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Enduring Connection Policy - Generation and System Services (ECP-GSS-3) September 2026 Initial Batch

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Background

In September 2024 the CRU published its *Electricity Generation Policy – Generation and System Services (ECP-GSS)* Decision Paper (CRU/2024101[1]) which will support the delivery of Ireland's renewable electricity targets and support Ireland in achieving compliance with the Renewable Energy Directive III (RED III). The CRU published its Electricity Generation Policy – Generation & System Services: Pre-engagement Process and High-level Technical Assessment Proposed Decision Paper (CRU/202558[2]) in April 2025 which set out the CRU's proposed decisions on the Pre-engagement and HLTA process, including in relation to timelines, HLTA validity periods, approach for non-RED III projects (i.e. conventional generation projects, energy storage projects which are not co-located as per the RED III definition, or other system services technology projects), application fees, inputs and outputs of the process, and transitional arrangements.

A Pre-application Notification window opened for the period 2nd – 30th June 2026, as per the Information Note (CRU202689[3]) from the CRU. Both RED III and non-RED III projects were required to submit a "Pre-application Notification" to the relevant System Operator by 30th June 2026. Only applicants who had submitted a Pre-application Notification were entitled to apply for a grid connection in ECP-GSS-3. The application window for ECP-GSS-3 closed on 30th September 2026.

This publication contains the initial list of applications applied to DSO in ECP-GSS-3.

Please note that the projects in ECP-GSS-3 may change should projects not proceed with their application or are no longer deemed eligible.

Applications are summarised in the table below:

Generation Type	Total Applications	Total Sum of MEC (MW)
Battery	7	62.25
HVO	3	4.99
Hybrid (Solar/Battery)	3	100.7
Hybrid (Solar/HVO)	2	1.99
Hybrid(Gas/HVO)	1	9.8
Solar	18	104.445
Wind	13	126.319
Battery	7	62.25
Grand Total	**47**	**410.5**

[1] CRU2024101_Electricity_Connection_Policy_Generation__System_Services_Decision_Paper.pdf
[2] CRU202584_ECP-GSS_HLTA_Decision_Paper_428722.PDF
[3] CRU202689_Information_Note_Requirement_for_the_September_2026_batch.pdf

ECP-GSS-3 –Initial List of Projects

Name of Facility	Applicant	County	Eastings	Northings	Generation Type	MEC (MW)
Shallon Solar Farm and BESS	Shallon Solar Farm Limited	Dublin	311436	245307	Hybrid Multi Source Generator	100.00
Astellas Killorglin Wind Turbine - Export	Astellas Ireland Co Limited	Kerry	78388	96801	Wind	1.00
Codd Mushrooms Wind Turbine	Codd Mushrooms Limited	Carlow	283603	178019	Wind	0.50
Kealkill Wind Farm Extension	Framore Ltd	Cork	108876	62110	Wind	4.80
Breaffa Windfarm	Moanmore Lower Green Energy Limited	Clare	98165	157840	Wind	13.50
Aurivo Dairy HVO Generator	Aurivo Dairy Ingredients Limited	Roscommon	162711	294435	HVO	3.00
Catalyst Building Battery Test Lab	Analog Devices International ULC	Limerick	555600	652800	Battery	1.00
Castlecor Potatoes ULC	Castlecor Potatoes ULC	Cork	143511	107301	Solar	0.65
Coguish Wind Farm	Dartmore Limited	Donegal	162728	379468	Wind	2.30
GP Wood Lissarda Ltd Solar	GP Wood Lissarda Limited	Cork	136671	67775	Solar	0.50
Ballyvaldon Solar Farm	Solar Now Limited	Wexford	714333	636320	Solar	6.00
Moyhora WF	Art Generation Limited	Kilkenny	253702	177384	Wind	4.80
Duninga Solar Farm	Duninga Solar Limited	Kilkenny	267611	155371	Solar	1.00
Carneys Island	Lakemere Limited	Monaghan	252281	252281	Wind	4.80
Kylemore ESS 4	Electricity Supply Board	Dublin	310510	232849	Battery	11.00
Kylemore ESS 3	Electricity Supply Board	Dublin	310510	232849	Battery	12.00
Aurivo Killigordon HVO Generator	Aurivo Co Op Society Limited	Donegal	619851	892979	HVO	1.00
Castlebank Solar Farm	Castlebank Green Energy Limited	Limerick	157876	161617	Solar	30.00
Cronalaght 3 Windfarm Extension	Cronalaght Windfarm Limited	Donegal	186171	423686	Wind	4.50
Dixons Solar PV	Michael Dixon International Transport Limited	Dublin	53.440888	-6.285074	Solar	0.70

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Crory BESS (extn. to DG1892 The Dell PV)	Stego Storage Limited	Wexford	299047	148622	Battery	20.00
Ballymagarvey Village	Ballymagarvey Village Limited	Meath	299888	264507	Solar	0.15
Errigal BESS (extn. to DG1943 Drumman Solar)	Brachio Storage Limited	Cavan	259426	313431	Battery	15.00
Whitestown PV Phase 2	BNRG Balbriggan Limited	Dublin	315951	262735	Solar	5.40
Coolishal Lower - Casey Enterprise - Project 2	Faser Court T/A Casey Enterprise & Casey	Wexford	713599	658336	Solar	1.54
Rosehill PV	BNRG Rosehill Limited	Kilkenny	247532	153782	Solar	6.00
Aclare Wind Farm	FuturEnergy Croaghaun DAC	Carlow	284069	158438	Wind	38.50
Dairygold Mogeely HVO Generator	Dairygold Co-Operative Society Limited	Cork	196067	74967	HVO	0.99
Cook Medical GM PH1	Cook Ireland Limited	Limerick	162765	158343	Solar	1.00
Crockahenny Windfarm Ext.	Crockahenny Windfarm DAC	Donegal	245786	433153	Wind	3.52
Mullycagh Upper Solar Farm	Wicklow Renewables Limited	Wicklow	292694	201241	Solar	39.99
Cavan Box Solar & BESS	Cavan Box Limited	Cavan	252246	291159	Hybrid Multi Source Generator	0.25
Tine Mogeely HVO Generator	Tine Ireland Limited	Cork	196067	74967	Hybrid Multi Source Generator	0.99
Ballynisky Wind Farm	Ballynisky Green Energy Limited	Limerick	129316	143547	Wind	30.00
Loughrea Depot Telecoms Tower BESS	ESB Telecoms Limited	Galway	163024	216989	Battery	0.25
Primeline Logistics Unit 12 PV	Primeline Logistics Unlimited Company	Meath	305827	253485	Solar	0.30
Ballyshanon Recycling Limited	Ballyshannon Recycling Limited	Wexford	285286	124905	Solar	0.20
Clooncon East Single WTG Extn.	Clooncon East Single WTG Limited	Galway	164902	263948	Wind	0.10

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Gannons Furniture Ltd.	Gannons Furniture Limited	Roscommon	186477	265674	Solar	0.34
Astellas Dublin Solar Farm PV	Astellas Ireland Co Limited	Dublin	304996	241570	Solar	1.00
Garryndruig Bess Ext	Amarenco Solar Timoleague Limited	Cork	147837.63	46928.25	Battery	3.00
Sollugh Southlands Solar Farm	Sollugh Limited	Leitrim	221875	301885	Solar	4.70
Coolderry Windfarm	Coolderry Green Energy Limited	Tipperary	193320	176300	Wind	18.00
Tullamore Distillery Solar PV Array	William Grant & Sons Irish Manufacturing Limited	Offaly	233878.757	222668.54	Solar	1.98
Dun Laoghaire Golf Club Solar & BESS	Dun Laoghaire Golf Club	Dublin	322905	219468	Hybrid Multi Source Generator	0.45
Moneydurtlow Solar Extension	Moneydurtlow Solar Limited	Wexford	298836	153107	Solar	4.00
SDR4no2 9no. Gas/HVO Generators	South Dublin Routing 4 No. 2 Limited	Dublin	309810	240965	Hybrid Multi Source Generator	9.80