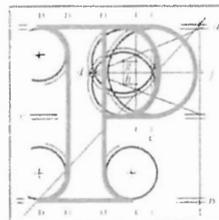


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An
Coimisiún
Pleanála

Michael and Mary Kinsella
The Pass Kinnitty
Birr
Co. Offaly

Date: 12 March 2026

Re: Proposed Water Supply Project for the Eastern and Midlands Region
in the counties of Clare, Limerick, Tipperary, Offaly, Kildare, and Dublin.

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. Please quote the above mentioned An Coimisiún Pleanála reference number in any correspondence or telephone contact with the Commission.

Yours faithfully,

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We Michael and Mary Kinsella, The Pass Kinnitty, Birr Co Offaly

Hereby object to the Compulsory accusation of our land at Coagh Upper by uisce eireann for the proposed water supply project eastern and midlands region.

We object on the following grounds,

Uisce eireann has failed to follow legal procedure in that no written notification of planning application or form of compulsory purchase order has been received by us.

Uisce eireanns proposed permanent and temporary accuistition amounting to 100% of our farmland at Coagh Upper for a pumping station and site compound is a disproportionate interference and destruction of our farm leaving us landless and unable to carry on farming.

The Compulsory accusation also leaves us unable to construct a dwelling house on our lands at Coagh Upper.

The proposed project is unjustified in that over 50% of treated water supply in Dublin is lost trough leakage due to an aged pipe network

This is environmentally unsustainable in the present day.

Signed. Michael Kinsella
Mary Kinsella