Our Case Number: ABP-305271-19



Planning Section Clare County Council Aras Contae an Chláir New Road Ennis Co. Clare

Date: 11 May 2020

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Between Moneypoint 400kV substation, Co. Clare and Kilpaddoge 220kV station, Co. Kerry.

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