Our Case Number: ACP-322843-25

An Coimisiún Pleanála

Transport Infrastructure Ireland
Land Use Planning
Parkgate Business Centre
Parkgate Street
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Date: 07 July 2025

Re: Proposed development of a 110kV substation and associated works
in the townlands of Ballynamullagh, Kilmurry, Coolree, Killyon and Drehid, County Kildare
(www.drehidsubstationSID.ie)

Dear Sir / Madam,

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

The Commission will revert to you in due course in respect of this 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 the local authority and at the offices of An Coimisiún Pleanála when they have been processed by the Commission.

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

If you have any queries in the meantime, please contact the undersigned officer of the Commission or email sids@pleanala.ie quoting the above mentioned An Coimisiún Pleanála reference number in any correspondence with the Commission.

Yours faithfully,

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Dear Sir/Madam,

Please find attached a copy of TII's observation on the above application.

Please acknowledge receipt of this submission.

Acknowledgements can be forwarded to landuseplanning@tii.ie.

Regards,

Cliona Ryan
Land Use Planner

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27 June 2025	**TII25-131950**	**VA09.322843**

RE.: Proposed development of a 110kV substation and associated works in the townlands of Ballynamullagh, Kilmurry, Coolree, Killyon and Drehid, Co. Kildare

Applicant: North Kildare Wind Farm Limited

Dear Sir /Madam,

Transport Infrastructure Ireland (TII) acknowledges receipt of referral of the above application concurrent with an associated application for the proposed development of 11 wind turbines and ancillary development, An Coimisiún Pleanála case ref. PA09.322845 on behalf of the same applicant. The application states that the grid connection will loop-in connection to the existing overhead lines.

In the case of this development application, Transport Infrastructure Ireland requests that An Coimisiún Pleanála has regard to the provisions of Chapter 3 of the DoECLG *Spatial Planning and National Roads Guidelines* in the assessment and determination of the subject planning application.

TII observes that the proposed windfarm development and associated grid connection are together the "*project*" described in the submitted shared EIAR. In this regard, TII has noted the proposed Turbine Delivery route (TDR) includes the M4 and Junction 9 (Enfield).

TIII advises it has made concurrent submission to the proposed development of 11 wind turbines and ancillary development, An Coimisiún Pleanála case ref. PA09.322845 in respect of the necessary mitigations to protect the maintenance of the safe and efficient operation of the national road network arsing as a result of proposed TDR routing and associated works that will impact the M4.

Please acknowledge receipt of this submission.

Yours faithfully,

on behalf of
Land Use Planning Unit

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