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Why has it been decided not to bring the cables ashore at Heysham.

One of the nuclear plants is scheduled for closure by 2030 and there is direct access to the National grid.  
The offshore distance may be longer but must be far cheaper overall than the onshore route from Squires Gate to Penwortham route which appears to be the current proposal. The disruption over many years would enormous together with loss of valuable farmland.

I have heard that it is because the offshore transmission is paid for by the wind farm developers whereas the onshore transmission is infrastructure and therefore government.

It is therefore in their interest to get the shortest offshore route, ie Squires Gate.

Please can you tell me why the Heysham route was ruled out as I can find no reference to it in any early studies.

Kind Regards

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