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Pleanála

Board Direction
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ABP-313780-22

At a meeting held on 11/10/2022, the Board considered the report of the Inspector and the documents and submissions on file generally, in respect of a proposed wind farm development comprising 15 wind turbines with an approximate generation capacity of between 65MW-75MW in the townlands of Glashare, Coolnacrutta, Ballylehaun, Gorteennamuck, Ballygowney, Ballyring Upper, Ballyring Lower and Tentore, Co. Kilkenny.

The Board decided that the proposed development would exceed the threshold of generation capacity set out in the Seventh Schedule of the Planning and Development Act 2000, as amended, thereby satisfying the requirements of Section 37A(1) of the Act. It can also be determined that the development is of strategic importance by reference to the requirements of Section 37A(2)(a) and Section 37A(2)(b) of the Act. An application for permission for the proposed development must, therefore, be made directly to An Bord Pleanála under Section 37E of the Act.

Board Member:

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Date: 12/10/2022

