

NOTIFICATION OF
NEW PROJECT FORM



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This form applies to prospective applications to Scottish Ministers under

- **section 36 of the Electricity Act 1989 (whether EIA or not EIA)**
- **section 37 of the Electricity Act 1989 – EIA development ONLY.**

Why complete this form?

The information you provide in this form will allow the Energy Consents Unit to ensure your project can be resourced according to its requirements. Submission of this form should be the first step a prospective applicant takes in engaging with ECU in relation to a project. It must be provided to ECU before submission of any screening or scoping request.

For **section 37 ‘non EIA’ development** please refer to the relevant [guidance](#). Do not complete this form.

How will this information be processed?

The information you provide in this form will be logged on the Scottish Government’s systems and used for internal purposes to plan resources. A Privacy Notice which provides further details on how we use your information is published at <http://www.energyconsents.scot/Documentation.aspx>.

In most cases, a meeting will not be considered to be required, and the next step for prospective applicants will be submission of a scoping or screening request. However, if you feel a pre application meeting is required, please indicate with an X below:

Yes

No

Why: Due to the scale of the Proposed Development, we would like to properly introduce the project to the ECU as well as Perth and Kinross Councillors

ECU will decide on a case by case basis whether a pre application meeting is deemed to be required for EIA development.

In all cases where the applicant proposes non EIA development, submission of a screening request will be the next step following submission of this form.

Where the next step is submission of a screening or scoping request, you should [register](#) to upload your request to www.energyconsents.scot if you do not already have an account.

If your project remains inactive for over 9 months from submission of this form, it is likely that we will request you to submit a new form should your project become active again.

Submission of this form

Please submit this form by email to Econsents_Admin@gov.scot

Project Name – (please consider other projects in planning and avoid duplication)	Dupplin Solar Farm
Site Address and/or Nearest settlement(s)	Dupplin Estate Perth PH2 0PY 3.5 km west of Perth
Proposed generating Capacity (MW), or voltage of OHL	>50 MW
Local Authority Area	Perth and Kinross Council
Indicative project timelines	<p>We are proposing a voluntary EIA Report that will not utilize the Scoping but rather consult directly with the planning authority alongside statutory and non-statutory consultees in order to determine the assessment scope and methodology. A Section 36 application under the Electricity Act is intended to be submitted late Q4 2025/early Q1 2026.</p> <p>The applicant would like to undertake a voluntary Pre-Application Consultation process with the Energy Consents Unit as well as including Perth and Kinross Council in order to introduce the project and allow discussion.</p> <p>Note: In line with this approach, the applicant does not intend to provide a Gatecheck report given that Scoping will not be undertaken and the EIA is voluntary.</p>
Details of any engagement to date with statutory consultees:	Non undertaken yet
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Planning Authority • NatureScot • SEPA • HES 	
Project Commencement Indicative date	2024
Existing Land Use	The Site is located within the Dupplin estate, 3 km east of Perth. The Site covers 13 separate arable farmland fields currently farmed by the estate.

Existing infrastructure	<p>There is one OHL running north-west south-east through the eastern portion of the Site. Appropriate buffers will be maintained.</p> <p>Scottish Water maintain and operate a water tank immediately south of the proposed development on the roman road at NO 04480 20973. Consultation with Scottish Water will take place to fully understand potential infrastructure constraints and required buffers to avoid any issues.</p>
Primary technology type(s) (e.g., Wind Farm, Solar, BESS, Hybrid etc)	Solar
Hazardous Substances	We will not be storing flammable, toxic or explosive chemicals in quantities such that a Hazardous Substances Consent would be required under section 2 of the Planning (Hazardous Substances) (Scotland) Act 1997.
Additional Information (any additional information about the proposal you feel may be relevant at this stage)	<p>It is currently anticipated that the proposed development would consist of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PV solar array & modules (>50 MW) • PV Buffers: 100m from properties • Fencing • Existing vegetation and woodland retained • Site access and internal tracks across wider site • Gated entry • Ecological/habitat enhancement

Declaration

The information supplied in this form is accurate to the best of my knowledge. I have read the Privacy Notice and understand that information held by the Scottish Government may be required to be disclosed under the Environmental Information (Scotland) Regulations 2004 or the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002.

Name:..... Neil Lindsay.....

On behalf of Company:..... Trio Power Ltd.....

Date:..... 19/06/2025.....