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By email: planning@monaghancoco.ie

26th August 2025

**Re: Planning Compliance Submission Addendum for Condition 3 of ABP
Reference 02.VA0017 – North-South 400 kV Interconnector Project**

Dear Sir,

I refer to the above An Bord Pleanála Board Order for the North-South 400 kV Interconnector project 02.VA0017.

You will be aware of the ongoing planning discussions taking place between ESB and Monaghan, Meath and Cavan County Councils.

Arising from those discussions, ESB made a compliance submission in relation to condition 3 to Monaghan, Meath and Cavan County Councils on 8th August 2025.

That submission consisted of a Construction & Environmental Management Plan (CEMP), a Traffic Management Plan (TMP) and a Resource Waste Management Plan (RWMP). In “Section 1.3 Approach to the CEMP” it was indicated that the project will be broken down into a number of work packages with supporting CEMP, TMP and RWMP addendums giving specific information based on the nature of the works and the geographic location of work packages, as follows:



Addendums

The overhead line route will be segmented accordingly into each work package, accompanied by tailored supplementary addendum(s) covering CEMP, TMP and RWMP site specific information.

In each case, all addendum(s) will be submitted to the relevant local authority for agreement prior to the commencement of work packages.

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Appendix 2 – Material Storage Yard Drawings.pdf 8 AUGUST 2025

North South 400 kV Interconnector - Construction Environmental Management Plan

As noted above, the first addendum to be submitted for agreement is the Material Storage Yard, which will follow the submission of the main documents.

Each addendum will allow up to date information to be submitted within months prior to construction of each work package over the three-year period.

This submission provides the addendums to the previously submitted CEMP, TMP and RWMP submitted on 8th August 2025 to cover the first work package – the Material Storage Yard as indicated above. The addendums should be read in conjunction with the documents submitted on 8th August 2025.

Given the focus of the CEMP, TMP and RWMP on the singular site of the Material Storage Yard a decision was made in this instance to prepare a singular document which gives information on all management plans rather than separate addendum CEMP, TMP and RWMPs.

It should be noted that as the Material Storage Yard is in Monaghan only, this Addendum submission is being made to Monaghan County Council only, as it is not relevant to the other county councils.

Condition 7 also only relates to Monaghan County Council and was the subject of a separate submission on 30th April 2025. Additional details were requested on 25th June 2025, these will be submitted in the coming weeks.



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I look forward to your response and if you have any queries please contact the undersigned at brendan.allen@esb.ie or 086 8336990.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, reading 'Brendan Allen', is displayed above a horizontal line.

Brendan Allen FIPI

Planning Team Leader