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An Bord Pleanála,  
64, Marlborough Street,  
Dublin 1.

March 11<sup>th</sup>, 2014

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Ref: PL61; PA0033 – Extension of Galway Harbour

Dear Sirs,

I refer to the above reference application which refers to the proposed extension to Galway Harbour.

As the owners of the oil storage terminal at Galway, Enwest Ltd would be very supportive of the proposed development. Deepening the water to allow Galway to receive larger vessels, would significantly enhance the economics of importing oil products through the Port at Galway. Without this development, there is a significant risk of oil products being road bridged from Dublin to the west of Ireland with the consequent damaging effect on employment and investment in Galway Harbour.

I would hope and expect that Bord Pleanála would throw their full support behind this valuable and noteworthy development.

Yours faithfully,

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