

# Natural Power Ecology - Environmental Advisors Case Study



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| <b>Project:</b>             | South West Scotland Renewables Connection Project   |
| <b>Client:</b>              | Scottish Woodlands Ltd.   |
| <b>Project Description:</b> | Natural Power's Ecology and Hydrology department was engaged to provide Environmental Advisor and Environmental Clerk of Works services in relation to the associated felling works.  |
| <b>Services Provided:</b>   | The project covers the up-grade of 46 km of overhead transmission line in south west Scotland and, when completed, will enable the transportation of energy from multiple wind farms in Dumfries and Galloway, East Ayrshire and South Ayrshire to the distribution network. The Environmental Advisor role undertaken by Natural Power incorporated: pre-felling surveys for protected species; licence applications for European Protected species (EPS); groundwater dependent terrestrial ecosystem assessments; fisheries liaison; hydrological monitoring; Construction Environmental Management Plans (CEMPs); Environmental Management Plans (EMPs); ornithological mitigation plans; waste management plan; and full-time Environmental Clerk of Works (ECoW). |
| <b>Added Value</b>          | Natural Power also provided services to the Principle Contractor and other tier one contractors for the delivery of this transmission up-grade, ensuring cross-party working to successfully deliver the project to budget, to required timescales and with clear environmental benefits.   |



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