

**RWE Renewables UK Onshore Wind Limited**

**ELECTRICITY ACT 1989**

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

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

Notice is hereby given that RWE Renewables UK Onshore Wind Ltd company registration number 03758407, with its Registered Office at Windmill Hill Business Park, Whitehill Way, Swindon, Wiltshire, England, SN5 6PB has applied to the Scottish Ministers for consent under Section 36 of the Electricity Act 1989 to construct and operate a wind farm known as Eredine, 4.5 km west of Inveraray and approximately 17 km to the north-east of Lochgilphead in Argyll and Bute, centred at coordinates (E)199418, (N) 704212.

The installed capacity of the proposed generating station would be in excess of 50MW, comprising one battery storage compound with an anticipated capacity of up to 50MW, and 22 wind turbines with a maximum ground to blade tip height of up to 200 metres; these have been subject to Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA). An EIA Report has been produced to accompany the application for consent.

RWE Renewables UK Onshore Wind 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.

Hard copies of the application and EIA Report will be made available for public viewing at:

Location	Opening Hours	Address
Argyll and Bute Council Customer Service point	Monday – Friday: 9am to 12pm.	1A Manse Brae Lochgilphead PA31 8RD United Kingdom
Loch Fyne Hotel	Monday – Friday: 9am to 5pm.	Shore Street, Inveraray, PA32 8XT

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 [www.rwe.com/eredine](http://www.rwe.com/eredine) or on the Scottish Government Energy Consents website at [www.energyconsents.scot](http://www.energyconsents.scot) under application reference ECU00004517.

Copies of the EIA Report may be obtained from RWE Renewables UK Onshore Wind Ltd email: [Nicholas.Taylor@rwe.com](mailto:Nicholas.Taylor@rwe.com) at a charge of £500 per hard copy and free on DVD/CD. Copies of a short Non-Technical Summary are available free of charge.

Any representations to the application may be submitted by email to the Scottish Government, Energy Consents Unit mailbox at [representations@gov.scot](mailto:representations@gov.scot); or by post to the Scottish

Government, Energy Consents Unit, 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](mailto:representations@gov.scot) will receive acknowledgement.

All representations should be received not later than Wednesday the 22<sup>nd</sup> January 2025, 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 the application for consent in 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](http://www.energyconsents.scot). A privacy notice is published on the help page at [www.energyconsents.scot](http://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](mailto:Econsents_admin@gov.scot).