



Achie's Battery Energy Storage System (BESS) Electricity Act 1989

Sun4Net Ltd (company number 08797521) with registered office at 51 Hollingbourne Road, London, England, SE24 9NB intends to submit a section 36 consent application to the Scottish Government's Energy Consents Unit (ECU) for the construction of battery storage and associated infrastructure for the Achie's Battery Energy Storage System (BESS) on land to the north-west of the existing SSN Spittal Converter Station. The plans below identify the location of the proposed Achie's BESS:

PLEASE NOTE: this project was previously referred to as the 'Balbeg BESS' but the name has been changed following local feedback. The newly named Achie's BESS is in no way connected to Balbeg Farm.



Sun4Net is holding a series of pre-application public consultation events which will provide an opportunity for stakeholders, including local residents, to hear more about the proposed Achie's BESS and to make comments on the proposals. Members of the project team will be available to answer questions. The details of the events are as follows:

When?	Tue 4 th March - 2.30pm to 7.30pm	Wed 5 th March - 2.30pm to 7.30pm
Where?	Thurso Library Davidson's Lane Thurso KW14 7AF	Ross Institute B874 Halkirk KW12 6XZ

As an application has not yet been submitted for the proposed Achie's BESS, written comments on the proposals should be made to Sun4Net by 7th April 2025. Please note that comments made to Sun4Net are not representations to Scottish Ministers. Representations to Scottish Ministers (via the Scottish Government's ECU) can be made when a formal application is made. To make comments or request further information, please contact:

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Further information can also be obtained by visiting the project website: <https://www.achiesenergystorage.com>