

Project of common interest:

2.2.1 - NSI West Electricity

Type of project
Electricity line

Project promoters
Elia System Operator SA
(BE)
Amprion GmbH (DE)

**Planned date of
commissioning**
2020

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

2.2.1 Interconnection between Lixhe (BE) and Oberzier (DE)

1. Introductory information

Priority corridor: North-South electricity interconnections in Western Europe

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	NO DATA	NO DATA

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	01/11/2012	27/07/2013
CBCA (where applicable)	NO DATA	NO DATA
Exemption request/decision (where applicable)	NO DATA	NO DATA
Final Investment Decision	NO DATA	31/03/2016

2.3. Estimative permit granting schedule¹ - not defined yet

Date of request	(Expected) date of decision
NO DATA	NO DATA

¹This schedule should be in line with the permit granting schedule 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	3/2018	9/2020
Commissioning date		10/2020