

EKREG Meeting Minutes

Date: Tues 21st July, 2026

Present: Alasdair Bennett ('Chair'), Rob Lee and Jerry Barnes

Venue: Remote working: conference via Zoom

1. Apologies for Absence

- None

2. Minutes and actions outstanding at previous meeting (Tues 23rd June, 2026)

- Minutes of the previous meeting were approved. There were no significant actions outstanding.

3. Treasurers' Report

- Only routine monthly bank charges had been paid since the last meeting. An up-to-date bank statement was reviewed and approved at the meeting.

4. Correspondence with wind farm operators/developers

- No correspondence outwith the updates below had been received.

5. Lussa Community Wind [LCW]/CC Charitable Bodies (EKCF, WKCF & CCWF)

- Lussa Community Wind.

The 2026 Annual General Meeting of the Society (virtual meeting online) is scheduled to be held at 18.30 on Thursday 13th August.

- Community Funds (EKCF/CCWF/WKCF).

EKCF are currently open to the receipt of applications from eligible parties/organisations. For the latest news from the anchor charities and application forms/eligibility For EKCF see www.eastkintyre.org. For WKCF and CCWF see www.kintyrewind.com.

6. West Torrisdale

No updates to report. For further info see: www.esbenergy.co.uk/west-torrisdale-wind-farm

7. Clachaig Glen

This development has been granted CfD by DESNZ guaranteeing electricity production prices for 15 years post completion.

Discussions continue with several potential lenders to enable take-up of the community's equity share (49.5%) to be offered in this development as specified in the FLS land lease.

The project is 'approved' by planning, and presently 'On hold' with developer pending connection approvals. Meanwhile, EKREG continue to explore finance opportunities.

8. Killean

No updates to report. This development will be subject to a Scottish Government hearing – dates for which are yet to be released.

9. Tangy IV

SSE have applied to change their planning application, which proposes an increase in the height of the turbines to be installed from 150m to 200m tip height. No updates to report. For further information see: www.sserenewables.com/onshore-wind/in-development/tangy-repower/

10. Cnoc Buidhe (Belltown Power)

No updates to report.

11. High Constellation

This development has been granted CfD by DESNZ so prices for electricity produced will be guaranteed for the first 15 years of operation. Ground clearance work has begun. No response from the developer to the Chair's latest request for clarification on CBF payments had been received.

12. Deucheran Hill 2 (repowering and extension)

No updates to report.

13. Meall Mor

No updates to report

14. Narachan

EnergieKontor aim to resubmit their proposal to develop Narachan wind farm – addressing the major objections raised by installation of 150m tip-height turbines rather than the 180m+ turbines originally proposed. Along with the addition of extra turbines.

15. Breakerie

Energiekontor 91MW development proposed 8km SW of Campbeltown comprising 13 turbines (200 m tip height) plus battery storage. Ongoing since 2023. Argyll and Bute Council have serviced their objection to ECU and the developer has since been requested (and in June added) further information concerning the connection of this development to the grid.

16. Communications & Marketing

- **Marketing**

Routine website updates had been completed, and correspondence responded to. Full visibility on 2025 charity donations made through EKCF, WKCF and CCWF via donations from Lussa Community Wind have been added to the website.

ER had provided an analysis of 'hits' on the website for the past 12 months.

- **Communications**

EKREG have extended their dialogue with GB Energy to assist with the development of a 'product range' to facilitate UK-wide CSO in renewable energy developments.

16. Governance

The Secretary agreed to chase the accountant to prepare the annual accounts and tax return for EKREG, and update the company's annual confirmation statement [**Action: JB**].

17. AOB

No further matters were discussed.

DONM: Tues 25th August, 2026. 09.00 [virtual meeting: Zoom]