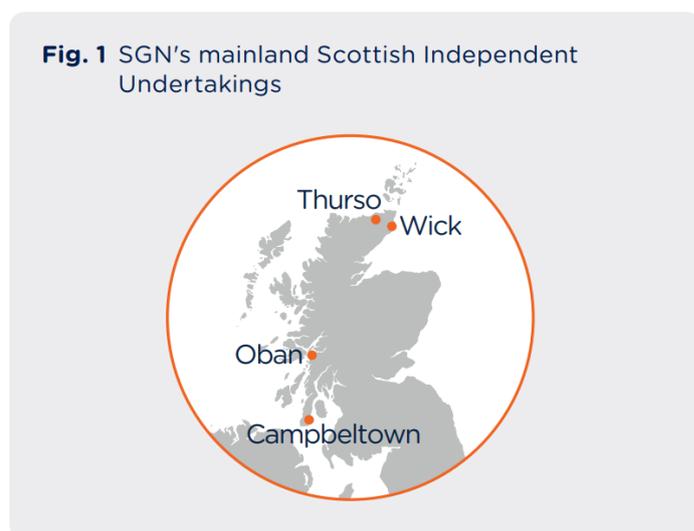


SGN Third Party Connections Briefing Note 22

(Guidance on SIU Connections)

SGN own and operate four mainland Scottish Independent Undertaking networks (*SIUs*) in Oban, Wick, Thurso and Campbeltown as outlined in Figure 1. These are discrete networks that are not connected to the Natural gas distribution network but are supplied by re-gasified Liquefied Natural Gas (*LNG*) in a pressurised pipework system:



Connections onto SIUs are permitted by SGN and should be submitted on the usual Third Party Connections forms to SOE_gtuip_sgn@sgn.co.uk.

Connections onto SIUs cannot utilise the Fastrack Process.

The same connections charging terms and conditions, Regulation and applicable standards of service apply to SIU connections as outlined in section 3.21 of SGN's Connections Charging Methodology and Standard Condition 4B Statement.

As capacity is naturally limited in these unique networks, any identified reinforcement or reconfiguration of the network is subject to the SGN Economic test. Furthermore, requests with an AQ >73,000kwh will automatically be considered a Sufficiently Complex Job (*SCJ*).

Reinforcement or reconfiguration of the network is to ensure an adequate forecasted storage of LNG can be achieved for at least 6 days.