

**An
Bord
Pleanála**

**Board Direction
BD-012005-23
ABP-312434-22**

The submissions on file and the inspector's report were considered at a Board Meeting held on 04/04/2023.

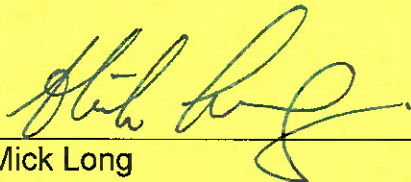
Having regard to the size, scale and location of the proposed windfarm and related development, the Board decided that the proposed development comprising the development of a 13-turbine windfarm with associated infrastructure (including a 110kV grid connection) and site works at Ballynaguilkee Upper, Broemountain, Corradoon, Dyrick, Lickoran, Lickoranmountain, Lisleagh, Lisleaghmountain, Lyrattin and Scartmountain. Co Waterford constitutes development that falls within the definition of energy infrastructure in the Seventh Schedule of the Planning and Development Act 2000, as amended, thereby satisfying the requirements set out in section 37A(1) of the Act.

The proposed development is also considered to be of strategic importance by reference to the requirements of section 37A(2)(a) and section 37A 2(b) of the Planning and Development Act 2000, as amended. An application for permission for the proposed development must therefore be made directly to An Bord Pleanála under section 37E of the Act.

The applicant shall be informed that the application documentation should be forwarded to the following prescribed bodies:

- Minister for Housing Local Government and Heritage
- Minister for the Environment, Climate Action and Communications.
- Waterford City and County Council.
- Tipperary Co. Council
- Irish Water
- Inland Fisheries Ireland
- Transport Infrastructure Ireland
- The Heritage Council
- An Taisce
- An Chomhairle Ealaíon
- Fáilte Ireland
- Irish Aviation Authority
- Health and Safety Authority

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Date: 04/04/2023