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RE: Proposed Cummeennabuddoge Wind Farm, Strategic Infrastructure Development Application to An Bord Pleanála under Section 37(E) of the Planning and Development Act 2000 (as amended)

Dear Sirs

On behalf of our Client, Cummeennabuddoge Wind Designated Activity Company, we hereby give notice of our intention to make an application to An Bord Pleanála for permission for the development of Cummeennabuddoge Wind Farm in the townlands of Cummeennabuddoge (County Kerry), Clydaghroe (County Kerry), Glashacormick (County Kerry), Cummeenavrick (County Kerry), and Caherdowney (County Cork).

This Planning Application follows on from the submission of a pre-application request to An Bord Pleanála by Cummeennabuddoge Wind Designated Activity Company, which confirmed that the development constitutes an SID (ABP 319219-24). A copy of the SID pre-application determination letter is enclosed with this application.

Additionally, we enclose the following items for your consideration:

- Completed Planning Application Form;
- Landowners Letters of Consent;
- Newspaper Notices;
- Site Notices (English);
- Copies of Notification Letters sent to the bodies prescribed by An Bord Pleanála;
- Environmental Impact Assessment Report (EIAR) in Four Volumes:
 - Non-Technical Summary (Volume I);
 - Environmental Impact Assessment Report (Volume II);
 - EIAR Figures (Volume III);
 - EIAR Visualisations (Volume IIIb);
 - EIAR Technical Appendices (Volume IV);
- Natura Impact Statement (in accordance with Article 6 of the EU habitats Directive 92/43/EEC);
- Planning Statement;
- Copy of the confirmation notice, issued by the Department of Housing, Planning and Local Government, confirming notification to the EIA Portal;
- Drawing schedule and planning application drawings consistent in size and scale with typical large-scale wind farm developments;
- USB with AutoCAD version of the Site Boundaries

As required by An Bord Pleanála, you are hereby requested to keep this planning application available for public inspection/purchase from 21st October 2024 for a period of seven weeks, ending on the 9th December 2024 in accordance with the terms of the public notice (copy enclosed). It is the Bord's intention that all the application documentation will remain available for public inspection for the duration of this application.

As requested, one electronic copy and two hard copies of the full planning application, Environmental Impact Assessment Report and Natura Impact Statement are enclosed.

In considering this application, An Bord Pleanála can decide to:

- (a) (i) grant the permission, or
 - (ii) make such modifications to the proposed development as it specified in its decision and grant permission in respect of the proposed development as so modified, or
 - (iii) grant permission in respect of part of the proposed development (with or without specified modifications of it of the foregoing kind), and any of the above decisions may be subject to or without conditions,
- (b) Refuse to grant the permission.

Any submissions/observations must be made to the Bord at 64 Marlborough Street, Dublin 1, D01 V902 relating to:

- (i) The implications of the proposed development for proper planning and sustainable development of the area concerned, and
- (ii) The likely effects on the environment of the proposed development, if carried out, and
- (iii) The likely effects or adverse effects on the integrity of a European site, if carried out.

Any submissions/observations must be received by the Bord not later than 9th December 2024. A standalone website containing all of the above can be viewed at www.cummeennabuddogeplanning.ie

Yours sincerely,



Jack Graham

Project Manager

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