at the Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors and has significant experience across all forms of political communication. She holds an MA (Distinction) in Political Communication from City University, London.

Mel Rogers

Local Communications Officer – Kent (Vattenfall)

Mel is the Local Communications Officer for Kent, leading on all of Vattenfall's engagement and communications in the County. Mel is a Whitstable resident.

About Vattenfall

Vattenfall is 100 per cent owned by the Swedish state and is one of Europe's largest generators of electricity. Since arriving in the UK in late 200, Vattenfall have grown their portfolio. Vattenfall operates six wind farms across the UK totalling 612MW in operation and another 314MW under construction. Two of these windfarms – the Kentish Flats and Thanet Offshore Windfarm – are located just off of the coast of Kent. The Thanet Offshore Windfarm is one of the largest offshore windfarms in the world.

By 2017, with a capacity of almost 1GW from their onshore and offshore wind farms, Vattenfall will be generating approximately 3TWh per year, offsetting 1.3 million tonnes of CO2* per year. Vattenfall are not just committed to helping the UK achieve its carbon targets, but to making a real contribution to local communities and the national economy; securing a sustainable energy future at the lowest possible cost to consumers.