Voltalia UK Ltd

ELECTRICITY ACT 1989

TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING (SCOTLAND) ACT 1997

THE ELECTRICITY WORKS (ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT) (SCOTLAND) REGULATIONS 2017

Notice is hereby given that Voltalia UK Ltd company registration number 07489990, with its Registered Office at The Wheelhouse, Bond's Mill Estate, Stonehouse, Gloucestershire, England, GL10 3RF, has applied to the Scottish Ministers for consent under Section 36 of the Electricity Act 1989 to construct and operate a wind farm and battery energy storage system known as Cruach Clenamacrie, near Oban, Argyll and Bute (Central Grid Reference E194142 N729887). The installed capacity of the proposed generating station would be over 50MW comprising up to six turbines with a maximum ground to blade tip height of 200 metres and has been subject to Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA). An EIA Report has been produced to accompany the application for consent.

Voltalia UK Ltd has also applied for a direction under Section 57(2) of the Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997 that planning permission for the development be deemed to be granted.

A copy of the application, with a plan showing the land to which it relates, together with a copy of the EIA Report discussing the Company's proposals in more detail and presenting an analysis of the environmental implications, is available for public inspection, free of charge on the application website https://cruach-clenamacrie.co.uk or on the Scottish Government Energy Consents website at www.energyconsents.scot under application reference ECU00004841.

The EIA Report is also available for public inspection in person, free of charge at:

Location	Opening hours	Address
Oban Library	Tuesday 09.30 – 16.30	77 Albany Street,
	Wednesday 09.30 - 16.30	Oban, PA34 5AL
	Thursday 09.00 – 18.00	
	Friday 09.30 – 13.00	
	Saturday 09.30 – 13.00	
Connel Village Hall	Monday – Sunday: 10.00 – 19.00	Connel Village Hall,
	Times may vary, please check the online hall	Connel,
	diary on the Connel Village Hall website,	PA37 1PA
	https://www.connelvillagehall.org.uk/index.asp	
	Materials will be displayed in the front	
	entrance of the village hall.	

Copies of the EIA Report may be obtained from Green Cat Renewables Ltd (telephone: 0131 541 0060 or email: info@greencatrenewables.co.uk) for £1000 per

copy in hard copy and free of charge on USB. Copies of a Non-Technical Summary are available free of charge.

Any representations to the application may be submitted to Scottish Ministers; by email to representations@gov.scot; or by post to Scottish Government Energy Consents Unit, 4th Floor, 5 Atlantic Quay, 150 Broomielaw, Glasgow, G2 8LU, identifying the proposal and specifying the grounds for representation.

Written or emailed representations should be dated, clearly stating the name (in block capitals) and full return email and postal address of those making representations. Only representations sent by email to representations@gov.scot will receive acknowledgement.

All representations should be received not later than Friday 31 January 2025 although Scottish Ministers may consider representations received after this date.

Any subsequent additional information which is submitted by the developer will be subject to further public notice in this manner, and representations on such information will be accepted as per this notice.

As a result of a statutory objection from the relevant planning authority, or where Scottish Ministers decide to exercise their discretion to do so, Scottish Ministers can also cause a public inquiry to be held.

Following examination of the environmental information, Scottish Ministers will determine the application for consent in one of two ways:

- Consent the proposal with or without conditions attached; or
- Reject the proposal.

General Data Protection Regulations

The Scottish Government Energy Consents Unit processes consent applications and consultation representations under the Electricity Act 1989. During the process, to support transparency in decision making, the Scottish Government publishes online at www.energyconsents.scot. A privacy notice is published on the help page at www.energyconsents.scot. This explains how the Energy Consents Unit processes your personal information. If you have any concerns about how your personal data is handled, please email Econsents admin@gov.scot