

Case Reference PAX91.323780

Address

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The Secretary,  
An Coimisiún Pleanála,  
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Date: 15-10-25

Re: 10 year planning permission for Ballinlee Wind Farm consisting of 17 no. wind turbines, a permanent 110kV substation and ancillary development. Located in Ballincurra, Ballingayrou, Ballinlee North & South, Ballinrea, Ballyreesode, Camas North & South, Carrigeen, Knockuregare, Ballybane and other townlands in County Limerick.

To Whom It May Concern,

I Collette Lacey, write in connection with the above listed planning application at Ballincurra, Ballingayrou, Ballinlee North & South, Ballinrea, Ballyreesode, Camas North & South, Carrigeen, Knockuregare, Ballybane and other townlands in County Limerick.

We wish to object strongly to this proposal and ask that the Board refuse planning permission.

Some of our summarised observations and concerns are as follows:

Noise and shadow flicker

I do not want to hear the noise of the turbines. I have vertigo myself.

Chapter 5 of the EIA (population) and Human Health acknowledges general noise and vibration impacts but does not specifically address low frequency infrasound or shadow flicker-related. This may make my vertigo worse.

I have a flood plain near my house.  
I am concerned about the local wildlife.

I see Hager swans, badgers, minks, Barn owls.  
I do not want to lose viewing them or  
seeing their homes destroyed.

I have a private well. There is no well mapping  
in the EIA. Excavation for turbine foundations  
and the 110KV cable may alter groundwater flow,  
affecting wells and field drainage. Under EPA  
guidance, baseline well testing should be provided.  
My peace and tranquility will be destroyed. This is  
not how I plan to live out the rest of my days.  
I also request to attend an oral hearing.

We strongly urge that this development be rejected for the reasons outlined above.

Kind Regards,

Name: *Belle Lavery*