

SITE NOTICE

Planning and Development Act 2000 (as amended)

Notice of Direct Planning Application to An Bord Pleanála in Respect of a Strategic Infrastructure Development in County Wexford

In accordance with Section 182A of the Planning and Development Act 2000, (as amended), Kilmannock Battery Storage Limited gives notice of its intention to make an application to An Bord Pleanála in relation to the following proposed development in the townland of Great Island, Kilmokea, Co. Wexford.

The proposed development will constitute the provision of the following:

Construction of an electrical infrastructure installation and associated underground grid connection (UGC) on lands within the townland of Great Island measuring approximately 2.58Ha./25812 square metres in overall area. The installation would consist of a 110kV tail-fed substation and underground grid connection measuring approximately 838m in overall length. The 110kV substation would consist of a 110kV transformer; house transformer; disconnect, individual current and voltage transformers, combined current/voltage transformer, surge arrestors; circuit breakers and cable sealing end; a blastwall measuring 8.00m in overall height; 4no. lightning masts measuring 18.00m in overall height; palisade fencing measuring 2.60m in overall height; pole-mounted security cameras and lamp posts. An Eirgrid substation building with an overall footprint of approximately 180.00sqm and overall height of 8.21m would be located at the western end of the substation area. An IPP substation with an overall footprint of 132sqm and height of overall 7.33m would be located at the eastern end. The typical UGC installation would consist of standard ESB ducting details of the following 1no. trench (0.82 m wide ; 1.31 m deep) measuring approximately 838 m in overall length to carry 3no. 160 mm power ducts and 2no. communication ducts and an ECC duct, connecting the proposed substation to an existing 110kV Eirgrid substation at Great Island. The typical trefoil trench will need to be adapted to a flat formation to accommodate for any service crossings encountered along the route. A typical width of trench for a flat formation trench would be approx 1.60m with varying depths. A temporary construction compound would be constructed within the site boundary for construction phase of the development, after which it would be removed.

The planning application may be inspected free of charge or purchased on payment of a specified fee (which shall not exceed the reasonable cost of making such a copy) during public opening hours for a period of seven weeks commencing on **January 25th 2024** at the following locations:

- The Offices of An Bord Pleanála, 64 Marlborough Street, Dublin 1, D01 V902; and
- Wexford County Council, Planning Department County Hall, Carricklawn, Wexford, Y35 WY93

The Planning Application may also be viewed or downloaded on the following website: kilmokeagreatislandsubstation.ie

Submissions or observations may be made only to An Bord Pleanála ("the Board"), 64 Marlborough Street, Dublin 1, DOI V902 (and may also be made online at www.pleanala.ie) during the above mentioned period of seven weeks relating to:

- I. The implications of the proposed development for proper planning and sustainable development; and
- II. The likely effects on the environment of the proposed development; and
- III. The likely significant effects of the proposed development on a European site, if carried out.

Any submissions or observations must be accompanied by a fee of €50 (except for certain prescribed bodies) and must be received by the Board not later than 5.30 p.m. on **March 14th 2024**. Such submissions or observations must also include the following information: -

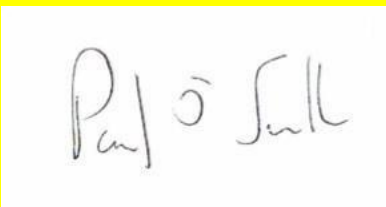
- the name of the person making the submission or observation, the name of the person acting on his or her behalf, if any, and the address to which any correspondence relating the application should be sent,
- the subject matter of the submission or observation; and
- the reasons, considerations and arguments on which the submission or observation is based in full (Article 217 of the Planning and Development Regulations 2001, as amended, refers).

Any submissions or observations which do not comply with the above requirements cannot be considered by the Board. The Board may, at its absolute discretion, hold an oral hearing on the application (refer to 'A Guide to Public Participation in Strategic Infrastructure Development' at www.pleanala.ie).

The Board may in respect of an application for permission/approval decide to: -

1. grant the permission/approval; or
2. make such modifications to the proposed development as it specifies in its decision and grant permission/approval in respect of the proposed development as so modified; or
3. grant permission/approval in respect of part of the proposed development (with or without specified modifications of the foregoing kind), and any of the above decisions may be subject to or without conditions; or
4. refuse to grant the permission

Any enquiries relating to the application process should be directed to the Strategic Infrastructure Development Section of An Bord Pleanála (Telephone 01- 8588100). A person may question the validity of any such decision of the Board by way of an application for judicial review, under Order 84 of the Rule of the Superior Courts (S.I. No. 15 of 1986, as amended by S.I. No. 691 of 2011), in accordance with Section 50 of the Planning and Development Act, 2000, as amended . Practical information on the review mechanism can be accessed on the Board's website www.pleanala.ie or on the Citizens Information Service website, www.citizeninformation.ie



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