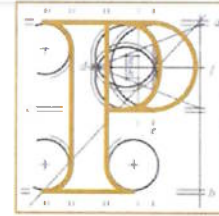


Our Case Number: ABP-316178-23

Your Reference: Bord na Mona Energy Ltd



An
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Pleanála

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Date: 09 October 2024

Re: Proposed development of Oweninny Windfarm Phase 3 consisting of 18 no. wind turbines.
Within the townlands of Laghtanvack, Croaghaun (also known as Croaghaun West), Moneynieran, Corvoderry, Shanvolahan, Dooleg More, Shranakilly, Bellacorrick and Shanvodinnaun, Co. Mayo.

Dear Sir / Madam,

I have been asked by An Bord Pleanála to refer further to the above-mentioned proposed development which is before the Board for consideration.

The Board notes the following having reviewed the application documentation:

- The shadow flicker is assessed in Chapter 14 of the EIAR. Receptors are stated to be detailed in Figure 10.1, however there are no Figures in this chapter (Figure 10.1 relates to a site location map in the hydrogeology chapter).
- In Chapter 14 it states that a total of 78 number sensitive receptors were identified and are presented in Table 14.1. Each receptor identified has been assigned an ID number for reference i.e. 1 to 78. It further states that the co-ordinates (ITM) of each of the receptors have been compiled and their locations added to the WindPRO model and that the co-ordinates of each of the receptors are listed in Chapter 6 (Population and Human Health) and are not replicated in Chapter 14.
- In Chapter 6, Figure 6.2 includes a map of sensitive receptors. These are not labelled but are a series of dots. Table 6.3 presents a summary of identified receptors i.e. total number Of SR of commercial, residential, both and unknown. No coordinates are provided, nor are they labelled in any map in the planning documentation.
- By way of comparison, it is noted by the Board that the Noise Sensitive Receptors are identified as R1-R80 and the ITM coordinates of these are provided in Appendix 13.1.

In this context the Board wish to seek clarification in relation to the above.

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Please be advised that the Board, in accordance with section 37F(1)(a) of the Planning and Development Act 2000, as amended, hereby requires you to furnish the following further information in relation to the proposed development:

1.The ITM and Eircode of each of the 78 number shadow flicker receptors with an annotated map indicating each of the receptors.

The further information referred to above should be received by the Board within **3 weeks** from the date of this notice (**i.e. no later than 5.30 p.m. on the 30th October 2024**)
In this regard, please submit 3 hard copies and one electronic copy of the above information.

Please note that following its examination of any information lodged in response to this request for additional information, the Board will then decide whether or not to invoke its powers under section 37(F)(2) of the Planning and Development Act 2000, as amended, requiring you to publish notice of the furnishing of any additional information and to allow for inspection or purchase of same and the making of further written submissions in relation to same to the Board.

If you have any queries in relation to the matter 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,



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