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## Memorandum ABP-312131-21

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**To:** Muiriosa Cassells, SAO  
Mr Stephan Bohan, Board.

**From:** Niamh Thornton, SEO

**Re:** Greater Dublin Drainage Project consisting of a new wastewater treatment plant, sludge hub centre, orbital sewer, outfall pipeline and regional biosolids storage facility. Townlands of Clonshagh, Dubber and Newtown, County Fingal and Dublin City

**Date:** 31st January, 2024

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I refer to the Board Direction on the above referenced remitted case, dated 22<sup>nd</sup> August 2022.

The Board Direction invited the submission of further information from the applicant, pursuant to section 37F(1)(a) of the Planning and Development Act 2000, as amended.

Further Information was received on 26<sup>th</sup> October 2023 and 22<sup>nd</sup> November 2023 which includes an updated Planning Report, EIAR addendum and updated NIS.

The Board Direction also states that any further information received should be circulated to all parties for comments, once received.

The Board Direction does not include the Board's obligations pursuant to section 37F(2) of the Act.

It is advised that, prior to circulating the further information to parties for comments, the Board make a determination as to whether the Further Information received contains significant additional information on the effect of the proposed development on the environment to that already submitted, as per section 37F(2) requirements.

If it is deemed that the further information received is significant the Board must ask the applicant to fulfil the requirements of Section 37F(2)(a), (b) and (c), by publishing notice of the submission of significant further information and inviting submissions from the public.

If new notices are required the public and current parties to the case will be invited to make comments.

If new notices are not required, the additional information can then be circulated to parties for comments.

**Ms Thornton,**

**Noted.**

**File to be forwarded to the Board for a Board Direction to consider whether it is of the opinion that the additional information received contains significant additional information on the effect of the proposed development on the environment to that already submitted by requesting the applicant to publish a public notice having regard to Section 37F(2) of the Planning and Development Act 2000, as amended.**

**I note the further information received on the 26<sup>th</sup> October and 22<sup>nd</sup> November 2023 is to be circulated as per Board's Direction dated 22<sup>nd</sup> August, 2022.**

***Muiríosa Cassells***  
***Senior Administrative Officer***  
***1/2/2024***