

## Board Order ABP-314215-22

Planning and Development Acts 2000 to 2021

Planning Authority: Westmeath County Council

Application for an Extension of Time to Apply for Substitute Consent by Klassmann-Deilmann care of Tobin Consulting Engineers of Fairgreen House, Fairgreen Road, Galway pursuant to the determination by An Bord Pleanála on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2022, granting the owner/operator leave to apply to An Bord Pleanála for substitute consent.

**Development:** Peat Harvesting at Ballygarvey Bog, townlands of Ballygarvey, Carrigagh, Curristeen and Bardenstown, County Westmeath.

## Decision

Grant an extension of the period for the making of an application for substitute consent under section 177E (4) of the Planning and Development Act, 2000, as inserted by section 57 of the Planning and Development (Amendment) Act 2010, for a further period from the end of the original 12 week period that commenced on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2022, based on the reasons and considerations set out below.

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## **Reasons and Considerations**

Taking account of the ongoing legal challenge to the Board's previous decision, case register reference ABP-307745-20, and the uncertainty regarding the timeline for the outcome of the judicial review process, the Board decided to grant an extension of 12 months from the date of this Order to the timeframe within which the applicant has to lodge their application for substitute consent.

Dave Walsh

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

Dated this 16<sup>#</sup> day of August 2022.