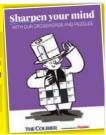
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GP anger following Facebook criticism

LETTER: Surgery threatens to remove woman from its list

BY NEIL HENDERSON

A Fife GP has threatened to remove a woman from their patient list after she criticised them online.

Shanna Pitbladdo, pictured, has been a

patient at the Pipeland practice for more than 16 years but she has been sent a letter after she claimed on Facebook that standards were failing.

The letter said the post was an "entirely unhelpful manner" to raise

concerns and claimed the patient/clinical relationship had "broken down".

Ms Pithladdo said that she had previous

Ms Pitbladdo said that she had previous raised issues directly with the practice but had not found their responses acceptable. Full story on page 5 Go-ahead for new £1 million play area Page 7



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Public Notices

ANGUS COUNCIL

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Band	Factor of Band 'D'	Council Tax £
Α	240/360	877.79
В	280/360	1,024.08
С	320/360	1,170.38
D	360/360	1,316.68
Е	473/360	1,729.97
F	585/360	2,139.61
G	705/360	2,578.50
Н	882/360	3,225.87

IAN LORIMER, Director of Finance

Tel: 03452 777 778 www.angus.gov.uk



TRAFFIC ORDER

On 07/03/2024 Angus Council The Angus Council (Marine Drive, Monifieth) (Temporary Prohibition Pedestrians Access) Order 2024 under Section 14 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, for the purpose of the widening of the existing footpath and construction of a new footpath for active travel between Dundee and Carnoustie. The effect of the Order is to prohibit pedestrian access on the footpath from its junction with Marine Drive car park to the car park at Monifieth Football Club a distance of 290m or thereby. The Order will come into force on 07/03/2024 for a period of three weeks. Full details of the Order are available at www.angus.gov.uk/trafficorders. The maximum duration in terms of the act is 18 months

GRAFME DAILLY Director of Infrastructure and Environmen

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The Town and Country Planning (Development Management Procedure) (Scotland) Regulations 2013 (As Amended) Regulation 7

NOTICE OF PRE-APPLICATION CONSULTATION

CONSULTATION

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The proposed development is for: Proposed new 400kV substation comprising new buildings, platform, plant and machinery, access, laydown/work compound area(s), drainage, landscaping, and other ancillary works (National Development).

A Proposal of Application Notice (PAN) was submitted to Perth and Kinross Council (PKC) for this proposed development on 9 February 2024.

Members of the local community and interested members of the public are invited to attend the following consultation event (Public Event 1) relating to the proposal described above to be held on:

Wednesday 20 March 2024, Braco Village Hall, Feddal Road, Braco, FK15 9QD, between 1500 hours and 1900 hours.

Details of Public Event 2 will be published in due course These events are an opportunity to view the proposals and to meet the Applicant and the project team who will be available to answer questions about the projects. Further information can be viewed on the project

https://www.ssen-transmission.co.uk/BDUP

Further details can also be sought from the Community Liaison Manager whose details are listed below

Persons wishing to make comments on the proposal, may do so at the above events or by email or in writing to: Community Liaison Manager, Rosie Hodgart, 07879 793652 / BDUP@sse.com / SSEN

Transmission, 1 Waterloo Street, Glasgow, G2 6AY. These comments must be received no later than 1 May 2024

Please note that any comments made to the Applican are not representations to Perth and Kinross Council. There will be opportunity to make representations to the local planning authority following the submission of the planning application.

Keith Smith For and on behalf of Scottish Hydro Electric Transmission Plc.

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PLANNING APPLICATIONS

TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING (SCOTLAND) ACT 1997 (AS AMENDED)
PLANNING (LISTED BUILDINGS & CONSERVATION AREAS) (SCOTLAND) ACT 1997 (AS AMENDED)

Applications under the above legislation as listed below together with the plans and other documents submitted with them may be examined on the Council's website at http://planning.angus.gov.uk/online-applications/ using the reference number provided.

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Written comments or questions may be made by the date specified using the Public Access website. Please note that representations made to an applicant in response to any pre-application consultation cannot be taken into account by Angus Council.

Various Estate Access Roads Glen Prosen – Formation of Vehicular Accesses and Laybys Associated with Forestry Operations – 24/00070/FULL – 22.03.2024

Flat 10 Quayside Marina 4 Marketgate Arbroath DD11 1AY — Change of Use From Flat to Short Term Let — 24/00114/FULL — 29.03.2024 4 Park View Monifieth Dundee DD5 4GA - Alterations to Garden Boundary Wall - 24/00111/

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(A91/U234/U220 BURNBRAE - MILNATHORT) (TEMPORARY TRAFFIC RESTRICTIONS) ORDER 2024

On 7/3/24 the Council made the above Order under Section 14 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 to (i) restrict temporarily all vehicular traffic to 30mph, and (ii) temporarily prohibit all vehicles from driving, parking and/or loading on both sides of (a) the A91 Burnbrae, Milnathort from its junction with Kellieside Park to a point 560 metres east on the A91. Alternative route: A91 – A823 – A977 – A922 – A91; (b) the U234 Mawhill from its junction with the A91 to a point 20 metres south on the U234. Alternative route:- there will be a local diversion in place and (c) the U220 Mawhill from its junction with the A91 to a point 20 metres north on the U220. Alternative route:- there will be a local diversion in place. This applies from 18/3/24 for an estimated period of 12 days to permit carriageway resurfacing works on the above sections of road. Should these works overrun the maximum duration in terms of this Order is 18 months. Pedestrian and emergency vehicular access to premises will be maintained.

PERTH AND KINROSS COUNCIL

TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING (SCOTLAND) ACT 1997

NOTICE is hereby given that Perth and Kinross Council have made an Order under Section 65 of the Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997 to revoke planning permission Ref: 16/01549/FLL, approved on 27 October 2017.

The Council has been notified in writing by the owners and

occupiers of the land that they do not object to the Order

Any person who will be affected by the Order and who wishes an opportunity of appearing and being heard by a person appointed by the Scottish Ministers must now give notice in writing to that effect to Scottish Government Directorate for the Built Envir Planning Decisions, Area 2-H, Victoria Quay, Edinburgh, EH6 6QQ by not later than 05/04/2024.

If no such notice has been given by that date, the Order will take effect by virtue of Section 67(7) of the Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997, on 19/04/2024.

PERTH AND KINROSS COUNCIL

(40MPH SPEED LIMIT) (VARIATION) (NO 32) ORDER 2024 (02/24)

On 28/2/24 the Council made the above Order under the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 which comes into effect on 9/3/24. The proposed Order and its effect were advertised in the Courie on 26/1/24. Full details may be examined within normal office hours from 8/3/24 until 19/4/24 at:- Pullar House, Main Reception, 35 Kinnoull Street, Perth; Reference Section, AK Bell Library, York Place, Perth PH2 8EP: Auchterarder Library, Avtoun Lorally, 101k riacs; retaining of the Auchterarder PM3 (10); Loch Leven Community Library, Loch Leven Community Campus, Murs KY13 BFO and on the following websites: Perth and Kinross Council (https://www.pkc.gov.uk/tro) and Tell Me Scotland (www.tellmescotland.gov.uk/notices). Anyone wishing to guestion any aspect of the validity of, or of any of the provisions of, this Order should write to the Court of Session within 6 weeks of 8/3/24.

PERTH AND KINROSS COUNCIL

(B8081 BLACKFORD LEVEL CROSSING) (TEMPORARY TRAFFIC RESTRICTIONS AND TURNING BAN) **ORDER 2024**

On 6/3/24 the Council made the above Order under Section 14 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 to temporarily prohibit (a) driving, parking and/or loading for all vehicular traffic on both sides of the B8081 Blackford Level Crossing from its junction sides of the Boust Blackford Level Crossing from its junction with Stirling Street to its junction with the U188 a distance of 70 metres or thereby and (b) all HGV's from turning right onto the A9(T) from the B8081. Alternative route: B8081 – A9 (T) Northbound — A823 – A9 (T) Southbound. This applies from 17/3/24 between the hours of 00:00hrs and 09:00hrs to permit Network Rail maintenance works. Should these works overrun the maximum duration in terms of this Order is 18 months. Pedestrian and emergency vehicular access to premises will not be maintained.

PERTH AND KINROSS COUNCIL

(C428 SNAIGOW) (TEMPORARY TRAFFIC RESTRICTIONS) ORDER 2024

On 7/3/24 the Council made the above Order under Section 14 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 to temporarily prohibit all or the Hoda frame Regulation Act 1994 to temporarily profiled in whiches from driving, parking and/or loading on both sides of the C428 Snaigow from its junction with the C430 to its junction with the C430 to its junction with the C429 a distance of 779 metres or thereby. The alternative route for vehicles is via:—C428—A984—A923. This applies on 19/3/24 for an estimated period of 1 day to permit BT pole installation works on the above section of road. Should these works overrun the maximum duration in terms of this Order is 18 months. Pedestrian, and emergency subhicular access to 18 months. Pedestrian and emergency vehicular access to premises will be maintained

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(UPPER MILL STREET, BLAIRGOWRIE (TEMPORARY TRAFFIC RESTRICTIONS) ORDER 2024

On 7/3/24 the Council made the above Order under Section 14 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 to temporarily prohibit driving, parking and/or loading for all vehicular traffic on both sides of Upper Mill Street, Blairgowrie from its junction with Allan Street to the access to Ericht Court a distance of 108.92 metres or thereby. The alternative route for vehicles is via:-Allan Street - Mill Street - Lower Mill Street. The current oneway order on Lower Mill Street will be suspended for the duration of the work. This applies from 18/3/24 for an estimated period of 1 week to permit handrail installation works. Should hese works overrun the maximum duration in terms of this Order is 18 months. Pedestrian and emergency vehicular access to premises will be maintained.

PERTH AND KINROSS COUNCIL (R996 HIGH STREET/ST RONANS DRIVE, KINROSS)

(TEMPORARY TRAFFIC RESTRICTIONS) ORDER 2024 On 7/3/24 the Council made the above Order under Section 14 off 173.24 the Council made the above Order Interested on of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 to temporarily prohibit all vehicles from (i) parking and/or loading on both sides of the B996 High Street, Kinross from the access to the property known as No. 51 High Street to the access to Kinross Business Centre a distance of 120 metres or thereby. This applies from 18/3/24 for an estimated period of 3 weeks; and (ii) driving, parking and/or loading on both sides of St Ronans Drive, Kinross from its jurcition with the NoOS High Street for the order loading.

panning amount outside the B996 High Street for its entire length a distance of 95 metres or thereby. This applies from 18/3/24 for an estimated period of 8 days. Alternative route:- there will be local access as and when it is safe to 4 so. This is to permit SSEN works. Should these works overrun the maximum duration in terms of this Order is 18 months. Pedestrian and emergency vehicular access to premises will be maintained.

PERTH AND KINROSS COUNCIL (A85 PERTH BRIDGE, PERTH) (TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF VEHICLES TRAVELLING EASTBOUND) ORDER 2024

On 7/3/24 the Council made the above Order under Section 14 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 to temporarily prohibit all vehicles from travelling eastbound on the A85 Perth Bridge from its junction with the A989 Charlotte Street to its junction with the Ag3 Main Street a distance of 292.71 metres or thereby. The alternative route for vehicles is via: A989 Tay Street — A93 Queens Bridge — A85 Dundee Road — A85 Gowrie Street. This applies on (i) 16th & 17th March 2024; (ii) 23rd & 24th March 2024; (iii) 6th & 7th April 2024; and (iv) 13th & 14th April 2024; to permit Bridge inspection works. Should these works overrun the maximum duration in terms of this Order is 18 months Pedestrian and emergency vehicular access to premises will be maintained.

PERTH AND KINROSS COUNCIL

(C498 CLEISH) (TEMPORARY TRAFFIC RESTRICTIONS) ORDER 2024

On 6/3/24 the Council made the above Order under Section 14 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 to temporarily prohibit driving, parking and/or loading for all vehicular traffic on the C498 Cleish from its junction the B9097 to its junction with the U225 a distance of 767.20 metres or thereby. Alternative route: B9097 – B996 – C498. This applies from 19/3/24 for an estimated period of 7 weeks to permit Scottish Water installation works. Should these works overrun the maximum duration in terms of this Order is 18 months. Pedestrian and emergency vehicular access to premises will be maintained

PERTH AND KINROSS COUNCIL

(U11 AT CAELAVEROCK WOOD – MUTHILL) (TEMPORARY TRAFFIC RESTRICTIONS) ORDER 2024

(TEMPORARY TRAFFIC RESTRICTIONS) ORDER 2024
On 7/3/24 the Council made the above Order under Section 14
of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 to temporarily prohibit all
vehicles from driving, parking and/or loading on both sides of the
U11 Muthill from its junction with the C457 to the access to the
property known as Parkhead Farm a distance of 1.07 kilometres
or thereby. The alternative route for vehicles is via: C457
Station Road — Wardside — U13 — U11. This applies from 20/3/24
for an estimated period of 5 days to permit Fibre cabling works on the above section of road. Should these works overrun the maximum duration in terms of this Order is 18 months. Pedestrian and emergency vehicular access to premises will be maintained.

PERTH AND KINROSS COUNCIL (NAEMOOR ROAD, CROOK OF DEVON) (TEMPORARY TRAFFIC RESTRICTIONS) ORDER 2024

On 7/3/24 the Council made the above Order under Section 14 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 to temporarily prohibit all of the Road Iraftic Regulation Act 1984 to temporarily prohibit all vehicles from driving, parking and/or loading on both sides of Naemoor Road from the access to the property known as Principals House to its junction with the A823 a distance of 1.189 kilometres or thereby. The alternative route for vehicles is via: A977 – A823. This applies from 18/3/24 for an estimated period of 2 weeks to permit BT Openreach works on the above section of road. Should these works everyin the maximum section of road. Should these works overrun the maximum duration in terms of this Order is 18 months. Pedestrian and emergency vehicular access to premises will be maintained.

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PLANNING

The planning applications listed below have been submitted to PERTH AND KINROSS COUNCIL and require to be advertised. The plans and other documents submitted with them may be examined on the Council's website at www.pkc.gov.uk. Internet access may be available for viewing applications at local libraries. In the case of any special circumstances please contact 01738 475000 for further assistance. Written comments may be made by email to DevelopmentManagement@pkc.gov.uk or by post to the DevelopmentManagement & Building Standards Service Manager, Perth and Kinross Council, Economy, Place and Learning, Pullar House, 35 Kinnoull Street, Perth, PH1 5GD, by the dates given below. Representations will be treated as public documents and will, for instance, be displayed for public inspection on the Council's website (With any signatures, personal telephone numbers and personal email addresses removed). In addition, TellmeScotland is a portal for accessing public information notices issued by local authorities across Scotland. At www.tellmescotland.gov.uk you can search for public notices such as planning and licensing in your area, check roadworks and restrictions on any route that you choose and search archived notices across the country.

TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING (DEVELOPMENT)

TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING (DEVELOPMENT MANAGEMENT PROCEDURE) (SCOTLAND) REGULATIONS 2013 NOTICE OF PLANNING APPLICATIONS PUBLISHED UNDER REGULATION 20(1) COMMENTS BY 11th June 2024

COMMENTS BY 11th June 2024
24/00744/FLL Erection of a dwellinghouse and associated works at Land 250 Metres South West Of Broomhill House Station Road Crook Of Devon Kinross KY13 OPG.
24/00732/FLL Erection of replacement dwellinghouse at Silverwells Murthly Perth PH1 4HD.
24/00664/FLL Siting of shepherd's hut for use as a short-term let accommodation unit (in part retrospect) at Land 190 Metres North Of Cloverlea Path Of Condie Perth PH2 9DP.
24/00695/FLI Erection of a dwellinghouse and associated works at

24/00695/FLL Erection of a dwellinghouse and associated works at Land 100 Metres North West Of Inchadney Old Amulree Road Kenmore Aberfeldy PH15 2HE.

24/00747/FLL Change of use of land to form extension to garden ground and alterations and extension to dwellinghouse at Camusvrachan Glenlyon Aberfeldy PH15 2NL.

PLANNING (LISTED BUILDINGS AND CONSERVATION AREAS) (SCOTLAND) ACT 1997 NOTICE OF APPLICATIONS COMMENTS BY 18th June 2024

24/00648/LBC Alterations at 2-6 County Place Perth PH2 8EE

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24/00643/FLL Alterations and subdivision of office (Class 1A) to form hot food takeaway, office (Class 4) and extension to hair salon at 2-6 County Place Perth PH2 8EE.
24/00731/FLM Change of use, alterations, and extension to stables to form visitor centre comprising café, ticket office and shop, erection of office building and installation of solar array, formation of outdoor play area, vehicular access, parking areas and associated works at Scone Palace Queen's Drive Old Scone Perth PH2 6BE.
24/00754/FLI Change of use and alterations to public hall (class

24/00754/FLL Change of use and alterations to public hall (class 10) to office (class 4) and 3 flats (renewal of permission 21/00370/

10) to office (class 4) and 3 flats (renewal of permission 21/00370/FLL) at The Bruce Hall Hall Wynd Errol Perth PH2 7QL.

24/00765/FLL Extension to dwellinghouse at 38 Daleally Crescent Errol Perth PH2 7QA.

24/00722/LBC Internal alterations to first floor of building and installation of signs at 17-21 George Street Perth PH1 5JY.

24/00736/LBC Alterations and extension to dwellinghouse at Hollybrook 29 Wilson Street Perth PH2 0EX.

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24/00687/LBC Internal alterations, installation of replacement windows and associated works (in part retrospect) at Hillfoot Easter Claypotts Caputh Perth PH1 4JJ.

24/00758/FLL Installation of replacement roof at The Workshop Forteviot Perth PH2 9BT.

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24/00711/FLL Change of use from financial or professional services (class 1A) to yoga studio with ancillary retail (class 11) at 11 Comrie Street Crieff PH7 4AX.

The Town and Country Planning (Development Management Procedure) (Scotland)

Regulations 2013 (As Amended) Regulation 7 NOTICE OF PRE-APPLICATION CONSULTATION FOR FINAL PUBLIC EVENT

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Wednesday 12 June 2024, Braco Village Hall, Feddal Road, Braco, FK15 9QD, between 1530 hours and 1930 hours.

These events are an opportunity to view the proposals and to meet the Applicant and the project team who will be available to answer questions about the projects. Comments received at the first consultation event have been summarised. Feedback on how these comments have informed the proposals will be delivered at this final public event.

Further information can be viewed on the project website at: https://www.ssen-transmission.co.uk/BDUP.
Further details can also be sought from the Community Liaison Manager whose details are listed below.

Persons wishing to make comments on the proposal, may do so at the above events or by email or in writing to:
Community Liaison Manager, Rosie Hodgart, 07879 793652 / BDUP@sse.com / SSEN

Community Liaison Manager, Hosie Hodgart, 07879 793632 / BDUP@sse.com / SSEN Transmission, 1 Waterloo Street, Glasgow, G2 6AY.

These comments must be received no later than 24 July 2024. The Pre-application Consultation (PAC) process undertaken, and the feedback received will be summarised and presented in a PAC Report to be submitted with the future planning application. Please note that any comments made to the Applicant are not representations to Perth and Kinross Council. There will be opportunity to make representations to the local planning authority following the submission of the planning application.

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For and on behalf of Scottish Hydro Electric Transmission Plc

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Police Scotland is accused of 'surrendering to criminals'

Criticism of plan to shelve 'minor' crimes

Force insists officers will be better utilised

Martyn McLaughlin

Police Scotland has defended plans for the nationwide rollout of a controversial new policy that means some minor crimes will no longer be investigated to allow officers to devote more time to public safety and cutting offending.

An evaluation of a pilot

scheme of the new approach, referred to by the force as a "proportionate response to crime", found most officers felt the change had brought about a positive difference to their workload with 2,657 officer hours freed up during the 12-week trial. Now, the force has recommended the policy should be rolled out across Scotland on a phased basis.

Assistant Chief Constable

Emma Bond said the shift was "not a policy of non-investigation", and that it had already been in use informally before the national force was set up in 2013. She stressed all reported crimes would continue to be recorded and passed to local policing teams to be kept under review.

The force claimed the change would mean around 10,500 minor crimes are no longer allocated to frontline officers nationally per year.

However, the change, which will be discussed by the Scottish Police Authority's (SPA) policing performance committee next week, is highly contentious. The Scottish Police Federation, which represents rank-and-file officers, has said the new policy is driven

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Caldwell inquiry could be led by external judge

David Bol

A judge from outside Scotland could oversee the public inquiry into Emma Caldwell's murder.

Justice Secretary Angela Constance confirmed that an independent judge-led inquiry will take place into the handling of Ms Caldwell's death, insisting there is a "clear and compelling" case for an investigation.

Full story, page 12

PLANNING NOTICES

Vattenfall Wind Power Limited ELECTRICITY ACT 1989 TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING (SCOTLAND) ACT 1997 THE ELECTRICITY WORKS (ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT) (SCOTLAND) REGULATIONS 2017

Notice is hereby given that Vattenfall Wind Power Ltd (company registration number 06205750), with its Registered Office at First Floor, 1 Tudor Street, London, EC4Y 0AH, has applied to the Scottish Ministers for consent under section 36 of the Electricity Act 1989 to construct and operate a generating station comprising of a wind farm and battery energy storage system, known as Aultimore Wind Farm Redesign, in Moray to the north of Keith (Central Grid Reference E 345000, N 858400). The combined installed capacity of the proposed generating station would be approximately 155.6MW (approximately 105.6MW wind fam and 50MW battery energy storage system) comprising up to 16 wind turbines with a maximum ground to blade tip height of 200 metres and has been subject to Environmental Impact Assessment. An EIA Report has been produced to accompany the application for consent.

Vattenfall has also applied for a direction under Section 57(2) of the Town and Country Plannin (Scotland) Act 1997 that planning permission for the development be deemed to be granted.

A copy of the application, with a plan showing the land to which it relates, together with a copy of the EIA Report discussing the Company's proposals in more detail and presenting an analysis of the environmental implications, is available for public inspection, free of charge, during the venue opening hours at the following locations:

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King Memorial Hall	Grange, Keith, AB55 6SL	Telephone Hall Contact on 07710233577 between 9am and 5pm to arrange viewing/obtain opening hours	

The EIA Report can also be viewed on the project website www.vattenfall.co.uk/aultmore or on the Scottish Government Energy Consents website at www.energyconsents.scot under application reference ECU00003365.

Copies of the EIA Report may be obtained from Lucy Blake (telephone: 01736 335857 e (lucy.blake@vattenfall.com) at a charge of £1,500 per hard copy or free of charge on DVD/CD/USB.

Any representations to the application may be submitted via the Energy Consents Unit website at www.energyconsents.scot/Register.aspx; by email to the Scottish Government, Energy Consents Unit mailbox at representations@gov.scot; or by post to the Scottish Government, Energy Consents Unit, 4th Floor, 5 Atlantic Quay, 150 Broomielaw, Glasgow, G2 8LU, identifying the proposal and specifying the grounds for representation. Please note that there may be a delay in the Energy Consents Unit receiving epresentations by post.

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All representations should be received not later than 16th April 2024, although Ministers may conside entations received after this date

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NOTICE OF PRE-APPLICATION CONSULTATION

Scottish Hydro Electric Transmission plc (the Applicant), operating and known as Scottish and Southern Electricity Networks Transmission (SSET Transmission), hereby submits notification of pre-application consultation for a proposed development near Braco Village, Dunblane, Perth and Kinross.

The development site is located on land approximately 250m southwest of the existing Braco West substation, and approximately 3.5km west of Braco

The proposed development is for: Proposed new 400kV substation comprising new buildings, platform, plant and machinery, access laydown/work compound area(s), drainage, landscaping, and other ancillary works (National Developm nent).

A Proposal of Application Notice (PAN) was submitted to Perth and Kinross Council (PKC) for this proposed development on 9 February 2024.

Members of the local community and interested members of the public are invited to attend the following consultation event (Public Event 1) relating to the proposal described above to be held on:

sday 20 March 2024, Braco Village Hall, Feddal Road, Braco, FK15 9QD, between 1500 hours and 1900 hours.

Details of Public Event 2 will be published in due course

These events are an opportunity to view the proposals and to meet the Applicant and the project team who will be available to answer questions about the projects.

Further information can be viewed on the project website at: https://www.ssen-transmission.co.uk/BDUP.

Further details can also be sought from the Community Liaison Manage whose details are listed below

Persons wishing to make comments on the proposal, may do so at the above events or by email or in writing to:

Community Liaison Manager, Rosie Hodgart, 07879 793652 /

BDUP@sse.com / SSEN Transmission, 1 Waterloo Street, Glasgow, G2 6AY.

These comments must be received no later than 1 May 2024

Please note that any comments made to the Applicant are not representations to Perth and Kinross Council. There will be opportunity to ce representations to the local planning authority following the submis of the planning application.

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A Proposal of Application Notice (PAN) was submitted to Perth and Kinross Council (PKC) for this proposed development on 9 February 2024. The PAN reference number is 24/0001/PAN.

One previous consultation event was held (Public Event 1) on: Wednesday 20 March 2024, Braco Village Hall, Feddal Road, Braco, FK15 9QD, between 1500 hours and 1900 hours.

Members of the local community and interested members of the public are invited to attend the following consultation event (Public Event 2) relating to the proposal described above to be held on:

Wednesday 12 June 2024, Braco Village Hall, Feddal Road, Braco, FK15 9QD, between 1530 hours and 1930 hours.

These events are an opportunity to view the proposals and to meet the Applicant and the project fearn who will be available to answer questions about the projects. Comments received at the first consultation event have been summarized. Feedback on how these comments final public event.

Further information can be viewed on the project website at:

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These comments must be received no later than 24 July 2024. The Pre-application Consultation (PAC) process

undertaken, and the feedback received will be summarised and presented in a PAC Report to be submitted with the future planning application.

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The draft Statement is available via the Engage Angus website or in hard copy on request. vecusine or in radia copy on request. Comments on the draft must be received by 25 June 2024 and should be addressed to LAWLicensing@angus.gov.uk or The Clerk Angus Licensing Board, Angus House, Orchardbank Rusiness Prik, Forlar D18 1 AN

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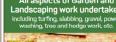
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