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Withdrawal of powerline to Finland in the Davvi windpower project

The Norwegian Water Resources and Energy Directorate (NVE) have received a letter from Grenselandet that confirms their withdrawal of a new powerline into Finland from the proposed Davvi windpower project in Finnmark in Norway. The power line was originally planned to cross the Finnish boarder near Utsjoki. The letter confirms that Grenselandet no longer plans to build this powerline. The letter from Grenselandet is attached.

If Grenselandet applies for the Davvi windpower plant, NVE will instruct them to provide all relevant information regarding Finnish interest in Finnish. This information will be sent to Miljöministeriet as soon as it is available to us.

Yours sincerely

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Letter from Grenselandet

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Davvi Windfarm - Interconnection withdrawal

Reference is to the received EIA Program for Davvi vind farm. We hereby inform NVE that the southern connection from the wind farm to Utsjoki lapses.

The decision is made on the basis of the consultation statements received in connection with the pre-notification. In the consultation process, it has clearly emerged that this line has a great conflict potential for, inter alia, cultural heritage, reindeer husbandry and tourism.

The board of Grenselandet AS has therefore decided to withdraw the plans for a southern interconnection from the wind farm to Utsjoki.

The wind farm will now only have a northern interconnection according to the pre notification. It is assumed interconnected to the pre notified 420 kV power line going from Skaidi to Varangerbotn. Grenselandet is therefore not planning any power lines or interconnections on Finish territory.

Best regards



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