## **SETT Wind Development**

### **ELECTRICITY ACT 1989**

## **TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING (SCOTLAND) ACT 1997**

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

Notice is hereby given that SETT Wind Development, company registration number: 10988810 and office address: 16 West Borough, Wimborne, Dorset BH21 1NG has applied to the Scottish Ministers for consent under Section 36 of the Electricity Act 1989 to construct and operate a generating station at the Smittons and Craigengillan North plantations, approximately 5 kilometres east of Carsphairn in Dumfries and Galloway (Central National Grid Reference (eastings) 262319 and (northings) 593591). The installed capacity of the proposed generating station would be over 50MW comprising up to 19 turbines, 17 with a ground to blade tip height of 149.9 metres and 2 with a ground to blade tip height of 125 metres and a battery energy storage facility. The proposal is subject to Environmental Impact Assessment.

SETT Wind development has now submitted additional information to Scottish Ministers, which includes information on the environmental implications of reducing the original application scheme from 19 to 17 turbines.

Copies of the additional information and the application ('the information') are available for public inspection in person, free of charge, during normal office hours at:

Location	Opening Hours	Address
Carsphairn Village Shop and Tearoom (closed 1st – 14th January 2020)	+	Carsphairn Shop and Tearoom Carsphairn Castle Douglas DG7 3TQ
Dumfries and Galloway Council	0900 – 1700 office hours	Dumfries and Galloway Council Development Management Kirkbank House English Street Dumfries DG1 2HS

The information can also be viewed at the Scottish Government Library at Victoria Quay, Edinburgh, EH6 6QQ; on the application website at <a href="http://www.shepherdsrigwindfarm.co.uk">http://www.shepherdsrigwindfarm.co.uk</a> or at <a href="http://www.shepherdsrigwindfarm.co.uk">www.energyconsents.scot</a>.

Copies of the information may be obtained from SETT Wind Development Limited (telephone: 0800 980 4299/email info@shepherdsrigwindfarm.co.uk at a charge of £500 hard copy and free of charge while stocks last on CD. Copies of a short non-technical summary are available free of charge.

Any representations to the application may be submitted via the Energy Consents Unit website at <a href="www.energyconsents.scot/Register.aspx">www.energyconsents.scot/Register.aspx</a>; by email to the Scottish Government, Energy Consents Unit mailbox at <a href="mailto:representations@gov.scot">representations@gov.scot</a>; or by post to the Scottish Government, Energy Consents Unit, 4<sup>th</sup> 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), 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<sup>st</sup> January 2020, although 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 to 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 Local Inquiry (PLI) to be held.

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

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

All previous representations received in relation to this development remain valid.

#### 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 <a href="https://www.energyconsents.scot">www.energyconsents.scot</a>. A privacy notice and a fair processing notice are published on the help page at <a href="https://www.energyconsents.scot">www.energyconsents.scot</a> These explain how the Energy Consents Unit processes your personal information. If you have any concerns about how your personal data is handled, please email us at: <a href="mailto:Econsents\_admin@gov.scot">Econsents\_admin@gov.scot</a> or write to Energy Consents Unit, 4th Floor, 5 Atlantic Quay, 150 Broomielaw, Glasgow, G2 8LU