

NOTICE OF DECISION
SCOTTISH HYDRO ELECTRIC TRANSMISSION PLC
ELECTRICITY ACT 1989
TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING (SCOTLAND) ACT 1997
THE ELECTRICITY WORKS (ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT) (SCOTLAND)
REGULATIONS 2017

Further to the notice of an application for consent to construct and operate approximately 58km of 132kV overhead line (OHL) to replace the existing Harris to Stornoway 132kV OHL (to be dismantled) in the planning authority area of Comhairle nan Eilean Siar (The Western Isles Council)

Notice is hereby given that Scottish Hydro Electric Transmission Plc ('The Company') has been granted consent by Scottish Ministers under Section 37 of the Electricity Act (1989) to install and keep installed approximately 58km of 132kV overhead line (OHL) on supports up to 18m in height, and to dismantle the existing 132kV OHL between Harris and Stornoway Grid Supply Points in the planning authority area of Comhairle nan Eilean Siar.

Scottish Ministers have also directed, under Section 57 (2) of the Town & Country Planning Act (Scotland) 1997 (as amended), that planning permission is deemed to be granted for this development.

Copies of the decision letter and related documentation has been placed on the Energy Consents Unit website at the following link:

www.energyconsents.scot under the reference number ECU00004490

Copies of the decision letter and related documentation have been made available to Comhairle nan Eilean Siar to be made available for public inspection by being placed on the planning register.