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Sent: Wednesday 10 May 2023 10:18
To: Niamh Thornton
Cc: John Willoughby; Karen Mulryan; William O'Connor; Niall Galvin
Subject: ABP-315851-23: Clarification and additional map
Attachments: 220310 - ABP clarification letter F2 - 23.05.10.pdf

Hi Niamh,

I refer to the pre-application consultation meeting for Borrisbeg Wind Farm (Ref: ABP-315851-23). In the meeting, the Board's representatives sought clarification of the wind farm's total MW output. They also requested for an additional map to be submitted to An Bord Pleanála. Please see attached a letter of clarification with the additional map enclosed.

I trust this sufficiently responds to the Board's request, however if you require anything further, please do not hesitate to get in touch.

Kind Regards,
Ronan.

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Our Ref: 220310
Your Ref: 315851-23

10th May 2023

Re: ABP-315851-23: Strategic Infrastructure Development Pre-application Consultation Clarification Request Response – Proposed Renewable Energy Development at Borrisbeg and Adjacent Townlands, Co. Tipperary.

Dear Niamh,

I refer to the SID consultation meeting for the proposed Renewable Energy Development at Borrisbeg and adjacent Townlands, Co. Tipperary that took place on the 21st of April 2023. At the meeting, the Board's representatives requested clarification on the proposed development's MW output. The request is also included in the meeting record, received by MKO on the 26th of April 2023. The applicant agreed to submit further information clarifying the Maximum Export Capacity of the proposed wind farm development.

Following our meeting, we wish to clarify that the minimum MW output of the turbines is in the upper end of the 5MW range (>5.6MW) and it can be confirmed that the 9 no. wind turbines will have a generating capacity of above 50MW. It remains the view of the applicant that the proposed development constitutes Strategic Infrastructure Development (SID), as set out in the Planning and Development Act 2000, as amended.

The Board also requested a larger scale drawing of the draft turbine layout. Please find this map appended to this letter.

We trust that this letter sufficiently addresses the Board's representatives' requests.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'John Willoughby'.

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ENCL – Figure: Draft Design Layout Plan (Scale: 1:15,000 at A3)





Map Legend

- EIAR Boundary
- Proposed Turbine Locations
- Proposed Hardstands
- Proposed Compound Locations
- Proposed Haul Route
- ▲ Proposed Met Mast Location
- Proposed New Roads
- Existing Roads
- Proposed Substation Location (one to be selected)
- - - Proposed Grid Route



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Proposed Borrishbeg Renewable Energy Development

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