

Board Order ABP-303877-19

Local Government (No. 2) Act, 1960

Housing Act, 1966

Planning and Development Acts, 2000 to 2019

Applicant: Irish Water

Application received by An Bord Pleanála on the 5th day of March 2019 from Irish Water pursuant to section 76 of, and the Third Schedule to, the Housing Act, 1966 as extended by section 10 of the Local Government (No. 2) Act, 1960 (as substituted by section 86 of the Housing Act, 1966) and the Planning and Development Acts, 2000 to 2019, for confirmation of a Compulsory Purchase Order authorising compulsory acquisition of lands and entitled **Irish Water Compulsory Purchase** (Whitegate/Aghada Sewerage Scheme) Order, 2019.

DECISION

CONFIRM the above Compulsory Purchase Order based on the reasons and considerations set out below.

REASONS AND CONSIDERATIONS

Having considered the objections made to the compulsory purchase order and the report of the person who conducted the oral hearing into the objections, and having regard to the provisions of the Water Framework Directive (2000/60/EC), the Urban Wastewater Treatment Directive (91/271/EEC), the current Cork County Council Development Plan 2014-2020, and the East Cork District Local Area Plan, it is considered that the acquisition of lands, wayleaves, rights of way and temporary working areas by Irish Water is necessary for the purposes stated in the order and the objections cannot be sustained having regard to the said necessity.

Stephen Bohan

Member of An Bord Pleanála duly authorised to authenticate the seal of the Board.

Dated this day of 2019