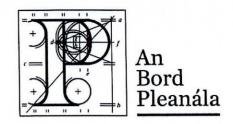
Our Case Number: ABP-316119-23



Trevor Woods Apt. 66, Block C Seven Oaks Sarsfield Road Ballyfermot Dublin 10 D10 FX90

Date: 10 May 2023

Re: DART+ South West Electrified Heavy Railway Order - Hazelhatch & Celbridge Station to Heuston

Station, and Hesuton Station to Glasnevin

County Dublin and County Kildare

Dear Sir / Madam,

An Bord Pleanála has received your recent submission in relation to the above mentioned proposed railway order and will take it into consideration in its determination of the matter.

The Board will revert to you in due course with regard to the matter.

Please be advised that copies of all submissions / observations received in relation to the application will be made available for public inspection at the offices of An Bord Pleanála when they have been processed by the Board.

More detailed information in relation to strategic infrastructure development can be viewed on the Board's website: www.pleanala.ie.

If you have any queries in the meantime please contact the undersigned officer of the Board. Please quote the above mentioned An Bord Pleanála reference number in any correspondence or telephone contact with the Board.

Yours faithfully,

Eimear Reilly Executive Officer

Direct Line: 01-8737184

**RA05** 

**Fmail** 

## **Eimear Reilly**

From:

**Eimear Reilly** 

Sent:

Tuesday 9 May 2023 15:05

To:

WOODST@tcd.ie

Subject:

RE: Proposed DART line and Bridge works Sevenoaks

## Good afternoon Trevor

The Board acknowledges receipt of your email. A formal acknowledgment of receipt of your submission will issue in due course.

Kind regards

Eimear

From: Trevor Woods < WOODST@tcd.ie > Sent: Thursday, May 4, 2023 12:06 PM

To: SIDS < sids@pleanala.ie >

Subject: Proposed DART line and Bridge works Sevenoaks

## Afternoon,

As a resident of Sevenoaks Sarsfield Road Inchicore I have received an Environmental Impact Assessment Report

from Irish Rail and wish to lodge my concerns and requests before construction as my property is directly affected

by the proposed works particularly in regard to the Kyber Pass staff bridge and increased noise levels.

If you can please see my concerns on attached .pdf document and bring to the engineers assessments. If you cannot

open the attached document please let me know and I will email it in a separate email.

Kind Regards,

Trevor Woods BEng, MSc| Senior Technical Officer | The School of Pharmacy & Pharmaceutical Sciences Panoz Institute | University of Dublin | Trinity College | Dublin 2 | Ireland

Tel: +353 1 896 2833 Email: woodst@tcd.ie http://pharmacy.tcd.ie/ Please find attached my concerns as a resident of Number 66 Sevenoaks Sarsfield Road Inchicore Dublin 8 with reference to proposed land plots on DSW.18832.P.302(A) and DSW.18832.P.302(B).

My property looks directly onto the proposed new staff bridge, compulsory land purchase order and temporary purchase/rental order as shown in the photos below on the ground level.



View from living room No.66 Sevenoaks



View onto bridge to be changed from sun decking/garden area No.66 Sevenoaks

## Main points of concern:

night?

- 1. Noise levels through proposed bridge/DART line construction at night-time being right beside my apartment would mean not possible to sleep at night before work. I believe this work is ongoing for c.a. two years. This is completely different conditions to our current living standards and original purchase agreement with regards to noise levels at night-time. I request 3 new windows and change of above doors to triple glazing to ensure can sleep at
- 2. Increased DART frequency would increase the frequency of regular noise levels during the day/evening compared to current levels of noise. This means another reason for change of windows/doors to triple glazing also be requested to maintain ambient sound levels indoors as per original purchase conditions of apartment?
- 3. Trees are hoped to grow more and remain in shown photographs for many years to come.
  Will they be protected through construction and after bridge constructed? Tree or Biodiversity survey in place beforehand?
- 4. Current light levels into apartment are fine with current bridge setup during day and night but would hope new bridge construction will not change the light levels into or the view from the apartment be changed? Can this be ensured?
- 5. What are the proposed compensation figures for us residents/owners in Sevenoaks complex for the compulsory and temporary land purchase orders?

Kind Regards,

**Trevor Woods** 

Number 66 Sevenoaks

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