

Mr Richard Holohan, Knocktopher, County Kilkenny, R95 P084

16th of September 2025

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Uisce Éireann Compulsory Purchase (Ballyhate\_Knocktopher Wastewater Pumping Station) Order, 2025.

Dear Mr Holohan,

I refer to the above and send you by way of service copies of the following -

- 1. Form of Notice in relation to the making of the Compulsory Acquisition Order;
- 2. Drawing(s) outlining the affected land plot(s) concerning you;
- 3. Copy of Uisce Éireann Compulsory Purchase (Ballyhale\_Knocktopher Wastewater Pumping Station name) Order, 2025.

Should you have any queries in relation to the enclosed documentation or require a copy of the CPO drawings on display at the stated locations within the attached 'Compulsory Purchase Order', please

Land & Wayleaves Team at wayleave@water.ie or by post to Land and Wayleave, Colvill House, 24-26 Talbot Street, Dublin 1.

Yours sincerely,

Land & Wayleave Team

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## FORM OF COMPULSORY PURCHASE ORDER UNDER

The Water Services Acts, 2007 to 2013 (and, in particular, Section 7 of the Water Services (No. 2) Act, 2013 and Parts 2 and Sections 31 & 32 and Part 7 and Section 93 of the Water Services Act, 2007, as amended)

The Planning and Development Acts, 2000 to 2014 (and, in particular Part XIV and Sections 213 and 217 of the Planning and Development Act, 2000)

Section 184(2) of the Local Government Act, 2001,

Section 10 of the Local Government (No. 2) Act, 1960 (as substituted by Section 86 of the Housing Act, 1966 and as amended by Section 6 and the Second Schedule of the Roads Act, 1993 and by Section 222 of the Planning and Development Act, 2000)

The Housing Act, 1966 (and in particular Part V, Sections 76 and 78 and the Third Schedule)

The Lands Clauses Acts
The Acquisition of Land (Assessment of Compensation) Act, 1919

# AS RESPECTS ALL OR PART OF THE LAND TO WHICH THIS COMPULSORY PURCHASE ORDER RELATES COMPULSORY ACQUISITION OF LAND

Uisce Éireann Compulsory Purchase (Ballyhale\_Knocktopher Wastewater Pumping Station) Order, 2025

To: Richard Holohan

Of Knocktopher Village, Knocktopher, County Kilkenny, R95 P084

- 1. WHEREAS UISCE ÉIREANN (hereinafter referred to as "the Company") a Water Services Authority for the purposes of the Water Services Act, 2007, proposes for the purposes of the Water Services Acts, 2007 to 2013 and in exercise of its powers under Sections 32 and 93 of the Water Services Act, 2007 to acquire compulsorily the lands and rights over land hereinafter described and has made an Order entitled as above which is about to be submitted to An Coimisiún Pleanála (hereinafter "the Coimisiún") for confirmation.
- 2. If confirmed, the Order will authorise the Company to compulsorily acquire for the purposes of the Water Services Acts, 2007 to 2013 and of the Ballyhale\_Knocktopher Wastewater Pumping Station:
  - (a) Permanently, the lands described in Part 1 of the Schedule hereto which lands are shown **shaded grey** on the drawing marked "Uisce Éireann Compulsory Purchase (Ballyhale\_Knocktopher Wastewater Pumping Station) Order, 2025" and numbered UE/10058737/CPO/001, which lands are situated in the County of Kilkenny;
  - (b) Permanently, the wayleave described in Sub-Part A of Part 2 of the Schedule hereto, over the lands described in Sub-Part B of Part 2 of the Schedule hereto - which wayleave is shown coloured yellow on the drawing marked "Uisce Éireann Compulsory Purchase

(Ballyhale\_Knocktopher Wastewater Pumping Station) Order, 2025", and numbered UE/10058737/CPO/001, which lands are situated in the County of Kilkenny;

- (c) Temporarily the rights described in Sub-Part A of Part 4 of the Schedule hereto over the lands described in Sub-Part B of Part 4 of the Schedule hereto for the purpose of carrying out the construction, works, services, structures as defined in the Water Services Act, 2007, facilities and other things as are necessary or expedient in relation to or are ancillary thereto or form part of such construction on the lands described in paragraph (a) & (b) above, which lands are shown coloured green on the drawing marked "Uisce Éireann Compulsory Purchase (Ballyhale\_Knocktopher Wastewater Pumping Station) Order, 2025", and numbered UE/10058737/CPO/001, which lands are situated in the County of Kilkenny;
- 3. A copy of the Order and of the drawings referred to in it may be seen at the following locations:
  - (a) Uisce Éireann, Colvill House, 24-26, Talbot Street, Dublin 1 between 09:00-17:00hrs Monday to Friday.
  - (b) Thomastown Library, Marsh's Street, Thomastown, Co. Kilkenny between 10:00-13:00hrs and 14:00-17:00hrs Tuesday to Friday and 10:00-13:30hrs Saturday.
- 4. The Housing Act, 1966, as amended, provides that if an objection is made with respect to the proposed compulsory acquisition of land, the land in respect of which an objection is duly made by any of the persons upon whom notices of the making of the Order are required to be served, shall not be acquired compulsorily unless the Coimisiún makes an order to confirm the Compulsory Purchase Order, unless: -
  - (a) the objection is withdrawn, or
  - (b) The Coimisiún is satisfied that the objection relates exclusively to matters which can be dealt with by the Arbitrator by whom the compensation may have to be assessed.

Prior to a decision on confirmation or otherwise of a Compulsory Purchase Order, the Coimisiún may at its absolute discretion, hold an oral hearing in relation to the matter.

- 5. Any objection to the Order must state in writing the grounds of objection and be sent addressed to An Coimisiún Pleanála at 64 Marlborough Street, Dublin 1 so as to reach the said Coimisiún on or before the 17th day of Colors 2025.
- The Coimisiún, if it thinks fit, may in one or more stages annul the Compulsory Purchase Order or confirm the Order, with or without modification.
- 7. If no objection is received to the proposed compulsory acquisition of land or right over land, the objection is withdrawn or the Coimisiún is satisfied that the objection relates exclusively to matters which can be dealt with by the Arbitrator by whom the compensation may have to be assessed, the Coimisiún shall inform the Company, which may then confirm the Order with or without modification, or refuse to so confirm it.

- 8. If the land or right over land to which the Order, as confirmed by either the Coimisiún or the Company, relates is acquired by the Company, compensation for the land will be assessed in respect of the acquisition as the value of the land at the date that the relevant Notice to Treat is served.
- 9. In the opinion of the Company, no part of the land in which you have an interest consists of a house or houses which is/are unfit for human habitation and not capable of being rendered fit for human habitation at reasonable expense. If the land or right over land to which the Order relates is acquired by the Company, compensation will be assessed in accordance with Part 11 of the Fourth Schedule to the Housing Act, 1966, and the provisions of the Acquisition of Land (Assessment of Compensation) Act, 1919 as amended by the Acquisition of Land (Reference Committee) Act, 1925, the Property Values (Arbitrations and Appeals) Act, 1960, and the Local Government (Planning and Development) Act, 1963 (as applied by section 265 (3) of the Planning and Development Act, 2000), subject to the modifications contained in the Third Schedule to the Housing Act, 1966.
- 10. Any dispute in relation to compensation shall be referred to and determined by a Property Arbitrator appointed under the Property Values (Arbitrations and appeals) Act, 1960.
- 11. A claimant for compensation may at any time after the expiration of fourteen days from the date on which the relevant Notice to Treat is served, send to the Secretary, the Land Values Reference Committee, C/o High Court, Four Courts, Dublin 7 an application in writing for the nomination of a property arbitrator for the purpose of determining the compensation to be paid. The application should be made in accordance with the Property Values (Arbitrations and Appeals) Rules, 1961 (S.I. No. 91 of 1961).

#### **SCHEDULE**

## PART 1 - LAND ACQUISITION

Land other than land consisting of a house or houses unfit for human habitation and not capable of being rendered fit for human habitation at reasonable expense

Plot Number shaded grey on the	DRAWING No.	Quantity	, Situation and t the Land	Description of	Owners or Reputed	Lessees	Occupiers
drawings deposited at		Area in Hectares	Location	Description of Property	Owners	Reputed Lessees	
Uisce Éireann Colvill House 24-26 Talbot Street							
Dublin 1							
And							
Thomastown Library Marsh's Street Thomastown Co. Kilkenny							
001	UE/10058737/CPO/001	0.0605	Knocktopher Abbey	Mixed broadleaved / conifer woodland (WD2) & Artificial Surfaces (BL3)	Mr Richard Holohan Knocktopher Village, Knocktopher, County Kilkenny R95 P084	Unknown	Unknown
					Mr William Holohan 32 White's Castle, Knocktopher, County Kilkenny, R95 AW9P		
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## PART 2 - PERMANENT WAYLEAVE

Sub-Part A - Description of Wayleave

The right for the Company, its successors in title, assigns, tenants, servants or agents, contractors or other licensees:

- (i) to construct, lay, keep, operate, maintain, renew, repair and inspect waste water works as defined in the Water Services Act, 2007 and all associated pipelines and all other associated physical elements used for collection, storage or treatment of waste water and such other works, services, facilities and other things as are necessary or expedient in relation thereto or are ancillary thereto or form part of such waste water works, in, on or under the land specified in Sub-Part 8 below, together with the right,
- (ii) to enter with all necessary vehicles, plant and machinery upon the said land at all times for any of the said purposes.

<u>Sub-Part B – Description of Land</u>

Plot Number	DRAWING No.	Quantity	, Situation and I	Description of	Owners or	Lessees	Occupiers
coloured yellow on the drawings			the Land		Reputed	or	
deposited at		Area in	Location	Description	Owners	Reputed	
Uisce Éireann Colvill House 24-26 Talbot Street Dublin 1		Hectares		of Property		Lessees	
And							
Thomastown Library Marsh's Street Thomastown Co. Kilkenny							
002	UE/10058737/CPO/001	0.0042	Knocktopher Abbey	Mixed broadleaved / conifer woodland (WD2) & Artificial Surfaces (BL3)	Mr Richard Holohan Knocktopher Village, Knocktopher, County Kilkenny R95 P084  Mr William Holohan 32 White's Castle, Knocktopher, County Kilkenny, R95 AW9P  Mr Frank	Unknown	Unknown
					Holohan 2 Rosehill, Old Blackrock Road, Cork City, T12 V8ND		

## PART 3 - PERMANENT RIGHT OF WAY NOT APPLICABLE

#### PART 4 - TEMPORARY WORKING AREA

## Sub-Part A - Description of Rights

The temporary right for the Company, assigns, tenants, licensees, servants or agents, contractors and workmen in common with all others who have the like right to use the land specified in Sub-Part B below to enter with all necessary vehicles, plant and machinery upon the said lands and to use the land to pass and re-pass over same for the purpose of ingress and egress to and from the public road at all times, for all purposes of and by all means in connection with the use and occupation by the Company its successors in title, assigns, tenants, licensees, servants or agents, contractors and workmen in common with all others who have the like right of lands and rights over land acquired by it for the purposes of the Ballyhale\_Knocktopher Wastewater Pumping Station. Such rights include the right to do anything reasonably necessary for or ancillary or incidental to the construction of the structures and the waste water works as defined in the Water Services Act, 2007 to be laid, erected, or constructed on the lands described in Part 1 of this Schedule and the wayleaves described in Part 2 of this Schedule in, on, under or over the lands specified in Sub-Part B below.

## Sub-Part B - Description of Lands

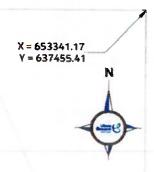
Plot Number coloured green on the drawings	DRAWING No.	Quantity	, Situation and I	Description of	Owners or Reputed	Lessees	Occupiers
deposited at  Uisce Éireann Colvill House 24-26 Talbot Street Dublin 1  And		Area in Hectares	Location	Description of Property	Owners	Reputed Lessees	
Thomastown Library Marsh's Street Thomastown Co. Kilkenny							
003	UE/10058737/CPO/001	0.0925	Knocktopher Abbey	Mixed broadleaved / conifer woodland (WD2) & Artificial Surfaces (BL3)	Mr Richard Holohan Knocktopher Village, Knocktopher, County Kilkenny R95 P084 Mr William Holohan 32 White's Castle, Knocktopher, County Kilkenny, R95 AW9P	Unknown	Unknown
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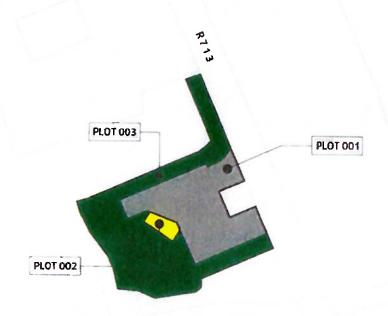
Dated this Kinday of Septemer 2025

Signed:

Richard O'Sullivan Company Secretary Uisce Éireann Colvill House 24-26 Talbot Street Dublin 1

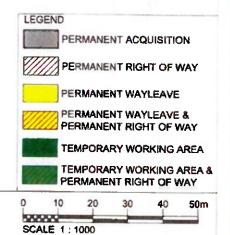
ACQUISITION TYPE	AREA (ha)	PLOT No.
AREA OF PERMANENT ACQUISITION:	0.0605 ha	PLOT 001
AREA OF PERMANENT WAYLEAVE:	0.0042 ha	PLOT 002
AREA OF TEMPORARY WORKING AREA:	0.0925 ha	PLOT 003





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X = 653161.21 Y = 637233.67



PROJECT: UISCE EIREANN COMPULSORY PURCHASE (BALLYHALE\_KNOCKTOPHER WASTEWATER PUMPING STATION) ORDER, 2025



WAYLEAVE DETAILS
Pipe Dis/Details: DN225 / uPVC PIPE
Width of Wayleave (Yellow): 10m Max.
Length of Wayleave (Yellow):
PLOT 902 = 5m

## LAND ACQUISITION

LAND OWNER OR REPUTED LAND OWNER

MR RICHARD HOLOHAN (Knocktopher Village, Knocktopher, County Kilkenny R95 P084), MR WILLIAM HOLOHAN (32 White's Castle, Knocktopher, County Kilkenny, R95 AW9P), MR FRANK HOLOHAN (2 Rosehill, Old Blackrock Road, Cork City, T12 V8ND)

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The Planning and Development Acts, 2000 to 2014 (and, in particular Part XIV and Sections 213 and 217 of the Planning and Development Act, 2000)

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Section 10 of the Local Government (No. 2) Act, 1960 (as substituted by Section 86 of the Housing Act, 1966 and as amended by Section 6 and the Second Schedule of the Roads Act, 1993 and by Section 222 of the Planning and Development Act, 2000)

The Housing Act, 1966 (and in particular Part V, Sections 76 and 78 and the Third Schedule)

**The Lands Clauses Acts** 

The Acquisition of Land (Assessment of Compensation) Act, 1919

AS RESPECTS ALL OR PART OF THE LAND TO WHICH THIS COMPULSORY PURCHASE ORDER RELATES

## COMPULSORY ACQUISITION OF LAND

UISCE ÉIREANN COMPULSORY PURCHASE (BALLYHALE\_KNOCKTOPHER WASTEWATER PUMPING STATION) ORDER, 2025

WHEREAS UISCE ÉIREANN (hereinafter referred to as "the Company") a Water Services Authority for the purposes of the Water Services Act, 2007, proposes for the purposes of the Water Services Acts, 2007 to 2013 and in exercise of its powers under Sections 32 and 93 of the Water Services Act, 2007 to acquire compulsorily the lands and rights over land hereinafter described.

AND WHEREAS the Company has taken full account of the aspects of public policy specified in Section 31 of the Water Services Act, 2007 and the provision of the said water services comprised in the Ballyhale\_Knocktopher Wastewater Pumping Station is not inconsistent with any of the public policy issues so specified.

AND WHEREAS the Company considers, within the meaning of Section 10 of the Local Government (No. 2) Act, 1960 as substituted by Section 86 of the Housing Act, 1966 and as amended, that it would be convenient to effect the acquisition under the Housing Act, 1966 and has decided so to effect the acquisition.

### NOW THEREFORE it is hereby ordered that-

- Subject to the provisions of this Order, the Company is hereby authorised to compulsorily acquire, for the purposes of the Water Services Acts,
   2007 to 2013 and of the Ballyhale\_Knocktopher Wastewater Pumping Station, -
  - (a) Permanently, the lands described in Part 1 of the Schedule hereto which lands are shown shaded grey on the drawing marked "Uisce Éireann Compulsory Purchase (Ballyhale\_Knocktopher Wastewater Pumping Station ) Order, 2025", and numbered UE/10058737/CPO/001.
  - (b) Permanently, the wayleaves described in Sub-Part A of Part 2 of the Schedule hereto, over the lands described in Sub-Part B, of Part 2 of the Schedule hereto which wayleaves are shown coloured yellow on the drawing marked "Uisce Éireann Compulsory Purchase (Ballyhale Knocktopher Wastewater Pumping Station ) Order, 2025" and numbered UE/10058737/CPO/001.
  - Temporarily, the rights described in Sub-Part A of Part 4 of the Schedule hereto, over the lands described in Sub-Part B, of Part 4 of the Schedule hereto which said lands are shown coloured green on the drawing marked "Uisce Éireann Compulsory Purchase (Ballyhale\_Knocktopher Wastewater Pumping Station ) Order, 2025" and numbered UE/10058737/CPO/001.

All of the said lands described in the Schedule hereto are situated in the County of Kilkenny.

All of which drawings are sealed with the seal of the Company and deposited at:

- (i) Uisce Éireann, Colvill House, 24-26 Talbot Street, Dublin 1 and
- (ii) Thomastown Library, Marsh's Street, Thomastown, Co. Kilkenny.

- 2. The lands described in the Schedule hereto are lands other than land consisting of a house or houses unfit for human habitation and not capable of being rendered fit for human habitation at reasonable expenses.
- 3 Subject to any necessary adaptations, the provisions of
  - the Lands Clauses Acts (except Sections 127 to 132 of the Lands Clauses Consolidation Act, 1845 and Article 20 of the Second Schedule to the Housing of the Working Classes Act, 1890), and
  - the Acquisition of Land (Assessment of Compensation) Act, 1919, as amended by the Acquisition of Land (Reference Committee) Act, 1925, the Property Values (Arbitrations and Appeals) Act, 1960 and the Local Government (Planning and Development) Act, 1963 (as applied by Section 265(3) of the Planning and Development Act, 2000, as amended),

as modified by the Third Schedule to the Housing Act, 1966 are hereby incorporated in this order and the provisions of those Acts shall apply accordingly.

This order may be cited as the Uisce Éireann Compulsory Purchase (Ballyhale\_Knocktopher Wastewater Pumping Station ) Order, 2025.

## SCHEDULE

## PART 1 - LAND ACQUISITION

Land other than land consisting of a house or houses unfit for human habitation and not capable of being rendered fit for human habitation at reasonable expense

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## PART 2 - PERMANENT WAYLEAVE

## Sub-Part A - Description of Wayleave

The right for the Company, its successors in title, assigns, tenants, servants or agents, contractors or other licensees:

- to construct, lay, keep, operate, maintain, renew, repair and inspect waste water works as defined in the Water Services Act, 2007 and all associated pipelines and all other associated physical elements used for collection, storage or treatment of waste water and such other works, services, facilities and other things as are necessary or expedient in relation thereto or are ancillarly thereto or form part of such waste water works, in, on or under the land specified in Sub-Part B below, together with the right,
- (ii) to enter with all necessary vehicles, plant and machinery upon the said land at all times for any of the said purposes.

Sub-Part B - Description of Land

Plot Number	DRAWING No.	Quantity,	Situation and D	escription of the	Owners or Reputed	Lessees or	Occupiers
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					City, T12 V8ND.		

## PART 3 – PERMANENT RIGHT OF WAY NOT APPLICABLE

#### PART 4 - TEMPORARY WORKING AREA

## Sub-Part A - Description of Rights

The temporary right for the Company, assigns, tenants, licensees, servants or agents, contractors and workmen in common with all others who have the like right to use the land specified in Sub-Part B below to enter with all necessary vehicles, plant and machinery upon the said lands and to use the land to pass and re-pass over same for the purpose of ingress and egress to and from the public road at all times, for all purposes of and by all means in connection with the use and occupation by the Company its successors in title, assigns, tenants, licensees, servants or agents, contractors and workmen in common with all others who have the like right of lands and rights over land acquired by it for the purposes of the Ballyhale\_Knocktopher Wastewater Pumping Station. Such rights include the right to do anything reasonably necessary for or ancillary or incidental to the construction of the structures and the waste water works as defined in the Water Services Act, 2007 to be laid, erected, or constructed on the lands described in Part 1 of this Schedule and the wayleaves described in Part 2 of this Schedule in, on, under or over the lands specified in Sub-Part B below.

## Sub-Part B - Description of Lands

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					2 Rosehill, Old Blackrock Road, Cork City, T12 V8ND.		

Given under the common seal of UISCE ÉIREANN

and delivered as a Deed:-

Director/Authorised Signatory

Director/Secretary/Authorised Signatory

Dated this 5th day of 500 mber 2025