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Board Direction
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The submissions on this file and the Inspector's report were considered at a Board meeting held on 16/06/2021.

The Board decided to refuse permission, generally in accordance with the Inspector's recommendation, for the following reasons and considerations.

Reasons and Considerations

On the basis of the information provided with the planning application and appeal and in the Natura Impact Statement, the Board cannot be satisfied that the proposed development individually, or in combination with other plans or projects, would not adversely affect the integrity of the Boyne Coast and Estuary SAC (Site Code 001957), the Boyne Estuary SPA (Site Code 004080) and the River Nanny Estuary and Shore SPA (Site Code 004158), or any other European Site, in view of the sites' Conservation Objectives. In such circumstances the Board is precluded from granting permission.

Note:

The Board noted that the distance of the site from the Boyne Coast and Estuary SAC (Site Code 001957) was stated (in Section 3.3 of the Natura Impact Statement) as being 9.6 metres (not 'kilometres' as stated by the Inspector).

Board Member

Date: 16/06/2021

John Connolly

