



Maurice McCarthy
Organic Power
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County Cork

20th October 2011

Dear Maurice,

Further to your conversation with Andrew Cooke earlier this week, I can advise you that EirGrid can carry out pre-feasibility studies on a commercial basis in advance of a Connection Offer being issued.

In undertaking a pre-feasibility study for the proposed Glinsk plant we would work with you to develop the study scope, including the location, point of connection, parameters for the plant to be studied (e.g. export/import capacity) and the assumed year of connection. We would then execute an agreement for the study which would record the agreed scope and associated study timeline and fee.

A study of this nature would determine the technical solutions under which the Glinsk plant would connect to the Transmission System. We understand from previous discussion that Organic Power would like to have a connection to Woodland substation studied. The details of this can be discussed as part of the scoping and included in the study.

A brief report outlining the technical, cost and lead-time implications resulting from the study would be provided by EirGrid. This report would include the following items:

- Brief description of the basis for selection of connection point and method.
- Description of network and connection diagrams of before and after connection.
- Description of necessary network reinforcements.
- Estimate of costs and lead times for connection.

It is important to note that the pre-feasibility study does not prejudice any decisions regarding progression of your application which is subject to a direction from the Commission for Energy Regulation (CER) deeming the application eligible for processing by the relevant System Operator.

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The findings of a pre-feasibility study undertaken for the proposed Glinsk plant would inform any future studies which may be undertaken in the preparation of a Connection Offer for the facility.

Should you wish to progress this pre-feasibility study option please contact the undersigned or Errol Close from our Customer Relations team.

Yours sincerely,

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