

Board Meeting Record ABP-321599-25

General:

ABP Case No.: ABP-321599-25

Meeting: BM-004976-25 **Meeting Date:** 07/05/2025

Meeting Location: Office of An Bord Pleanála

Board Meeting Record Signed Off: Yes

Attendees:

Chris McGarry

Mary Gurrie

Tom Rabbette

ABP Case:

Inspector: Paula Hanlon

Board Member: Tom Rabbette

Case Type: Normal Planning Appeal PDA2000

Development Address: Meelick, Money Upper, Rathleague, Hophall, Ballymooney, Money Lower, Dysart, Lamberton Demesne, Derry, Clonminam, Powelstown, Kylekiproe and Cappoley, and Esker, Co. Laois.

Development Description Summary: Refurbish 43 no. electricity transmission towers along a c. 7.3 km section (length) of the Coolnabacky – Portlaoise 110 kV overhead line (OHL) and all associated works. A Natura Impact Statement was submitted with the planning application.

Decision:

Inspector Recommendation Accepted? Generally Accepted

Conflict of Interest Identified? No

If Yes, Reason for Conflict of Interest:

Meeting Outcome: Decision Made

Decision: Grant permission

Date Signed: 07/05/2025

Split Vote: No If Yes, Ratio:

Discussion Details:

Board Member 1 - Sign off Board Member 2 - Sign off

Signed Off By: Chris McGarry Signed Off By: Mary Gurrie

Date Signed: 07/05/2025