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Ignacio Galán meets British Prime Minister in Brussels during EU–UK summit

- *The summit, attended by the President of the European Council and the President of the European Commission, focused on making progress in areas such as energy, security, and economic and trade relations*

Iberdrola Executive Chairman Ignacio Galán met British Prime Minister Andy Burnham in Brussels today at a meeting with business leaders organised by the British Government. Galán was the only Spanish senior executive to attend.

Also attending on behalf of the British Government were John Healey, Chancellor of the Exchequer; Jonathan Reynolds, Secretary of State for Business, Innovation, Science and Trade; and Louise Haigh, First Secretary of State.

The meeting took place during the second summit between the European Union and the United Kingdom, attended by António Costa, President of the European Council; Ursula von der Leyen, President of the European Commission; and Maroš Šefčovič, Commissioner for Trade and Economic Security; Interinstitutional Relations and Transparency. The summit provided an opportunity to take stock of progress since the first bilateral meeting, held in London in May 2025, and to discuss the next steps in the relationship between the two sides.

Topics discussed included cooperation on security and defence, energy and climate, economic and trade relations, and a range of international issues of common interest.

United Kingdom: Iberdrola's leading investment destination

The meeting between Galán and Burnham comes at a time of strong growth for Iberdrola in the United Kingdom, where the Group has been operating for more than two decades and has assets valued at over €44 billion. The company directly employs around 10,000 people and supports approximately 70,000 jobs through its supply chain.

The United Kingdom is also the main destination for Iberdrola's investment plan through to 2028. Of the €58 billion planned for the period, €20 billion will be invested in the country, with electricity networks as the main focus to support growing demand and the electrification of the economy.