

Galway County Council Áras an Chontae Prospect Hill Galway Co. Galway

Date: 04 October 2021

Re: Refurbishment of a 220kV circuit between Cashla 220kV Station and Flagford 220kV Station. Between the townland of Barretspark, Co. Galway and Culleenatreen (or Flagford), Co. Roscommon.

Dear Sir / Madam,

I have been asked by An Bord Pleanála to refer to the above mentioned pre-application consultation request.

Please be advised that following consideration of the issues raised to the above consultation and having regard to the scale and nature of the proposed development An Bord Pleanála has decided that the proposed development does not come within the scope of section 182A of the Planning and Development Act, 2000, as amended. Accordingly any application for planning consent should be made to the local authority in accordance with the provisions of section 34 of the Planning and Development Act, 2000.

Enclosed for your information is a copy of the documentation submitted to the Board from the prospective applicant.

The attachment contains information in relation to challenges to the validity of a decision of An Bord Pleanála under the provisions of the Planning and Development Act, 2000, as amended.

If you have any queries in relation to the matter please contact the undersigned officer of the Board.

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Yours faithfully,

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