

Why does Viking Energy need a sub-sea electrical connection to the Scottish Mainland?

Shetland could make a significant contribution to the international issues of climate change and energy security. However, Shetland's existing local electrical network has technical constraints and is no longer able to accept proposed connections. A connection to the UK national grid would help overcome this.

Viking Energy's proposal is for 150 turbines. We believe the wind farm needs to be of a sufficient size to give an acceptable return on investment and to be able to afford the usage charges for the necessary sub-sea cable to the mainland.

The mainland connection will allow surplus electricity generated to be exported and the spare capacity on the sub-sea cable will open the way for companies hoping to develop wave and tidal power devices in Shetland.

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