



Legend

- Property Boundary
- Proposed Towers
- Proposed 275kV Powerline Route
- Creag Dhubh Power Station

Felling selection

Proposed Powerline Felling

- Felling within 40m wayleave
- Felling outwith 40m wayleave
- Tree removal within 40m wayleave

Current Species

- Sitka Spruce
- Norway Spruce
- Scots Pine
- Noble Fir
- Douglas Fir
- Lodgepole Pine
- Japanese Larch
- Mixed Conifers
- Mixed Broadleaves
- Native Mixed Broadleaves
- Open Ground
- Other Land
- Unplanted

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This compartment of native mixed broadleaves should be thinned to leave 30m of open ground on each side of the powerline.

Additional felling to remove isolated strips, which are difficult to manage, and to cut to windfirm edges can have positive landscape impacts as well as being good silviculture.

Small blocks of Sitka spruce, which were identified for felling beyond the forest plan period, will need to be felled in order to clear the wayleave corridor. Amendment to the LTFP should thus be sought to allow the felling of these blocks.

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The landscaping of the woodland at establishment has created intrinsic open ground related to landform which can be utilised to break up the wayleave corridor.

Felling areas:

Felling within the 40m wayleave: 15.89ha

Felling outside the 40m wayleave: 53ha

Tree removal within the 40m wayleave: 8.28ha

