

Board Direction BD-007124-20 ABP-308436-20

At a meeting held on 08/12/2020, the Board considered the report of the Inspector and the documents and submissions on file generally.

Having regard to the provisions of the Planning and Development Act 2000, as amended, and the nature of the proposed development which consists of a 110kV substation and associated "loop in" electricity grid infrastructure at Shantallow Solar Farm, County Galway, as set out in the plans and particulars received by An Bord Pleanála on the 15th day of October 2020, it is considered that the proposed development falls within the scope of section 182A of the Planning and Development Act 2000, as amended, and is therefore strategic infrastructure within the meaning of the Act and that a planning application should be made directly to the Board.

Board Member:		Date:	08/12/2020
	Dave Walsh		