Ashby / Willesley



Constraint description

Two 33 kV circuits supply the 33/11 kV Moira primary, the 33/11 kV Willesley primary, the 33/11 kV Ashby primary and a connected 33 kV generator.

The first section of the circuit, between Gresley Bulk Supply Point (BSP) and Moira primary, is expected to exceed its ratings during an N-1 event (loss of the other circuit).

Reinforcement description

The current reinforcement plan to alleviate this constraint is to uprate both circuits.



Constraint Season Winter



Flexibility Product **Secure**



Outage Type



Justification for decision

No flexibility requirement under Best View until 2030.

Constraint management timeline

2024 H1 Signposting 2023 H2 Signposting

2023 H1 Signposting

2022 H2 Signposting

2022 H1 Signposting2021 H2 Signposting

2021 H1 Signposting

2020 H2 Procurement

2020 H1 Procurement

Time to Reinforce: 2 years
Constraint Type: Thermal

Estimated flexibility volumes (MWh) per year under Best View:

2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030	2031	2032	2033	2034
-	-	-	-	-	-	4 MWh	21 MWh	97 MWh	295 MWh	853 MWh

