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The Secretary
An Coimisiún Pleanála
64 Marlborough Street
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**Re: Objection to the Proposed Tirawley Wind Farm Strategic Infrastructure
Development Objection Submission to An Coimisiún Pleanála**

Re: Planning permission for the construction of Tirawley Windfarm consisting of 16 no. wind turbines, a permanent 110kV substation, 110kV underground cable and grid connection, and ancillary development in the townlands of Ballymurphy, Ballynaleck, Barnhill Lower & Upper, Barroe, Billoos, Carn, Carrickanass, Carrowmore, Castlелacken Demesne, and other townlands in County Mayo.

Case Number: PAX16.324258

Dear Sir/Madam,

My name is Robert Boyd and I am an adult with Special Needs. I would like to submit my objections to the proposed Tirawley Windfarm development on my doorstep. I will be living and working next door to the turbines because my family has a farm very close to where AT05 and AT06 are supposed to go. We live a mile and a half away from the farm and I like going for a walk back to our yard in Barnhill and having peace and quiet to clear my head and I don't want to be run over by big lorries on my walks. All the deliveries for AT07 to AT16 would be passing by our yard when I will be trying to go back to the farm. The traffic will make it very hard for the vet to get back the road in emergencies and we won't be able to move the cows or the sheep down the road to the next field. I like listening to the water during my peace and quiet and I won't be able to listen to it without being disturbed by the noises of lorries and construction and wind turbines. I like saying my rosary when I am out for my walk and having my peace and quiet outside. The amount of lorries on the roads for at least 12 hours a day would make impossible to go for a walk to have peace and quiet and say my Rosary. I wouldn't have anywhere quiet to walk and clear my head. We have a field next to AT07 and AT08. I enjoy the peace and quiet walking up the boreen to this field where

there are no houses only trees and birds and it would be a disgrace to dig up the fields and disturb the wildlife. When I go mowing the grass in this field the shadow of the two wind turbines will affect my driving visibility. This field is at the end of a dead end road and all the lorries crossing it will make it impossible to get out to the field. The noises of the wind turbines will disturb my sleep because AT07 and AT08 would be up on a hill over our house. The road widening could cause a lot of floods on the roads as well. The floods could cause serious problems on the roads. It would disturb the wildlife. When the construction is done the noise of the wind turbine turning will stop me from clearing my head when I am out walking and saying my Rosary and when I am having my peace and quiet outside. The noises of the lorries will disturb me inside and outside. I will have no peace at home or on the farm.

Thank you for considering my submission.

Yours faithfully,

Robert Boyd