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Chief Planning Commissioner
An Coimisiún Pleanála
64 Marlborough Street
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22nd July 2026

RE: Application By Shannon Foynes Port Company For an Order Authorising the Compulsory Acquisition of Land Under Section 16 Of The Harbours Act 1996 And The Fourth Schedule Thereto (As Amended By Section 7(3) Of The Harbours (Amendment) Act 2009 and as Extended and Amended By the Planning and Development Acts 2000 To 2025).

Lands at Foynes Island, Co. Limerick

Dear Sir,

Further to the email received from An Coimisiun Pleánala of June 23rd 2026 (Re: "Foynes Island CPO") confirming approval of draft notices, the location proposed for the deposit of relevant plans and drawings and book of reference, Shannon Foynes Port Company ("SFPC") of Harbour Office, Foynes, Co. Limerick, Ireland V94R232 hereby makes an application for an Order authorising the compulsory acquisition of lands at Foynes Island, Co. Limerick.

Accompanying this application please find attached:

- Book of Reference confirming the lands which are proposed to be acquired by SFPC (x2 copies)
- Booklet of Maps (x2 copies)
- Planning Statement in Support of the application (x2 copies).

A digital copy of this application has been submitted to the commission by email: laps@pleanala.ie

SFPC intend to publish a notice of the application in the Limerick Leader in accordance with the requirements of Section 16 of the Harbours Act 1996 and the Fourth Schedule thereto. A copy of the newspaper containing the public notice, a copy of all notices served and a copy of evidence of postage shall be forwarded to the Commission in accordance with the requirements.



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The books of reference, maps and plans relevant to the proposed application will be deposited at the offices of Shannon Foynes Port Company, Harbour Office, Foynes, Co. Limerick from Wednesday 22nd July 2026 and shall be available for inspection between the hours of 10.00am and 4.00pm Monday to Friday excluding public holidays for one month as prescribed.

Shannon Foynes Port Company ("SFPC") of Foynes, County Limerick is a company incorporated in Ireland on the 11th of September 2000 pursuant to Section 7 of the Harbours Act, 1996 and is the owner of the harbour property at Foynes Co Limerick more particularly specified in paragraph 7 of the Third Schedule to the Harbours Act, 1996 ("SFPC's Harbour").

For the purposes of ensuring the implementation of the scheme of development of SFPC's Harbour more particularly described in the enclosed "Planning Statement", SFPC intends to seek acquisition order authorising the compulsory acquisition of the lands identified in the accompanying Book of Maps and Book of Reference, more specifically, the freehold interests in lands outlined in purple and the leasehold interests in lands outlined in green on the attached plan 'CPO Map 1' at Foynes Island County Limerick. The acquisition of these interests at Foynes Island, Co. Limerick, is considered necessary to facilitate the scheme of development, which, in the opinion of SFPC, would be impracticable without their acquisition.

We look forward to a positive determination of the application. Please do not hesitate to contact us regarding any queries that you might have.

Yours sincerely,



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