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17th February 2026

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An Coimisiún Pleanála require that the application documentation be made available for public inspection/purchase by Cork County Council in accordance with the terms of the enclosed public notice. It is the Commission's intention that all of the application documentation will remain available for public inspection during the currency of the application.

¹ County Council Reference 24/6157. Application is at appeal stage under An Coimisiún Pleanála Reference 323402-25.



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