

17.0 DIFFICULTIES ENCOUNTERED IN COMPILING ANY SPECIFIED INFORMATION

In general, no significant difficulties, in terms of technical deficiencies or lack of sources of information, were encountered in compiling the specified information contained in the EIAR.

The proposed development seeks to extend the life of the current permitted quarry from 10 years to 25 years (as originally proposed 37L development) and proposes to develop a new dedicated private quarry access road to facilitate an increase in the permitted number of HGV loads to and from the quarry from a maximum of 32 No. per day to an average of 81 No. per day (with +/-15% fluctuations in the number of loads to and from the quarry proposed to address certain demands on the quarry as and when required, equating to a maximum of 93 No. loads per day).. The assessment provided for the proposed development has had regard to the documentation compiled and submitted as part of previous applications at the site and the Planning Authority Reports which formed part of the analysis for those applications.

References to published sources of information are acknowledged in the text. A list of all consultants involved in the compilation of information for this Assessment Report is provided in Chapter 1.

The full impact analysis was carried out by experienced consultants and the best available methods were employed to forecast environmental effects.

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