



Minister for Housing, Planning,
Community and Local Government.
Customs House,
Dublin,
D01 W6X0

23rd November 2018

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Your Ref:

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Minister for Arts, Heritage, Regional
Rural and Gaeltacht Affairs.

Ministers Office,
23 Kildare Street,
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D02 TD30.

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The Manager,
Galway County Council,
Aras an Chontae,
Prospect Hill,
Galway.

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Dear Manager,

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Following consultations with An Bord Pleanála under section 37B of the Planning and Development Act 2000, as amended, the proposed development has been determined by the Board to constitute Strategic Infrastructure within the meaning of Section 37A. In this regard the Board have instructed that 5 hard copies and 5 electronic copies of the application documentation be lodged with the Planning Authority and that the Planning Authority make the details of the application, including EIAR and NIS available for public inspection/purchase in accordance with the terms of the public notices (details attached). It is the Boards intention that all of the application documentation will remain available for public inspection during the currency of the application.

As previously discussed a copy of the application documentation including the EIAR and NIS, is enclosed for your information.

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The report of the Planning Authority on this application must be submitted to An Bord Pleanála within 10 weeks from the making of the application to the Board. .

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Leo Sweeney,
The Environmental Protection Agency,
Richview,
Clonskeagh Road,
Dublin 14,
D14 YR62

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Leeson Lane,
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Failte Ireland,
Manager of Environment & Planning,
88/95 Amiens Street,
Dublin 1,
D01 WR86.

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David Harrington,
Inland Fisheries Ireland,
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Earls Ireland,
Galway,
H91E2A2.

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Mathew Collins,
Spatial Planning Team,
Irish Water,
PO Box 6000,
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Eimear Heart,
The Arts Council,
70 Merrion Square,
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D02 NY52

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Áras na hOidhreachta,
Church Lane,
Kilkenny,
R95 X264.

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An Environmental Impact Assessment Report (EIAR) and Natura Impact Statement (NIS) have been prepared in respect of the proposed development.

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Yours sincerely,



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Breandán Breathnach,
Udaras na Gaeltachta,
Na Forbacha,
Co. Galway.

23rd November 2018

Our Ref:

160815

Your Ref:

Re: Wind Farm Application at Ardderroo, Co. Galway.

Dear Breandán

On behalf of our Client, Ardderroo Wind Farm Ltd, please find enclosed a Planning Application Documentation for the proposed construction of a wind energy development and all associated infrastructure in the townlands of Ardderroo, Letter and Finnaun, County Galway. The proposed development will constitute the provision of the following:

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- ii. 1 no. permanent Meteorological Mast with a maximum height of up to 112 metres.
- iii. 1no. 110kV electrical substation with 2 no. control buildings with welfare facilities, 6no. battery containers, all associated electrical plant and equipment, security fencing, all associated underground cabling, waste water holding tank and all ancillary works
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