

SUBJECT TO CONTRACT / CONTRACT DENIED

Re: Laois-Kilkenny Reinforcement Project

Date: 18th January 2013

An Bord Pleanála Reference: [11.VC0035, Laois-Kilkenny Reinforcement Project]

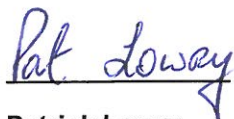
To whom it may concern;

I am aware that EirGrid plc is proposing to apply for planning approval for the above development on my lands at Coolnabacky and Esker, Co, Laois.

I hereby consent to EirGrid plc applying for said planning approval.

Please note, however, that this consent is a mere consent to the inclusion of the lands for the purpose of the Application and is not intended, nor shall it be deemed or construed, to be an agreement on our part to sell or transfer any interest in the lands to EirGrid plc, or any other party.

Signed

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Pat Lowry". The signature is written in a cursive style with a horizontal line under the name.

Patrick Lowry