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**Board Direction**  
**PL10 248622**

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The submissions on this file and the Inspector's report were considered at a Board meeting held on 1<sup>st</sup> November, 2017.

The Board treated this case under section 48 of the Planning and Development Act, 2000, as amended. The Board also decided that the planning authority be directed, as follows:

Remove condition 2

Reasons and Considerations, as follows.

Having regard to

- (a) The provisions of the Kilkenny County Development Contribution Scheme 2016-2017 and which includes an exemption for '*Masts and antennae and other apparatus for communication purposes that form part of the National Broadband Scheme or a subsequent endorsed initiative as defined by the Department of Communication, Energy and Natural Resources*'; and
- (b) The submission made in this appeal;

The Board considered based on the evidence submitted that the proposed development constitutes equipment for communications purposes that form part of the National Broadband Scheme or a subsequent endorsed initiative as defined by

the Department of Communication, Energy and Natural Resources, and that the terms of the Development Contribution Scheme have not been properly applied.

**Board Member**

**Date:** 03.11.2017

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