Energy Use and Efficiency Policy

ESB is a vertically integrated electrical utility involved in the generation, distribution and sale of electricity and energy services. Our purpose is to create a brighter future through the provision of safe, clean and efficient energy to households, businesses and civil society, helping to transition Ireland to a low carbon future. To sustain and grow our business profitably, we must preserve natural resources, reduce emissions and mitigate the effects of climate change.

ESB commits itself to continually improve its energy performance, reduce energy consumption and emissions and to:

Reduce the use of energy at our facilities, fleet and operations.

Engage employees through the promotion of energy efficiency programmes and educate them on energy conservation and carbon reduction.

Document and appropriately resource its energy management system complying with ISO50001, for the effective management and improvement of energy performance objectives and targets.

Uphold compliance with all relevant legal and other commitments for energy efficiency, energy use and carbon reduction.

Continue to strive for energy conservation, including through investment in energy and carbon efficient products and services and through support for design strategies which improve energy performance.

Effectively engage with stakeholders through provision of reliable and transparent information on ESB’s energy consumption and adopted improvement actions.

Energy is at the heart of our business.

Using low carbon energy wisely and efficiently and helping other energy users do likewise, will help ESB lead the transition to a low carbon world.

This policy shall be subject to regular review and update as appropriate, ensuring it is clearly documented and communicated by management across all levels within the organisation.

Signed ___________________________ Date 12/9/2019