

North Kerry Reinforcement Scheme – Public Consultation Notice

EirGrid is the state-owned, independent electricity Transmission System Operator and Market Operator in Ireland. It is EirGrid's role to develop quality connection, transmission and market services to electricity generators, suppliers and customers utilising the high-voltage electricity system.

In this capacity, EirGrid is proposing a new reinforcement scheme, the North Kerry Project.

This scheme comprises of a new 220 kV electricity substation which is required to the east of Listowel. The new substation will connect into the existing 220 kV transmission line which runs from Tarbert in Co. Kerry to Clashavoon in Co. Cork. It will also connect into the existing 110 kV transmission lines which run from Tarbert to Trien in Co. Kerry and from Trien to Dromada in Co. Limerick.

In addition, a new 110 kV circuit is required to connect the planned Cloghboola 110 kV electricity substation (near Knocknagashel) to the existing Trien 110 kV substation in North Kerry.

EirGrid is committed to ensuring that all work will be undertaken in a safe and environmentally responsible manner and in co-operation with the local community.

To date, two public information sessions have been hosted by EirGrid in relation to this project. EirGrid is now proposing to hold a third information session at which members of the public will have an opportunity to view EirGrid's preferred option for the project, which has been developed by taking into consideration feedback received through Stages 1 and 2 of the project.

Information session as follows:

- **Duagh Family and Community Resource Centre**
Opening Hours: Wednesday 14th December 2011,
from 2 – 7.00pm.

Members of the public are invited to provide submissions, comments, information or submit queries in relation to the proposed developments. Closing date for submissions is Wednesday 11th January 2012 at 5.00pm.

Further information about the proposed infrastructure is available on www.eirgridprojects.com

Feedback regarding the project can be submitted by email, letter or telephone as detailed below.

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