

## **Shancloon Wind Farm – Case Reference PAX07.323699**

My name is Christy Boyle, and I live in Ballinagittagh, Kilconly, Co. Galway (H54 NY62). I've lived here for over 50 years. I'm a farmer and a painter, and this land is not just where I live, it's where I've built my life. I love the peace and quiet, the clean air, the privacy, and the good neighbours we have. I enjoy my time out in the fields, caring for my livestock in the quiet countryside. The proposed Shancloon Wind Farm threatens everything we hold dear. I am deeply worried about the health impacts, the noise, vibration, and even radiation from these massive turbines.

My wife suffers from osteoporosis and relies on daily injections to manage her condition. She also suffers from severe migraines, which frequently make her ill and confine her to home. We fear that the constant turbine noise and infrasound will make her condition much worse. I fear what this development could do to her health and to mine.

I also worry about my livestock, who will also be affected. The removal of peat from the bogs will worsen flooding, damage our land, and destroy the views we've enjoyed for generations. No one from RWE has spoken to me, despite the scale of these massive turbines, how close they are to our home and the devastating impacts they will have on our lives. The developers have shown no respect for the people who live here, it feels like we don't matter to them.

This is a reckless idea. We will lose our way of life, our peace, and our health. I ask An Coimisiún Pleanála to refuse permission and protect us from the irreversible damage this development will cause.

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