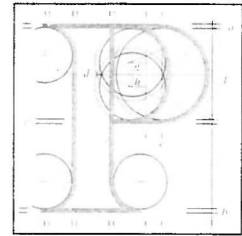


Our Ref: SU 07.SU0038
P.A.Reg.Ref: QSP83
Your Ref:

P. Jones
An Bord Pleanála



Development Applications Unit,
Department of Arts, Heritage and
The Gaeltacht,
Newtown Road,
Wexford.

17th July 2013

Application **Re:** Existing quarry operation and associated works.
Shannapheasteen, Co. Galway.

Dear Sir/Madam,

I have been asked by An Bord Pleanála to refer to the above-mentioned application for substitute consent received by the Board on **7th May 2013**.

Having regard to Article 230 (1) of the Planning and Development (Amendment) (No.3) Regulations 2011 and Article 28(1)(n) of the Planning and Development Regulations 2001 to 2011, the Board is of the opinion that it is appropriate in the interests of justice to request you to make submissions or observations to it.

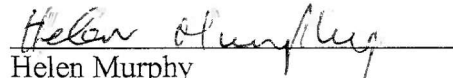
In accordance with Section 131 of the Planning and Development Act 2000, as amended, you are requested to make any submissions or observations you have in relation to the application within **17 days** from the date of our notice. The Board cannot consider submissions or observations outside the scope of the application. Your submission in response to this notice must be received by the Board not later than **5.30 p.m. on 6th August 2013**.

If no submissions or observations are received before the end of the specified period, the Board will proceed to determine the application without further notice to you.

I enclose for your information a copy of the entire substitute application in electronic form. The application is available to view in hard copy at the offices of the planning authority and at the offices of the Board.

In accordance with article 230(b) of the Planning and Development Amendments (No.3) Regulations, the Board consents to receipt of any submission/observation on this matter in electronic form and seeks your consent that any future notifications may be made to your organisation in electronic form.

Yours faithfully,


Helen Murphy
Executive Officer
Direct Line:01-8737135

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Helen Murphy

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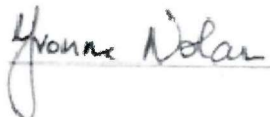
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Substitute Consent Review for Quarry - Shannapheasteen, Co. Galway

Hi Helen,

Would it be possible for the Department to submit nature conservation observations on this file. Our ecologist has just returned from leave and missed the deadline for observations. She has asked me to find out if her observations could be accepted at this stage. The quarry is partly within Connemara Bog Complex cSAC (site code 002034) and is adjacent to and possibly within Connemara Bog Complex SPA (site code 004181).

Thanks for your help.

Kind regards,



Yvonne Nolan,
Development Applications Unit,
Department of Arts, Heritage and the Gaeltacht,
Newtown Road,
Wexford.

Ph: (053) 9117382

Ms. Murphy
Please re issue & allow 17 days
for comment.

M. Healy
17/7/13

