



Wednesday, 28th February 2018

Dear Resident,

As you are aware, ENGIE Developments Ireland Limited (ENGIE) has submitted a planning application to Carlow County Council for an up to 100 MW energy storage facility next to the Kellistown East substation. (Planning File Reference 1823).

From our engagement in the local community we note both interest and some concern and indeed as often is the case, some confusion and misunderstanding. I apologise if for any reason we have not sufficiently informed the local community of our plans to date and it is our wish to further engage with the local community so that the Kellistown Energy Park project is fully understood and welcomed to the area.

Of course, the project is currently in the planning process, which provides opportunity for observation and appeal. Subject to planning approval in due course, we hope to develop the project in close collaboration with the Kellistown community to ensure that the merit and benefit of what we know to be an attractive and environmentally friendly project brings benefit to the Kellistown area.

Meanwhile, I enclose copies of a courtesy neighbour information newsletter which you might kindly share with neighbours and interested as you see fit. The full detail of the project is on the Planning File but the newsletter and the project website www.kellistown.engie.ie may be helpful in giving a top line view of the project concept.

If you have any questions or require any clarification I am available to discuss the project with you.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Ben Bateman".

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