

### **Schedule of Prescribed Bodies**

- Minister for Housing, Local Government and Heritage (Development Applications Unit);
- Minister for the Environment, Climate and Communications;
- Minister for Transport;
- The planning authority or authorities in the area or areas in which it is proposed to situate the proposed development – Offaly County Council and Meath County Council
- Eastern & Midland Regional Assembly
- Transport Infrastructure Ireland;
- An Chomhairle Ealaíon;
- An Taisce – the National Trust for Ireland;
- Fáilte Ireland;
- Inland Fisheries Ireland;
- Waterways Ireland;
- Córas Iompair Éireann;
- Railway Procurement Agency;
- Railway Safety Commission;
- Environmental Protection Agency;
- The Heritage Council;
- Health Service;
- Commission for Energy Regulation
- Uisce Éireann.

The Arts Council  
70 Merrion Square  
Dublin 2  
D02 NY52

Date: 12<sup>th</sup> May 2026  
Ref.: LW/24067

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Date: 12<sup>th</sup> May 2026  
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Inland Fisheries Ireland  
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Parkgate Business Centre,  
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138 Parkgate St,  
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Date: 12<sup>th</sup> May 2026  
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Railway Safety Commission  
Temple House  
Temple Road,  
Blackrock  
Co. Dublin  
A94 Y5W5

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*Five temporary construction / pipe storage compounds are proposed. Temporary construction compound 1 is located at the townland of Kilwarden, adjacent to the proposed Kilwarden Offtake Installation. Temporary construction compound 2 is located at the townland of Ardnamullan, adjacent to the linear pipeline route. Temporary construction compound 3 is located within the townland of Monasteroris, positioned to the east of the pipeline corridor. Temporary construction compound 4 is located to the west of the pipeline terminus within the townland of Esker More. Temporary construction compound 5 is located in the townland of Ballykilleen, adjacent to the proposed Ballykilleen AGI. The compounds will accommodate site offices, crane and truck parking, pipe storage, secure lock up containers, car parking, material laydown areas, welfare facilities and material storage areas during the construction stage.*

*The proposed AGI compound is to be located on lands at Ballykilleen (within the Edenderry Power Station site) and will include a Pressure Reducing Skid (PRS) Kiosk (with a gross floor area (GFA) of c. 49 sq.m. with a parapet height of 3.15m and vent terminations 5.4m in height.), a Packaged Boiler Unit (PBU) Kiosk (with a GFA of c. 23.4 sq.m. with a parapet height of 3.7m and boiler flues extending to 5.67m in height), a Gas Analyser Kiosk (with a GFA of c. 7 sq.m and with a parapet height of c. 2.9m. and vent terminations extending to 3.5m in height) and an E&I Kiosk (with a GFA of c. 15.75 sq.m. and with a parapet height of c. 3m.). Solar PV panels are provided on the roof of the PBU Kiosk. The AGI compound will be enclosed by a 2.4m high palisade security fence, with a 1.2m high open mesh boundary fence.*

*The proposed Kilwarden Offtake Installation will be accessed off a laneway from the existing R161 Regional Road. The Kilwarden Offtake Installation will accommodate the live 'hot-tap' connection to the existing 750 mm Dublin-Galway pipeline (PTTW), enabling the new 300 mm transmission pipeline to be connected without interruption to the existing network. The Installation will include a below-ground isolation valve located within an access pit, and above-ground pipework and connection points for a temporary PIG (pipeline inspection gauging) trap to facilitate future inspection and maintenance of the proposed pipeline. The compound will be enclosed by a 2.4 m high palisade security fence, with a 1.2 m stock-proof fence installed along the external boundary.*

*An Environmental Impact Assessment Report and a Natura Impact Statement have been prepared and will be submitted in respect of this application.”*

The application will be accompanied by a Compulsory Purchase Order under the provisions of the Gas Act, 1976, as amended.

A copy of the application is enclosed for your information.

The planning application and the Environmental Impact Assessment Report and the Natura Impact Statement may be inspected free of charge or purchased on payment of a specified fee (which fee shall not exceed the reasonable cost of making such copy) during public opening hours for a period of **seven weeks commencing on the 19<sup>th</sup> of May 2026** at the following locations:

- The Offices of An Coimisiún Pleanála, 64 Marlborough Street, Dublin 1.
- Offaly County Council, Áras an Chontae, Charleville Road, Tullamore, Co. Offaly, R35 F893
- Meath County Council Buvinda House, Dublin Road, Navan, Co. Meath, C15 Y291

The application may also be viewed/downloaded on the following website: [www.edenderrygaspipeline.ie](http://www.edenderrygaspipeline.ie)

Submissions or observations may be made only to An Coimisiún Pleanála ('the Commission'), 64 Marlborough Street, Dublin 1 during the above-mentioned period of seven weeks relating to –

- (i) the implications of the proposed development for proper planning and sustainable development, and
- (ii) the likely effects on the environment of the proposed development, and
- (iii) the likely significant effects of the proposed development on a European site, if carried out.

Any submissions/observations must be accompanied by a fee of €50 (except for certain prescribed bodies or any landowners affected by the associated CPO application) and must be received by the Commission in writing or online at [www.pleanala.ie](http://www.pleanala.ie) not later than **5.30 p.m. on the 7<sup>th</sup> of July 2026**. Such submissions/observations must also include the following information:

- The name of the person making the submission or observation, the name of the person acting on his or her behalf, if any, and the address to which any correspondence relating to the application should be sent,
- The subject matter of the submission or observation, and
- The reasons, considerations and arguments on which the submission or observation is based in full. (Article 217 of the Planning & Development Regulations refers).

Submissions that do not require a fee, can be made by hand, post, or email to [sids@pleanala.ie](mailto:sids@pleanala.ie). Submissions that require a fee can be made by hand, post, or by the Commission's online strategic infrastructure development submission portal: <https://online.pleanala.ie/en-ie/sid/observation>.

Any submissions or observations which do not comply with the above requirements cannot be considered by the Commission. The Commission may at its absolute discretion hold an oral hearing on the application. (For further details see 'A Guide to Public Participation in Strategic Infrastructure Development' on the Commission's website [www.pleanala.ie](http://www.pleanala.ie)).

The Commission may in respect of an application for permission/ approval decide to-

- (a) (i) grant the permission/approval, or
  - (ii) make such modifications to the proposed development as it specifies in its decision and grant permission/approval in respect of the proposed development as so modified, or
  - (iii) grant permission/approval in respect of part of the proposed development (with or without specified modifications of it of the foregoing kind),
- and any of the above decisions may be subject to or without conditions, or
- (b) refuse to grant the permission/approval.

Any enquiries relating to the application process should be directed to the Strategic Infrastructure Development Section of An Coimisiún Pleanála (Tel. 01- 8588100).

A person may question the validity of any such decision of the Commission by way of an application for judicial review, under Order 84 of the Rule of the Superior Courts (S.I. No. 15 of 1986, as amended), in accordance with Section 50 of the Planning and Development Act 2000, as amended. Practical information on the review mechanism can be accessed on the Commission's website ([www.pleanala.ie](http://www.pleanala.ie)) under the following heading: Legal Notices – Judicial Review Notice. This information is also available on the Citizens Information Service website ([www.citizensinformation.ie](http://www.citizensinformation.ie)).

If you require any further information or clarification, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely,



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