

Project of common interest:

1.7.2 - NSOG

02 Implementation Plan - for publication **For Project of Common Interest:**

1.7.2 France — United Kingdom interconnection between Tourbe (FR) and Chilling (UK) [currently known as "IFA2" project]

Type of project

Electricity line

Project promoters

National Grid Interconnector Holdings Ltd www.ifa2.nationalgrid.com Réseau de Transport d'Electricité/RTE (FR)

Planned date of commissioning 2020

1. Introductory information

Priority corridor: Northern Seas offshore grid

Current implementation status: Permitting

2. Timeline of the implementation plan: Valid as of January 31st, 2017

2.1. Estimative timeline for the completion of feasibility and design studies for the project

Project stage	Start date	(Expected) end date
Feasibility study	NO DATA	NO DATA
Front End Engineering Design study	24/07/2013	06/10/2015

2.2. Estimative timeline for obtaining the approval by the national regulatory authority and the **Final Investment Decision**

Project stage	Date of request	(Expected) date of decision
Approval by the NRA	08/04/2016	31/10/2016
CBCA (where applicable)	NO DATA	NO DATA
Exemption request/decision (where applicable)	NO DATA	NO DATA
Final Investment Decision	NO DATA	06/12/2016

2.3. Estimative permit granting schedule 1 - not defined yet

Date of request	(Expected) date of decision
22/12/2015	31/10/2017

¹This schedule should be in line with the permit granting scheduled required by Article 10 4(b), where available. According to this Article, a permit granting schedule will have to be drawn up by the competent authority in close cooperation with the project promoter and other authorities concerned.

2.4. Estimative timeline for construction and commissioning

Activities	(Expected) start date	(Expected) end date
Construction	04/04/2017	30/12/2020
Commissioning date		7/2020

