

Connect Saint Helena Ltd (Connect) has today signed a Power Purchase Agreement with PASH Global to provide wind turbine, solar power and battery storage capacity to St Helena, significantly increasing the amount of renewable energy capacity on the Island and resulting in the majority of the Island's energy needs being met by renewable sources.

The project will deliver the lowest cost electricity to Saint Helena and reduce the islands reliance on imported diesel, switching entirely to renewable energy to meet majority of the electricity needs, making Saint Helena one of the "greenest" ...

St Helena's energy strategy will aim to improve the social and economic well-being of its population, and minimize the impact on the environment. It will increase the production of energy through renewable sources, and reduce the island's reliance on imported fuels, increase fuel security and prize stabilization.

The renewables developer, which is majority-owned by Singapore-based commodities trader Trafigura Group Pte Ltd, has signed the contract with Connect Saint Helena Ltd, the sole utility on the island. The PPA will lead to the construction of a minigrid that comprises a 568-kWp/500-kW solar farm, a 2.7-MW wind farm and a 3.2-MWh/3.5-MW battery ...

