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## Good evening,

On behalf of Sullom Voe Terminal (SVT), operator EnQuest supports the Shetland Enduring Solution Reopener preferred option of a distribution fault ride through with blackout avoidance and standby generation (LPS in standby). The proposed use of a Battery Energy Storage System (BESS) to the 33kv network provides a clean energy ride through solution which will ensure that any downtime in the HVDC link is adequately managed.

EnQuest is progressing plans to connect SVT to the Shetland 33kv network within the next two years in what will be a transformational emissions reduction project for the terminal. The stable, uninterrupted supply that the HVDC link, alongside BESS & LPS standby, will provide is a critical enabler in making this proposed grid connection to SVT viable.

## Regards

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