Garrouse Bruree Co Limerick

17th October 2025

The Secretary
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Development Description: Garrane Wind Farm in the town lands of Garrane, Ballynagoul and Creggane, Co Limerick

Dear Sir/Madam

I am writing to formally express my strong objection to the proposed wind farm development in Garrane, Ballynagoul and Creggane Co Limerick which is currently in consideration by An Coimisiun Pleanala. I live just over 1km from the proposed site and I am very concerned about the potential impact this development would have on my family life.

I love where I live and we chose to live here to rear our family in a peaceful rural and serene area. We have invested a significant amount of money and time over the years in renovating our home – most significantly 5 years ago the addition of an extra bedroom with a wet room with the help of the council. This extension has been a game changer in the life of our 31-year-old son Stephen.

Stephen has additional needs which can make life challenging at times. He has learning difficulties, autistic tendencies and speech delay. He attends St Joseph's Foundation in Charleville as a day service user. Stephen's safe space in his home. This is where he can truly relax and be himself.

My concern is that any white noise or light effect (flickering) would negatively impact his quality of life. His hearing is super sensitive and we have, for example, had to remove the ultrasonic pest repellent plugs from the house as, although we cannot hear a thing from them, he certainly can and it deeply upsets him. Also, any lights flickering in a background is unbearable for him. My concern is the proposed wind turbines could potentially cause daily disturbances for him which would make his life hell.

I would appreciate if you would consider the major negative impact this would have on our home, our family and, in particular, my beautiful son, who I feel is entitled to peace and stability on a daily basis in his safe space as life is difficult enough for him.

17/10/25.

Yours faithfully

Siobhan & Mike Sexton