## 11kV Connection to Higher Hatherleigh Solar Park

## Customer: Moser Baer Clean Energy Ltd. **DNO: Scottish and Southern Energy** Location: Wincanton, Somerset, UK This project included construction of the DNO and the private network to connect 5MW Solar Park to SSE network. SSE cable route was laid in carriageway and required precise planning and **11kV Schneider Switchgear** traffic management. The access through the third art land was not always available and GEW2 has supported customer in negotiating access rights and cable lay easements. Scope: Customer private network was laid through the farm fields and - 11kv design to SSE specification under River Cale. River crossing involved an application to - Supply, delivery and installation of Environmental Agency, subsequent follow up of the government 11kV Switchgear process and directional drilling - Excavation, lay and reinstatement of Customer private network including HV and pilot cables was 1,800 meters along the cable route connected on time despite the winter weather and unfavorable through carriageway and weather conditions. agricultural land Cable pull (1,800 meters) HV and **Pilot cables** - Cable terminations onto the switchgear from DNO and customer **11kV River Cale Crossing** sides SSE intake substation earthing Cable jointing, cable terminations and cable testing - DNO connection liaison and coordination - Legal support through easement and lease process - Public relations - Environmental agency applications and liaison - Third party negotiations - Project management - Directional Drilling

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