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A special meeting of Kilmaronock Community Council will be held on Monday 12th February 2024 at 7.30pm in Kilmaronock Millennium Hall

AGENDA

- 1. Introduction (2 mins)
- 2. Objective of meeting and intent to report to Scot Gov (2 mins)
- 3. Recap of Developer information and presentations (5 mins) https://valeoflevenwindfarm.com/
- 4. Clarifications on proposed project (5mins)
- 5. Basic industry information on Wind turbine products available to generators (3 mins) https://www.siemensgamesa.com/en-int/products-and-services
- 6. Community comments Alex McEwan (5 mins)
- 7. Community comments Sally Page (5 mins)
- 8. General Discussion (10 mins)
- 9. Summary of key points for Response to Consultation (5 mins)
- 10. Community Councillors agree key points for response to Scot Gov.
- 11. Meeting close

52 mins

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Dear Consultee

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

ELECTRICITY ACT 1989 SECTION 36 AND SCHEDULE 8: APPLICATION FOR THE PROPOSED VALE OF LEVEN WIND FARM IN THE PLANNING AUTHORITY AREA OF WEST DUNBARTONSHIRE COUNCIL.

On 17 October 2023 RSK Environment Ltd, on behalf of Vale of Leven Wind Farm Ltd, submitted an application under section 36 of the Electricity Act 1989 ('the Act') for the Scottish Ministers' consent to construct and operate Vale of Leven Wind Farm located within the Kilpatrick Hills in the planning authority of West Dunbartonshire Council. The proposed Development consists of the construction, 40 year operation of up to 10 wind turbines with a blade tip height up to 250m and a battery energy storage system, including associated ancillary infrastructure.

In accordance with the Electricity Works (Environmental Impact Assessment) (Scotland) Regulations 2017 ('the EIA regulations') and regulations made under Schedule 8(1) to the Act, details of the application will be published in Dunbarton and Vale of Leven Reporter, Lennox Herald, Glasgow Herald and Edinburgh Gazette. The date of the first advert is on 31 October 2023 and the date of the final advert will be 10 November 2023.

In accordance with the EIA Regulations a consultation in respect of the application must be carried out. To support the Scottish Government's aims to "*drive the future transformation of Scotland's planning system to provide a simpler and more consistent online experience across Scotland*" you can also review the EIA Report and associated documents online from our website which can be found and viewed at the following link:

<u>www.energyconsents.scot</u> – search – simple search – Vale of Leven Wind Farm (ECU Reference ECU00003468).

The documentation is also available to view at: <u>https://valeoflevenwindfarm.com/</u>

The EIA Regulations allow no less than 30 days for responses to this consultation.

The closing date for any response you may wish to make in this case is 11th December 2023.

Please note reminder letters are no longer issued by the Energy Consents Unit for any project. If we have not received your comments, nor an extension request by 11th December 2023 we will assume that you have no comments to make.

Please send your response (in PDF format if possible) to Econsents_Admin@gov.scot (please note the underscore _ between Econsents and Admin) and me, <u>Kirstin.Keyes@gov.scot</u>

If you have any questions regarding this e-mail please contact me.

Kind regards,

Kirstin

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