# CREAG DHUBH WIND FARM

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## SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

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# PREFACE

The following Supplementary Information (SI) is provided in response to requests from Argyll and Bute Council and NatureScot for additional information to address the potential environmental effects of the proposed development near Succothmore, Strachur, Argyll, PA27 8DW.

The SI has been prepared by Muirden Energy LLP to accompany a planning application (19/02544/PP) submitted by Creag Dhubh Renewables LLP under the Town and Country Planning (Environmental Impact Assessment) (Scotland) Regulations to Argyll and Bute Council (ABC). The planning application is for permission to construct and operate a nine turbine wind farm at Creag Dhubh near Strachur ('the proposed development').

Additional copies of the SI can be purchased directly from Creag Dhubh Renewables LLP: printed copies are available for a cost of £100 or digital versions on CD-ROM are available for £10.

Due to the Coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic, hard copies of the EIA Report cannot be viewed at public locations. However, the documents can be viewed using Argyll and Bute Council's online planning system and the wind farm's dedicated website: www.creagdhubhwindfarm.co.uk

To order an additional copy, please contact Creag Dhubh Renewables LLP at the following address or phone number:

Creag Dhubh Renewables LLP Muirden Farm Turriff Aberdeenshire AB53 4NH

Tel: 01888 569 310

Comments on the application for planning permission should be forwarded to the address below:

Argyll and Bute Council, Kilmory Lochgilphead Argyll PA31 8RT

Or, by searching for the planning application (19/02544/PP) using Argyll and Bute Council's online planning system, where registered users are able to "make a public comment".

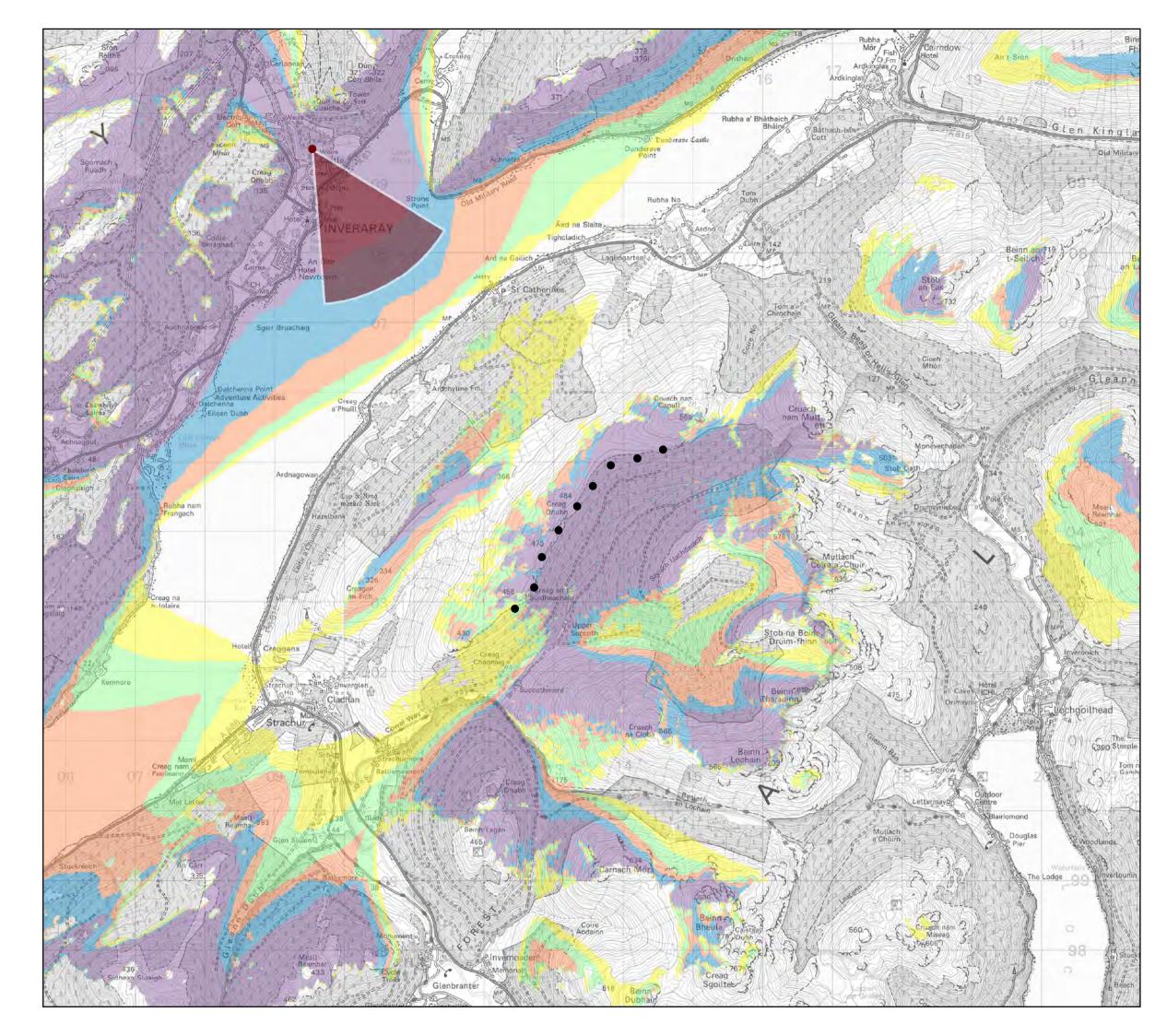
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#### NOTE

Visualisations of wind farms have a number of limitations which you should be aware of when using them to form a judgement of a wind farm proposal. These include:

- Visualisations can never show exactly what the wind farm will look like in reality due to factors such as: different lighting, weather and seasonal conditions which vary through time and the resolution of the image; »
- The images provided give a reasonable impression of the scale of the turbines and the distance to the turbines, but can never be 100% accurate; »
- A static image cannot convey turbine movement, or flicker or reflection from the sun on the turbine blades as they move; »
- The viewpoints illustrated are representative of views in the area, but cannot represent visibility at all locations; »
- To form the best impression of the impacts of the wind farm proposal these images are best viewed at the viewpoint location shown; »
- The images must be printed at the right size to be viewed properly (260mm by 820mm) »
- You should hold the images flat at a comfotable arm's length. If viewing these images on a wall or board at an exhibition, you should stand at arm's length from the image presented. »



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#### FIGURE 7.45

Viewpoint 19 - Inveraray Castle Garden Bridge

Located on the most elevated section of the Garden Bridge in the Inveraray Castle designed landscape.

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#### <u>Key:</u>

• Proposed wind turbine



53.5° field of view

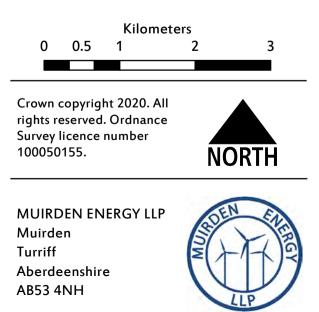
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9 turbines theoretically visible





**PROJECT:** CREAG DHUBH WIND FARM **FIGURE:** 7.45A VIEWPOINT 19: INVERARAY CASTLE GARDEN BRIDGE

DATE: 14/09/2020 TIME: 12.45 GRID REFERENCE: 209537 709485 ELEVATION: 5m AOD

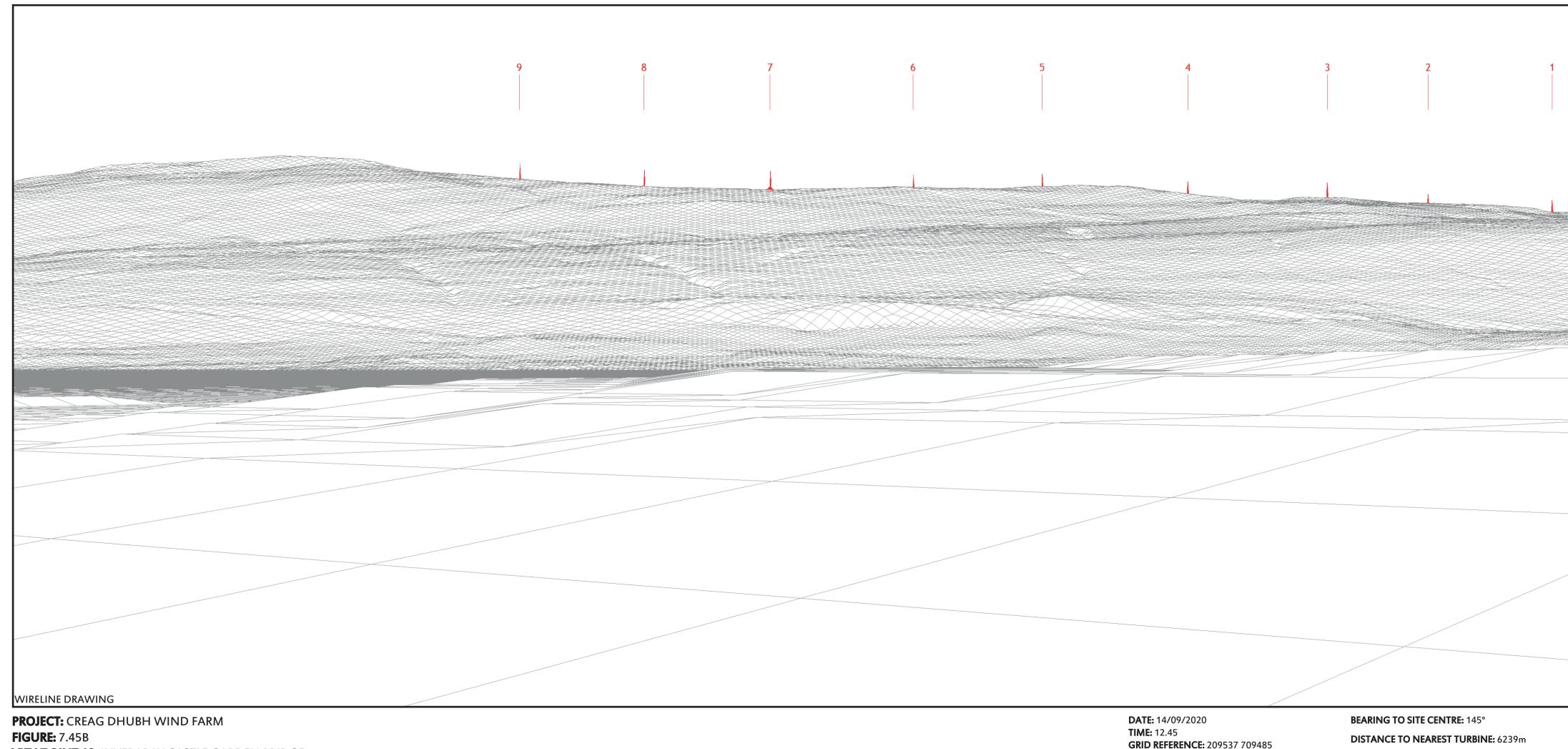
BEARING TO SITE CENTRE: 145° DISTANCE TO NEAREST TURBINE: 6239m CAMERA HEIGHT ABOVE GROUND: 1.5m CAMERA: Canon EOS 5D LENS: 50mm (Canon EF 50mm f/1.8) HORIZONTAL FIELD OF VIEW: 90°

VERTICAL FIELD OF VIEW: 14.2° **PROJECTION:** Cylindrical PRINCIPAL DISTANCE: 522mm

#### **CUMULATIVE PROJECTS KEY:** Operational Consented

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VIEWPOINT 19: INVERARAY CASTLE GARDEN BRIDGE

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**BEARING TO SITE CENTRE:** 145° DISTANCE TO NEAREST TURBINE: 6239m CAMERA HEIGHT ABOVE GROUND: 1.5m

CAMERA: Canon EOS 5D VERTICAL FIELD OF VIEW: 18.2° **LENS: 50**mm (Canon EF 50mm f/1.8) **PROJECTION:** Planar HORIZONTAL FIELD OF VIEW: 53.5° PRINCIPAL DISTANCE: 812.5mm

#### VIEW FLAT AT A COMFORTABLE ARM'S LENGTH





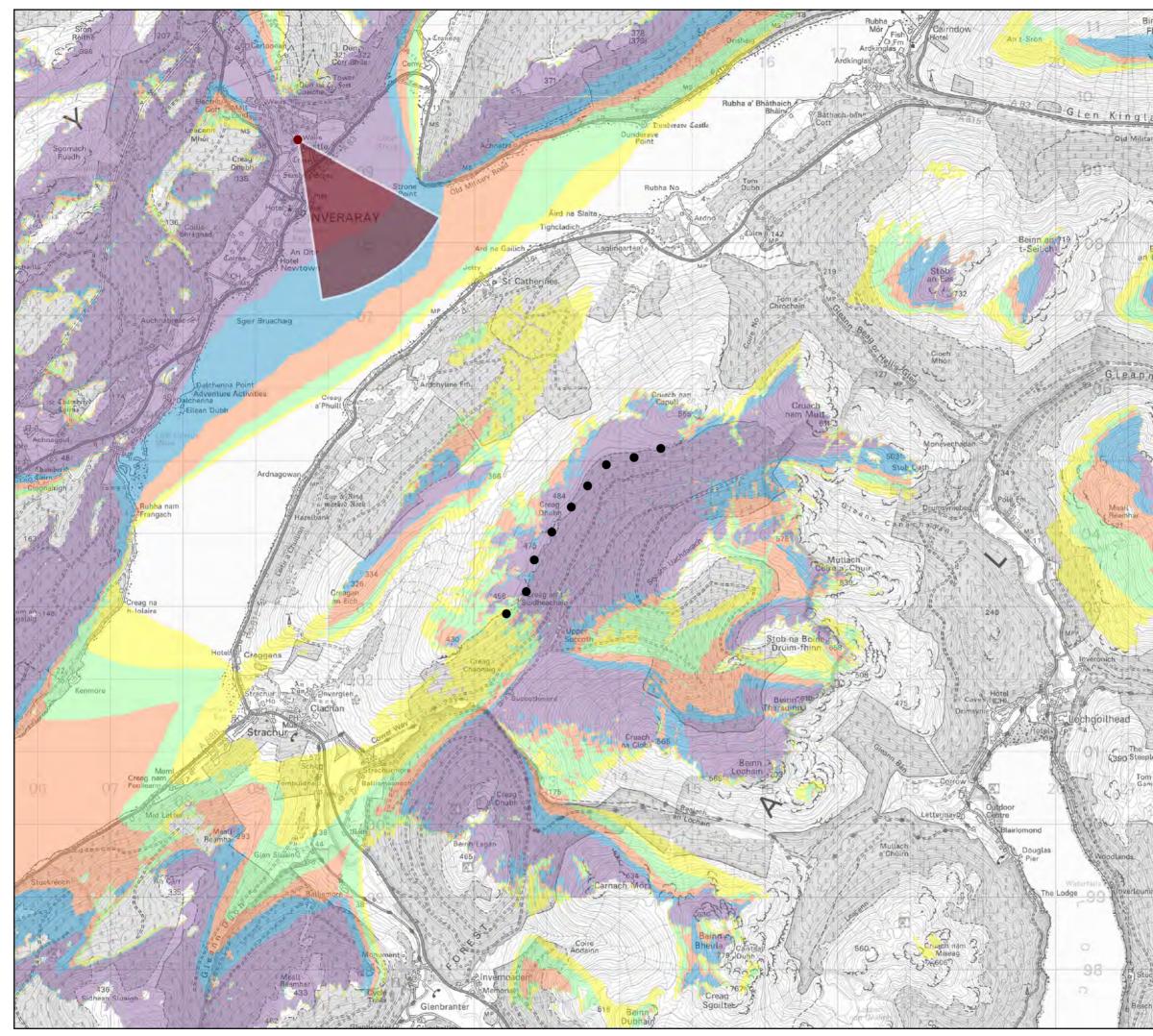
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#### FIGURE 7.46

Viewpoint 20 - Road between Inveraray Castle and Garden Bridge

Located on the hedgerow lined road between Inveraray Castle and the Garden Bridge, approximately 50m southwest of the bridge.

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Checked by: AF Date: 15/12/2020

#### Key:

• Proposed wind turbine

Viewpoint

53.5° field of view

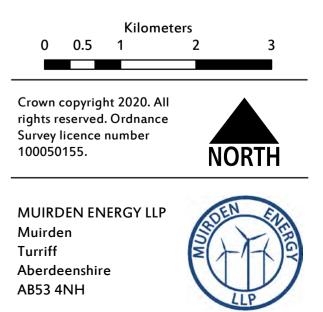
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9 turbines theoretically visible





**PROJECT:** CREAG DHUBH WIND FARM **FIGURE:** 7.46A **VIEWPOINT 20:** ROAD BETWEEN INVERARAY CASTLE AND GARDEN BRIDGE DATE: 14/10/2020 TIME: 16.40 GRID REFERENCE: 209576 709418 ELEVATION: 10m AOD **BEARING TO SITE CENTRE:** 142° **DISTANCE TO NEAREST TURBINE:** 6164m **CAMERA HEIGHT ABOVE GROUND:** 1.5m CAMERA: Canon EOS 5D LENS: 50mm (Canon EF 50mm f/1.8) HORIZONTAL FIELD OF VIEW: 90° VERTICAL FIELD OF VIEW: 14.2° PROJECTION: Cylindrical PRINCIPAL DISTANCE: 522mm

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CAMERA: Canon EOS 5D LENS: 50mm (Canon EF 50mm f/1.8) HORIZONTAL FIELD OF VIEW: 53.5°

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PRINCIPAL DISTANCE: 812.5mm

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**PROJECT:** CREAG DHUBH WIND FARM **FIGURE:** 7.46C VIEWPOINT 20: ROAD BETWEEN INVERARAY CASTLE AND GARDEN BRIDGE

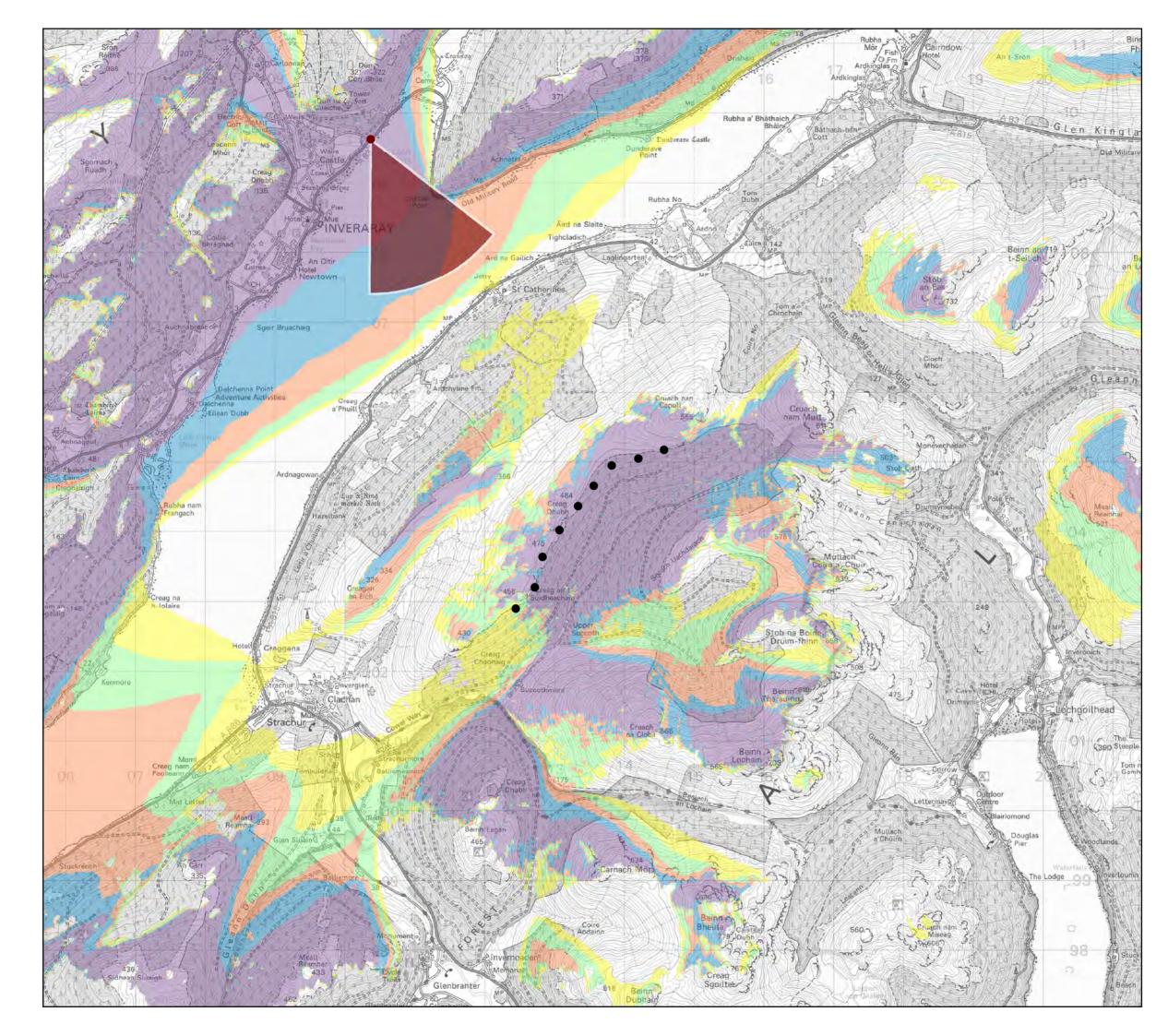
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VERTICAL FIELD OF VIEW: 18.2° **PROJECTION:** Planar PRINCIPAL DISTANCE: 812.5mm

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#### FIGURE 7.47

Viewpoint 21 - A83 (Kilmalieu Cemetry)

Located on the A83 where road users travelling south receive unhindered views towards Inveraray.

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Drawn by: AE	Date: 16/12/2020

#### Key:

• Proposed wind turbine



53.5° field of view

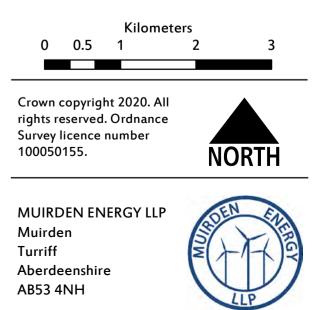
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**FIGURE:** 7.47A VIEWPOINT 21: A83 (KILMALIEU CEMETERY)



DATE: 14/10/2020 TIME: 15.50 GRID REFERENCE: 210368 709625 ELEVATION: 9m AOD

BEARING TO SITE CENTRE: 151° DISTANCE TO NEAREST TURBINE: 5813m CAMERA HEIGHT ABOVE GROUND: 1.5m CAMERA: Canon EOS 5D LENS: 50mm (Canon EF 50mm f/1.8) HORIZONTAL FIELD OF VIEW: 90°

VERTICAL FIELD OF VIEW: 14.2° PROJECTION: Cylindrical PRINCIPAL DISTANCE: 522mm

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**FIGURE:** 7.47B VIEWPOINT 21: A83 (KILMALIEU CEMETERY) DATE: 14/10/2020 TIME: 15.50 GRID REFERENCE: 210368 709625 ELEVATION: 9m AOD

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#### VIEW FLAT AT A COMFORTABLE ARM'S LENGTH



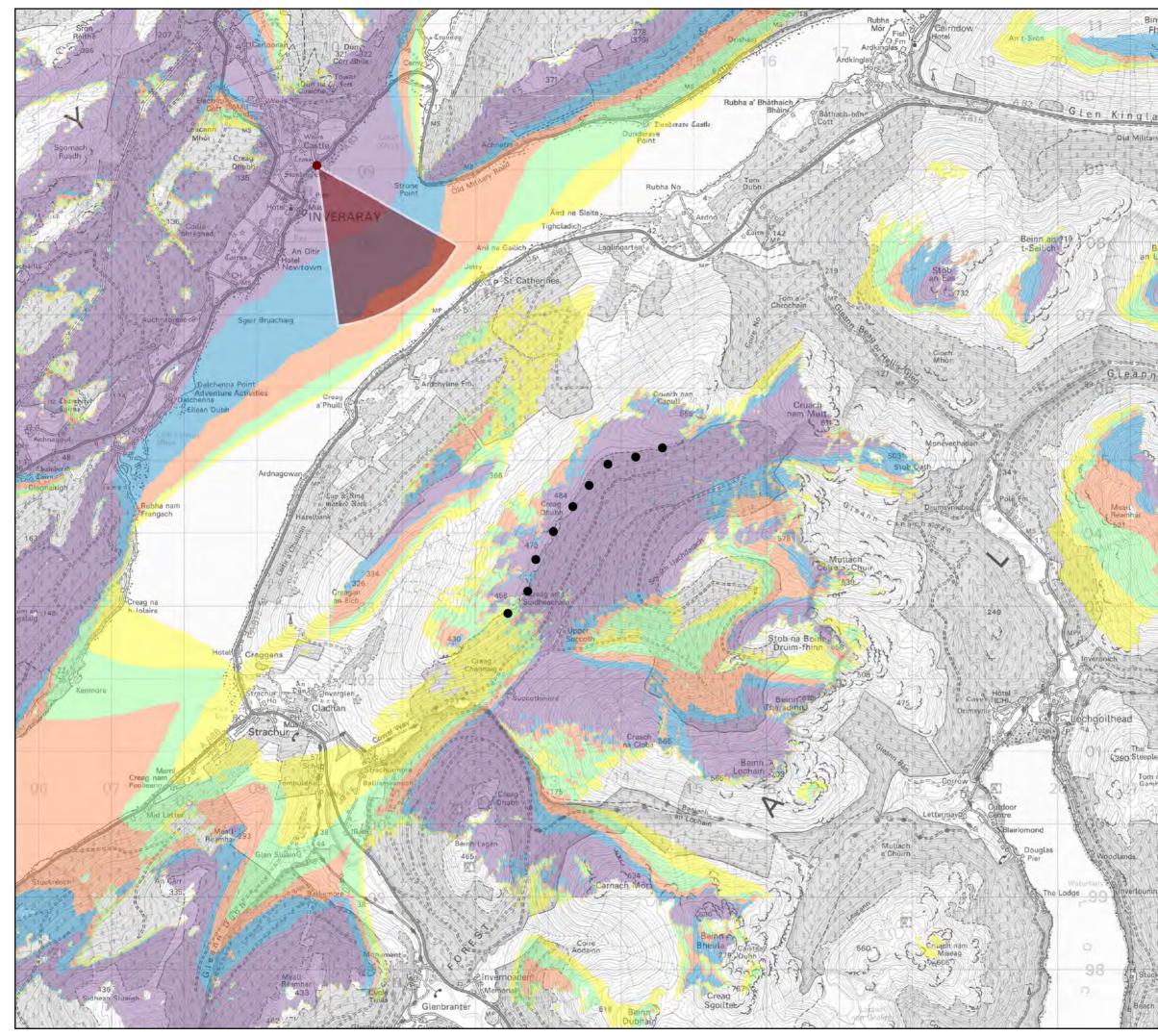


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#### FIGURE 7.48

Viewpoint 22 - A83 Aray Bridge

Located on the highest point of the bridge.

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#### <u>Key:</u>

• Proposed wind turbine

Viewpoint 

53.5° field of view

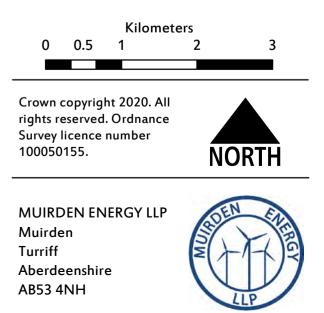
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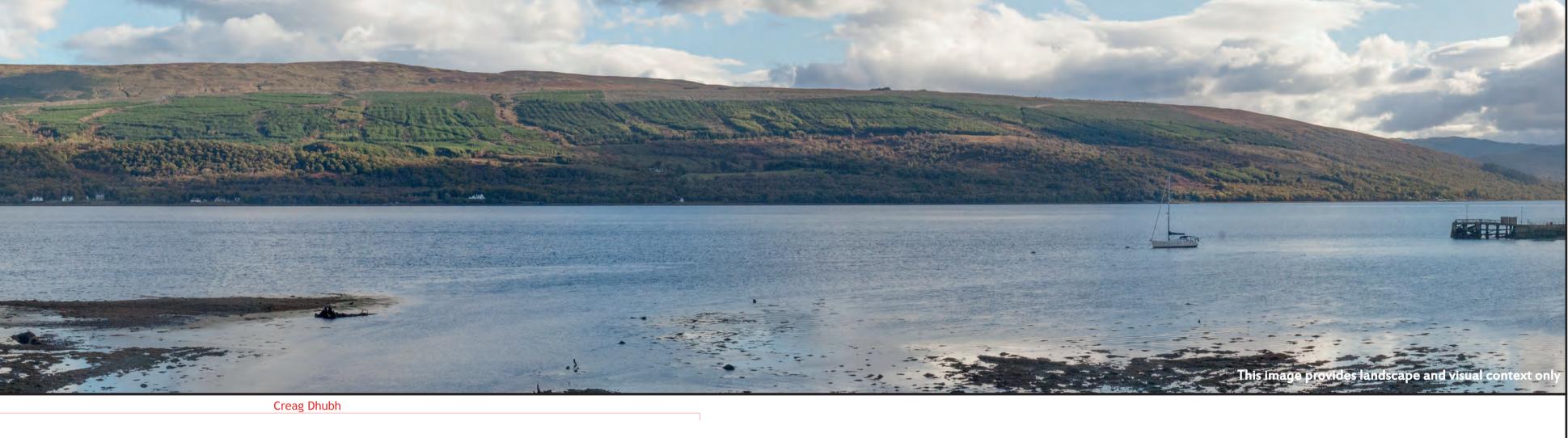
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Baseline photograph Wireline drawing **PROJECT:** CREAG DHUBH WIND FARM **FIGURE:** 7.48A

VIEWPOINT 22: A83 ARAY BRIDGE



DATE: 14/10/2020 TIME: 15.40 GRID REFERENCE: 209820 709053 ELEVATION: 7m AOD

**BEARING TO SITE CENTRE:** 143° DISTANCE TO NEAREST TURBINE: 5732m CAMERA HEIGHT ABOVE GROUND: 1.5m CAMERA: Canon EOS 5D LENS: 50mm (Canon EF 50mm f/1.8) HORIZONTAL FIELD OF VIEW: 90°

VERTICAL FIELD OF VIEW: 14.2° PROJECTION: Cylindrical PRINCIPAL DISTANCE: 522mm

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FIGURE: 7.48B Viewpoint 22: A83 Aray Bridge



DATE: 14/10/2020 TIME: 15.40 GRID REFERENCE: 209820 709053 ELEVATION: 7m AOD

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VIEWPOINT 22: A83 ARAY BRIDGE



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#### VIEW FLAT AT A COMFORTABLE ARM'S LENGTH

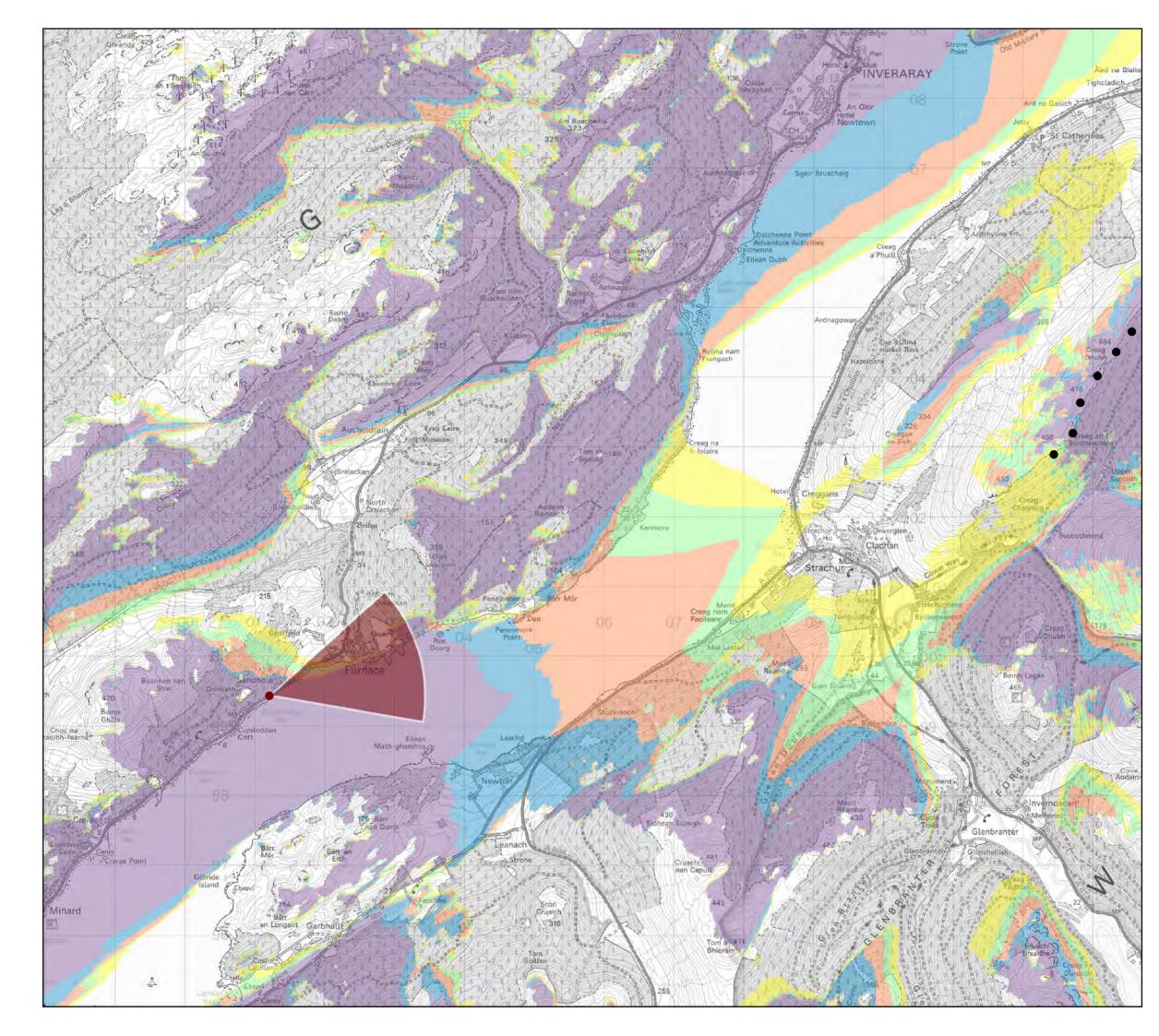




**PROJECT:** CREAG DHUBH WIND FARM **Figure:** 7.48E **Viewpoint 22:** A83 Aray Bridge DATE: 14/10/2020 TIME: 15.40 GRID REFERENCE: 209820 709053 ELEVATION: 7m AOD

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#### FIGURE 7.49

Viewpoint 23 - A83 (South of Furnace)

Located approximately 1km south of the village of Furnace along a short stretch of the A83 road where views are unhindered by roadside vegetation.

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Drawn by: AE	Date: 15/12/2020

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53.5° field of view

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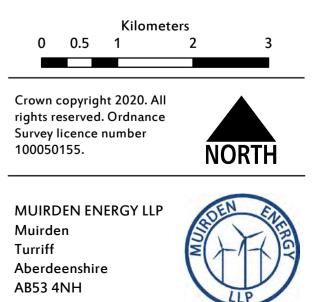




FIGURE: 7.49A VIEWPOINT 23: A83 (SOUTH OF FURNACE)

DATE: 9/12/2020 TIME: 15.30 GRID REFERENCE: 201207 699435 ELEVATION: 7m AOD

DISTANCE TO NEAREST TURBINE: 11760m CAMERA HEIGHT ABOVE GROUND: 1.5m

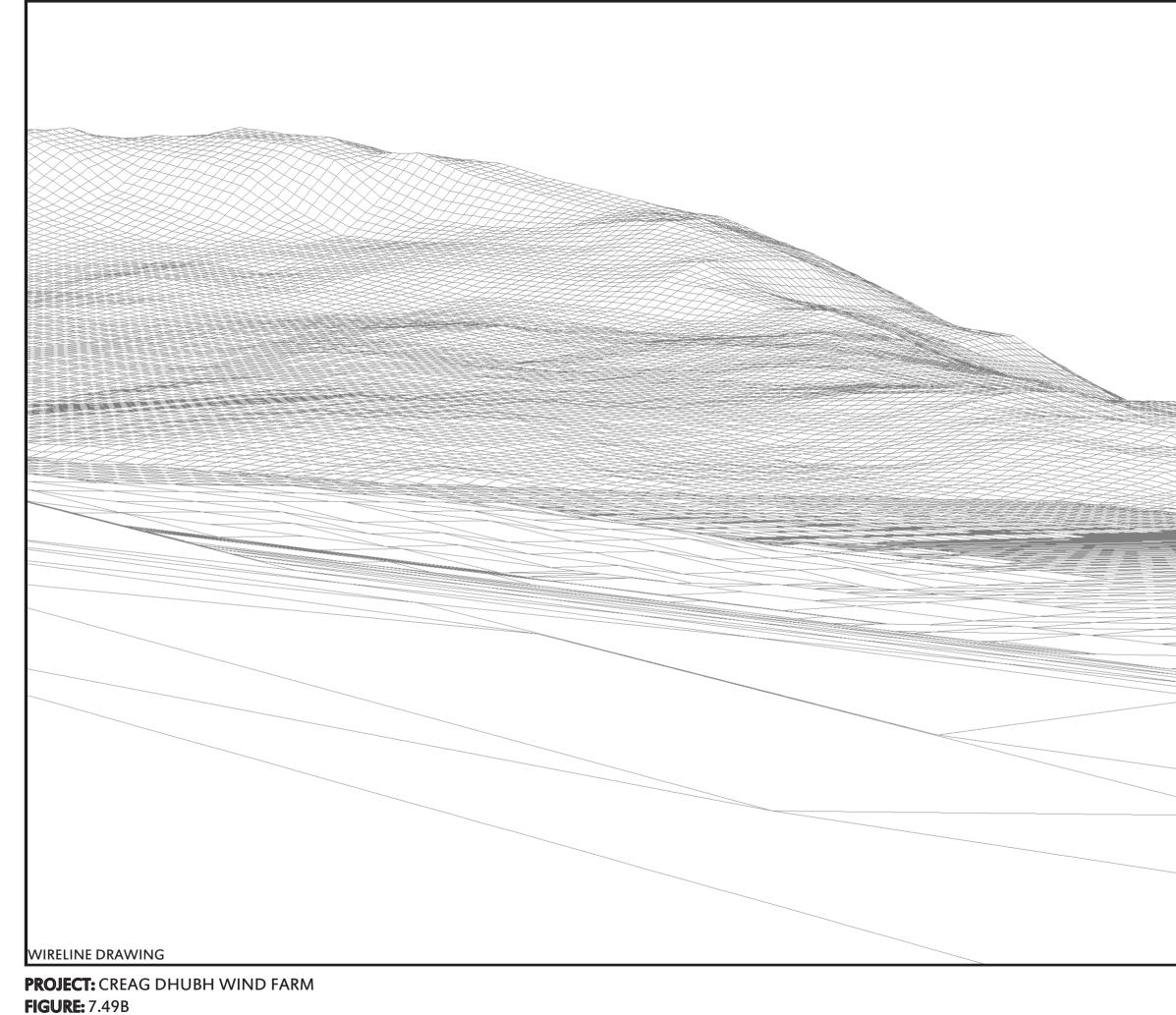
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VIEWPOINT 23: A83 (SOUTH OF FURNACE)

DATE: 9/12/2020 TIME: 15.30 GRID REFERENCE: 201207 699435 ELEVATION: 7m AOD

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BEARING TO SITE CENTRE: 71° DISTANCE TO NEAREST TURBINE: 11760m CAMERA HEIGHT ABOVE GROUND: 1.5m **CAMERA:** Canon EOS 5D **LENS: 50**mm (Canon EF 50mm f/1.8) **HORIZONTAL FIELD OF VIEW:** 53.5°

#### VIEW FLAT AT A COMFORTABLE ARM'S LENGTH

VERTICAL FIELD OF VIEW: 18.2°f/1.8)PROJECTION: Planar3.5°PRINCIPAL DISTANCE: 812.5mm





**PROJECT:** CREAG DHUBH WIND FARM **FIGURE:** 7.49C **VIEWPOINT 23:** A83 (SOUTH OF FURNACE) DATE: 9/12/2020 TIME: 15.30 GRID REFERENCE: 201207 699435 ELEVATION: 7m AOD

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