

**INQUIRY INTO AN APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 36 OF THE 1989
ELECTRICITY ACT TO CONSTRUCT AND OPERATE A WIND FARM, NEAR
DUFFTOWN, MORAY**

Matters to be considered at hearing sessions

- **Possible section 36/planning conditions and legal agreements**
- **Design issues**
- **Ornithology issues**

No other matters relevant to this application will be considered at the hearing sessions.

A list of all parties invited to participate in the hearing sessions is given in the attached Appendix.

Where and when will the hearing session(s) happen?

The hearing sessions are to take place in the period between Tuesday 19 October and Thursday 21 October 2010 within Mortlach Memorial Hall, Albert Place, Dufftown AB55 4AL.

What you should do now

If you want to attend and take part in one or more hearing sessions, you must inform DPEA in writing before Thursday 12 August 2010. You may wish to contact a party, who hold a similar view to your own, who has already indicated their intention to take part in the hearing sessions, and who may be willing to speak on your behalf. DPEA will notify participating parties after 12 August 2010, if there are any additional interested parties to be included in the distribution of statements and documents.

What will happen next?

Please provide to DPEA and to any other parties participating in the hearing session(s), a written statement which:

- outlines your case relating to the specified matters;
- lists any documents which you intend to refer to or rely on at the hearing session(s); and
- lists any other persons who are to speak in respect of your case at the hearing session(s), stating any relevant qualifications they hold and setting out any particular matters they are to address.

You will also need to send copies of the documents you intend to refer to or rely on, if these have not already been provided, to DPEA and to the other parties participating in the hearing session(s).

The deadlines for submission of statements and documents is set out below:

Date for the submission of hearing statement: Friday 27 August 2010

Date for the submission of documents: Tuesday 21 September 2010

Date for the lodging of written submissions: Tuesday 21 September 2010

Date for the submission of additional statements: Tuesday 28 September 2010

CONTACT US

Any response to DPEA under the terms of this notice, or any questions you have, should be addressed to:

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HEARING SESSION APPENDIX

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PARTIES INVITED TO PARTICIPATE IN ALL HEARING SESSIONS:

	Party	Contact Address
1	Dorenell Limited UK	FAO Mr M Sales, Head of Infrastructure Environment and Transport Partner – Planning, Biggart Baillie LLP, No.2 Lochrin Square, 96 Fountainbridge, EDINBURGH EH3 9QA
2	Speyside Business Alliance (who are also representing Save Our Scenic [SOS] Moray and STOP Dorenell, it's a dram disgrace)	FAO Mr I Kelly, Head of Planning, Graham & Sibbald, 3 Charlotte Street, PERTH PH1 5LW

PARTIES INVITED TO PARTICIPATE IN HEARING SESSION TO DISCUSS POSSIBLE SECTION 36/PLANNING CONDITIONS AND LEGAL AGREEMENTS:

	Party	Contact Address
1	Moray Council	FAO Aileen Scott, Environmental Services Department, Moray Council, Council Office, High Street, Elgin IV30 1BX
2	Scottish Natural Heritage (by written submissions only)	FAO Ms J Heatly, Area Officer – Moray, Scottish Natural Heritage, 32 Reidhaven Street, Elgin, Morayshire IV30 1QH
3	Scottish Environmental Protection Agency [SEPA] (by written submissions only)	FAO Ms Z Griffin, SEPA, 142 Sinclair Road, Torry, Aberdeen AB11 9PR

PARTIES INVITED TO PARTICIPATE IN HEARING SESSION TO DISCUSS DESIGN ISSUES:

	Party	Contact Address
1	Cairngorms National Park Authority	FAO Mr A Tait, Cairngorms National Park Authority, Albert Memorial Hall, Station Square, Ballate
2	The Mountaineering Council of Scotland	FAO H Carus, Access and Conservation Officer, The Mountaineering Council of Scotland, The Old Granary, West Mill Street, PERTH PH1 5QP
3	All other interested parties known to DPEA	Various addresses

PARTIES INVITED TO PARTICIPATE IN HEARING SESSION TO DISCUSS ORNITHOLOGY ISSUES:

	Party	Contact Address
1	The Mountaineering Council of Scotland	FAO H Carus, Access and Conservation Officer, The Mountaineering Council of Scotland, The Old Granary, West Mill Street, PERTH PH1 5QP
2	RSPB Scotland	FAO Mr I Francis, Area Manager, NE Scotland, RSPB Scotland, 10 Albyn Terrace, Aberdeen AB10 1YP
3	All other interested parties known to DPEA	Various addresses