## Memo

To: Philip Green, Assistant Director of Planning

From: Des Johnson, Director of Planning

**Re:** PCI0001

North-South Electricity Interconnector

Date: 16th September 2014

The PCI Unit indicate that they will be meeting Eirgrid shortly to discuss the scope of material and level of detail of information to be submitted by the project promoter as part of the application file. The Unit requests the input of the Strategic Infrastructure section in this respect.

The proposed North-South Interconnector project within this jurisdiction was the subject of pre-application consultations under the strategic infrastructure provisions of the Planning & Development Act 2000, as amended and those consultations are now completed. Having regard to those consultations please prepare a report on the scope of material and level of information required to be submitted in a future application for approval for the proposed North-South Interconnector under the strategic infrastructure provisions of the Act.

I attach a copy of the communication which I received from Diarmuid Collins, Senior Administrative Officer, of the PCI Unit for your information.

Mr. Des Johnson, Director of Planning, An Bord Pleanála.

15<sup>th</sup> September, 2014.

Re: North-South Electricity Interconnector

Dear Des.

I refer to the above matter. An Bord Pleanála in its role as Competent Authority for Projects of Common Interest (PCI) will soon be meeting with Eirgrid, the project promoter for the above project to identify the scope of material and level of detail of information to be submitted by the project promoter as part of the application file.

Prior to this meeting, the PCI Unit of An Bord Pleanála requests the input of the Strategic Infrastructure Section of An Bord Pleanála to identify the scope of material and level of detail of information to be submitted by Eirgrid in relation to the strategic infrastructure planning application.

Yours sincerely,

Diarmuid Collins,
Senior Administrative Officer,
PCI Unit.