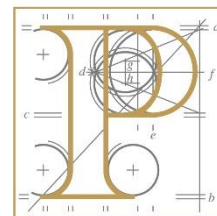


Our Case Number: ABP-311778-21

Your Reference: Crag Wicklow Limited



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John Spain Associates
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Date: 28 June 2022

Re: Provision of a 110kV GIS substation and associated development on a site to the north of the existing Kish Business Park, Arklow, Co. Wicklow
Arklow, Co. Wicklow

Dear Sir / Madam,

Please be advised that following consultations under section 182E of the Planning and Development Act, 2000, as amended, the Board hereby serves notice that it is of the opinion that the proposed development falls within the scope of section 182A of the Planning and Development Act, 2000 as amended.

Accordingly, the Board has decided that the proposed development would be strategic infrastructure within the meaning of section 182A of the Planning and Development Act, 2000, as amended. Any application for approval for the proposed development must therefore be made directly to An Bord Pleanála under section 182A(1) of the Act.

The Board considers that the pre-application consultation process in respect of this proposed development is now closed. Attached is a list of prescribed bodies to be notified of the application for the proposed development.

The Board will make available for inspection and purchase at its offices the documents relating to the decision within 3 working days following its decision in accordance with section 146(5) of the Act. This information is normally made available on the list of decided cases on the website on the Wednesday following the week in which the decision is made.

In accordance with the fees payable to the Board and where not more than one pre-application meeting is held in the determination of the case, a refund of €3,500 is payable to the person who submitted the pre-application fee. As only one meeting was required in this case, a refund of €3,500 will be sent to you in due course.

Also, attached is 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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Please quote the above mentioned An Bord Pleanála reference number in any correspondence or telephone contact with the Board.

Yours faithfully,

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The following is a schedule of prescribed bodies considered relevant in this instance for the purpose of Section 182A(4)(b) of the Act.

- Minister for Housing, Local Government and Heritage
- Minister for Environment, Climate and Communications
- Wicklow County Council
- Irish Water
- Irish Rail
- Transport Infrastructure Ireland
- Failte Ireland
- An Taisce
- Heritage Council
- Commission of Regulation of Utilities, Water and Energy
- Health Service Executive
- Irish Aviation Authority
- Health & Safety Authority

Further notifications should be made where deemed appropriate.