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## **Anthony McNally**

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Your Ref: ABP-317936-23, Planning Authority Ref: SD22A/0156

Notification of planning application: 10 year permission for modifications to permitted data centre granted under planning ref: SD21A/0186 consisting of reconfiguration and alterations to data centre building on a site bounded to the east and south by Grange Castle Golf Club, to the North by Nangor Road (R134) and to the west by an estate known as Falcon Avenue.

Plot 100, Profile Park, Nangor Road, Clondalkin, Dublin 22.

Dear Sir/Madam,

I refer to your correspondence received on 17<sup>th</sup> January 2024 requesting comments from the Agency on the planning appeal and Environmental Impact Assessment Report (EIAR) for the above referenced development. In accordance with Section 87(1F) of the EPA Act 1992 as amended (hereafter referred to as the EPA Act), the Agency makes the below observations.

The development proposed may require an Industrial Emissions licence under Class 2.1 of the EPA Act 'Combustion of fuels in installations with a total rated thermal input of 50 MW or more'. The Agency has not received a licence application relating to the development described above. It is noted that the planning application was accompanied by an EIAR. Emissions to air from the generators on site could potentially impact air quality, in particular from nitrogen oxides. The EIAR should address these potential impacts, in particular the potential for cumulative impacts due to any other emission sources in the vicinity, such as combustion plant, traffic etc.

Should the Agency receive a licence application for the development, the applicant will be required to submit the associated EIAR to the Agency as part of the licence application. The EIAR will be considered and assessed by the Agency and the Agency shall ensure that before the licence is granted, the licence application will be made subject to an Environmental Impact Assessment as respects the matters that come within the functions of the Agency and in accordance with Section 83(2A) and Section 87(1G)(a) of the EPA Act. In addition, consultation on the licence application and EIAR will be carried out in accordance with Section 87 (1B) to (1H) of the EPA Act as appropriate. All observations from the planning authority will be taken into account as part of the Agency's assessment and before making a decision in relation to the licence application. Please also note that you will be requested to provide the documentation relating to the EIA

you have carried out to the Agency under Section 173A(4) of the Planning and Development Act 2000 as amended.

Should a licence application be received by the Agency all matters to do with emissions to the environment from the activities proposed, the licence application documentation and EIAR will be considered and assessed by the Agency.

Where the Agency is of the opinion that the activities, as proposed, cannot be carried on, or cannot be effectively regulated under a licence then the Agency cannot grant a licence for such an activity. Should the Agency decide to grant a licence in respect of the activity, as proposed, it will incorporate conditions that will ensure that appropriate National and EU standards are applied, and that Best Available Techniques (BAT) will be used in the carrying on of the activities.

Finally, please note that in accordance with Section 87(1D)(d) of the EPA Act, the Agency cannot issue a Proposed Determination on a licence application which addresses the development above until a planning decision has been made.

For all further queries and correspondence relating to planning matters, please contact eiaplanning@epa.ie.

Yours faithfully,

**Environmental Licencing Programme** Office of Environmental Sustainability An Clár um Cheadúnú Comhshaoil Oifig um Inbhuanaitheacht Chomhshaoil



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An Bord Pleanála

~Environmental Protection Agency **Environmental Licensing Programme** PO Box 3000 Johnstown Castle Estate Co. Wexford Y35 W821



Environmental Protection Agency

Date: 15th January, 2024.

Re: 10 year permission for modifications to permitted data centre granted under planning register reference number SD21A/0186 consisting of reconfiguration and alterations to data centre building, on a site bounded to the east and south by Grange Castle Golf Club, to the north by Nangor Road (R134) and to the west by an estate road known as Falcon Avenue. The application is accompanied by a Natura Impact Statement.

Plot 100, Profile Park, Nangor Road, Clondalkin, Dublin 22

Dear Sir / Madam,

I refer to the above-mentioned proposed development which is the subject of a current planning appeal submitted to An Bord Pleanála.

The planning application, along with other documents relating to the planning authority decision and copies of the appeal made to the Board are available for inspection at the offices of the planning authority in accordance with section 38 of the Planning and Development Act, 2000 and Article 68 of the Planning and Development Regulations, 2001 by contacting their website at www.sdcc.ie. A copy of the environmental impact assessment report and natura impact statement is also available on their website.

In accordance with section 87 of the Environmental Protection Agency Act 1992, as inserted by Article 5 (1F) of the European Union (Environmental Impact Assessment Report) (Integrated Pollution Prevention and Control) Regulations 2012 you are requested to:

- (i) Confirm to An Bord Pleanála that the proposed development the subject of the application for permission is development comprising or for the purposes of an activity requiring a licence or a review of a licence on the application, under section 83 or under section 90(1)(b) of the Act.
- (ii) If a licence or a review of a licence is required, you are also requested to submit to An Bord Pleanála observations you may have on the application for permission including the environmental impact assessment report.

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Accordingly, any observations or response in relation to the proposed development should be received by An Bord Pleanála not later than **4 weeks** from the date of this request i.e. not later than **5.30** p.m. on the **12**<sup>th</sup> **February, 2024**.

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,

Mary Tucker Executive Officer

Direct Line: 01-8737132

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