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## DRI acquires a 112MW battery storage project in Poland from Greenvolt



**The battery energy storage system (BESS) will be located in Koźienice, in the east-central part of the country.**

[DRI](#), the EU renewables arm of Ukrainian energy company [DTEK](#), announces the expansion of its activities in Poland with the acquisition of rights to build a battery energy storage system (BESS) in Koźienice, located in the east-central part of the country.

The 112MW/448MWh project, acquired from [Greenvolt Group](#) — a company within KKR's portfolio and, through Greenvolt Power, one of Europe's leading developers

of utility-scale wind, solar, and energy storage projects — is at the Ready-to-Build (RTB) stage, with all necessary administrative approvals, permits, and grid connection agreements in place for immediate construction.

In addition to making Poland's electricity grid more stable, the Kozienice project will progressively strengthen Ukraine's grid as the country's energy network is integrated into a single European system. That ambition is part of DTEK's broader drive to prioritise energy security for Ukraine and the rest of Europe.

**DRI CEO, [Murat Cinar](#)**, said: *“With the signing of this agreement, we are consolidating our position in the Polish energy market, and more broadly, in Europe's energy transition. By adding a second battery storage project to our portfolio, the acquisition of the Kozienice BESS will increase our total storage capacity available to the Polish grid to 245 MW. This technology will play a vital role in Europe's transition towards a renewables-based system, enhancing grid stability and reducing the risk of outages during periods of system stress. Battery Energy Storage Systems will be at the heart of the power grid of the future.”*

**CEO of the Greenvolt Group, João Manso Neto**, said: *“Greenvolt is one of the largest developers of energy storage in Europe, a technology that stands as a key pillar of the energy transition. This agreement fully aligns with our strategic objective to deliver high-impact projects that drive the ongoing transformation of the European energy landscape and attract strong market interest.”*

Alongside its two battery storage [projects in Poland](#), DRI is also advancing a further fifteen solar and onshore wind projects at various stages of development in Croatia, Italy and Romania. [projects in Poland](#)