

Direction CD-021185-25 ABP-321814-25

The submissions on this file and the Inspector's report were considered at a meeting held on 05/11/2025.

The Commission decided, as set out in the following Order as set out below:

Planning

Commissioner:

Date: 06/11/2025

DRAFT WORDING FOR ORDER

The Commission decided that the proposed development the proposed development comprising 2 no. 110kV grid connections (Grid Connection Options 1 & 2) on lands at Ballyfasy Wind Farm, between the villages of Listerlin, Mullinavat, Glenmore, and Slieverue, County Kilkenny, as set out in the plans and particulars received by An Coimisiún Pleanála on the 29th January 2025, 24th February 2025, and 26th May 2025, falls within the scope of section 182A of the Planning and Development Act 2000, as amended, and that a planning application should therefore be made directly to the Commission.

The Commission recommend the application documents should be forwarded the list of **Prescribed Bodies** below for their consultation and consideration

- Department of Housing and Local Government and Heritage
- Minister of Climate, Energy and the Environment
- Kilkenny County Council
- Southern Regional Assembly
- Transport Infrastructure Ireland/ National Transport Authority
- An Chomhairle Ealaion (Arts Council)
- The Heritage Council
- Failte Ireland
- An Taisce
- Irish Water
- Inland Fisheries Ireland
- Department of Agriculture, Food & Marine
- HSE, National Environmental Health Service
- The Commission for Regulation of Utilities (CRU)
- ESB
- EirGrid

Further notifications should also be made, where deemed appropriate.