



Electricity Supply Board (ESB)  
c/o Janette McDonald  
Engineering and Major Projects  
The Sidings, Grand Canal Quay  
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**Date:** 16 October 2026

**Re:** Proposed development of the Belview - Great Island 38kV underground cable river crossing  
in the townlands of Great Island Co. Wexford and Drumdowney Upper and Gorteens Co. Kilkenny

Dear Sir / Madam,

I have been asked by An Coimisiún Pleanála to refer further to the pre-application consultation request in relation of the above-mentioned proposed development.

Please note the Commission now considers it appropriate to conclude the consultation in respect of this matter.

The following is a list of prescribed bodies to be notified of the application for the proposed development.

1. Minister for Housing, Local Government and Heritage
2. Minister for the Climate, Energy and the Environment
3. Minister for Transport
4. Minister for Defence
5. Minister for Agriculture, Food and the Marine
6. Environmental Protection Agency
7. Maritime Area Regulatory Authority
8. Minister for Rural and Community Development
9. Marine Institute
10. Inland Fisheries Ireland
11. Health and Safety Authority
12. Commission for Regulation of Utilities
13. Fáilte Ireland
14. An Taisce
15. The Southern Regional Assembly
16. National Transport Authority
17. Irish Aviation Authority
18. Sustainable Energy Authority of Ireland
19. Eirgrid
20. Commissioner of Irish Lights
21. Irish Coastguard
22. Uisce Éireann

- 23. Transport Infrastructure Ireland
- 24. Kilkenny County Council
- 25. Wexford County Council

Further notifications should also be made where deemed appropriate.

In accordance with section 146(5) of the Planning and Development Act, 2000 as amended, the Commission will make available for inspection and purchase at its offices the documents relating to the decision within 3 working days following its decision. This information is normally made available on the list of decided cases on the website on the Wednesday following the week in which the decision is made.

The attachment contains information in relation to challenges to the validity of a decision of An Coimisiún Pleanála under the provisions of the Planning and Development Act, 2000, as amended.

If you have any queries in the meantime, please contact the undersigned officer of the Commission or email [marine@pleanala.ie](mailto:marine@pleanala.ie) quoting the above mentioned An Coimisiún Pleanála reference number in any correspondence with the Commission.

Yours faithfully,



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