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## Alyth substation progress

During the month of April, progress at Alyth has seen a huge construction change regarding completion of various activities on site.

The installation of our GIS (Gas Insulated Switchgear) equipment has progressed and in April we completed a significant milestone where the first stage of testing was completed and successful. The second stage of GIS testing is imminent during May.

During April, the Statcom transformer assembly, testing and commissioning was successfully completed. Energisation of the transformer is planned later in the year. Another achievement was the installation of both the 400kV HV cables, which are now undergoing the termination process.

Installation of the Statcom equipment has commenced and when completed will be a significant achievement towards the completion of the project.

Overall, works continue to proceed according to programme and we do not anticipate any issues with achieving the October 2023 completion date.

## Upcoming activities

As we look towards quarter 3 of 2023, the final stage of civils works across the substation platform build will be nearing completion with the final layers of stone being spread and the commencement of reinstatement works. We are on track to start the energisation process in the Summer of 2023, with most of the resource on site continuing to focus on the completion of electrical and wiring works across the substation. This will be change as the works progress to seeing more commissioning resource on site to check and validate the install of wiring and equipment before energisation later in the year.



**If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the Community Liaison Manager:**

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