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Uisce Eireann - EIAR  
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**Re: EIAR Scoping Request – Proposed Large Scale Residential Development**  
Haggardstown, Dundalk, Co. Louth

A Chara,

Uisce Éireann has received your Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) scoping request relating to a proposed Large Scale Residential Development consisting of c.502 no. residential units at Haggardstown, Dundalk, Co. Louth.

It is Uisce Éireann's current policy to maintain safe and secure drinking water supplies and that no development that will impact Drinking Water Source. Uisce Éireann must be satisfied that the proposed development has no impact on drinking water quality and that water sources are adequately protected. It is a requirement of the Water Framework Directive that waters used for the abstraction of drinking water are protected so as to avoid deterioration in quality.

The following aspects of Water Services should also be considered in the scope of an EIA where relevant;

- a) Where the development proposal has the potential to impact an Uisce Éireann Drinking Water Source(s), the applicant shall provide details of measures to be taken to ensure that there will be no negative impact to Uisce Éireann's Drinking Water Source(s) during the construction and operational phases of the development. Hydrological / hydrogeological pathways between the applicant's site and receiving waters should be identified as part of the report.
- b) Where the development proposes the backfilling of materials, the applicant is required to include a waste sampling strategy to ensure the material is inert.

c) Mitigations should be proposed for any potential negative impacts on any water source(s) which may be in proximity and included in the environmental management plan and incident response.

d) Any and all potential impacts on the nearby public water supply water source(s) are assessed, including any impact on hydrogeology and any groundwater/surface water interactions.

e) Impacts of the development on the capacity of water services (*i.e. do existing water services have the capacity to cater for the new development*). This is confirmed by Uisce Éireann in the form of a Confirmation of Feasibility (COF). If a development requires a connection to either a public water supply or sewage collection system, the developer is advised to submit a Pre-Connection Enquiry (PCE) enquiry to Uisce Éireann to determine the feasibility of connection to the Uisce Éireann network.

f) The applicant shall identify any upgrading of water services infrastructure that would be required to accommodate the proposed development.

g) In relation to a development that would discharge trade effluent – any upstream treatment or attenuation of discharges required prior to discharging to an Uisce Éireann collection network.

h) In relation to the management of surface water; the potential impact of surface water discharges to combined sewer networks and potential measures to minimise and or / stop surface waters from combined sewers.

i) Any physical impact on Uisce Éireann assets – reservoir, drinking water source, treatment works, pipes, pumping stations, discharges outfalls etc. including any relocation of assets.

j) When considering a development proposal, the applicant is advised to determine the location of public water services assets, possible connection points from the applicant's site / lands to the public network and any drinking water abstraction catchments to ensure these are included and fully assessed in any pre-planning proposals. Details, where known, can be obtained by emailing an Ordnance Survey map identifying the proposed location of the applicant's intended development to [datarequests@water.ie](mailto:datarequests@water.ie)

k) Other indicators or methodologies for identifying infrastructure located within the applicant's lands are the presence of registered wayleave agreements, visible manholes, vent stacks, valve chambers, marker posts etc. within the proposed site.

l) Any potential impacts on the assimilative capacity of receiving waters in relation to Uisce Éireann discharge outfalls including changes in dispersion / circulation characterises. Hydrological / hydrogeological pathways between the applicant's site and receiving waters should be identified within the report.

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- m) Any potential impact on the contributing catchment of water sources either in terms of water abstraction for the development (*and resultant potential impact on the capacity of the source*) or the potential of the development to influence / present a risk to the quality of the water abstracted by Uisce Éireann for public supply should be identified within the report.
- n) Where a development proposes to connect to an Uisce Éireann network and that network either abstracts water from or discharges wastewater to a “protected” sensitive area, consideration as to whether the integrity of the site / conservation objectives of the site would be compromised should be identified within the report.
- o) Uisce Éireann does not permit building over of its assets. As an applicant you are required to;
  - survey the site to determine the exact location of the assets. Any trial investigations should be carried out with the agreement and in the presence of Uisce Éireann.
  - Provide evidence of separation distances between the existing Uisce Éireann assets and proposed structures, other services, trees, etc. have to be in accordance with the Irish Water Codes of Practice and Standard Details.
- p) Where a diversion of Public Infrastructure may be required subject to layout proposal of the development and separation distances, the applicant is required to submit a Diversions Enquiry to [diversions@water.ie](mailto:diversions@water.ie)
- q) Mitigation measures in relation to any of the above ensuring a zero risk to any Uisce Éireann drinking water sources (Surface and Ground water).

*This is not an exhaustive list.*

**Please note:**

- Where connection(s) to the public network is required as part of the development proposal, applicants are advised to complete the Pre-Connection Enquiry process and have received a Confirmation of Feasibility letter from Uisce Éireann ahead of any planning application.
- Uisce Éireann will not accept new surface water discharges to combined sewer networks.

Queries relating to the terms and observations above should be directed to [planning@water.ie](mailto:planning@water.ie)

Signed on behalf of Dermot Phelan  
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Ground Investigation Factual and  
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**PROPOSED RESIDENTIAL DEVELOPMENT  
BLACKROCK  
DUNDALK  
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**GROUND INVESTIGATION  
FACTUAL AND INTERPRETATIVE REPORT**

**REPORT No. 002/ROI/18**

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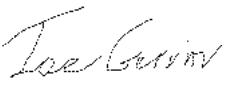
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## 1.0 INTRODUCTION

On the instruction of Finn Design Partnership (the Engineer), acting on behalf of Kingsbridge Consultancy Limited (the Client), Geotechnical Environmental Services Limited (GES) were appointed to undertake a ground investigation contract in connection with a proposed residential development to be located on lands at Blackrock, Dundalk, County Louth (Appendix 1).

The ground investigation comprised the following:

- 5 No. boreholes excavated to a maximum depth of 5.37m below existing ground level (begl), with associated in-situ testing and sampling;
- The installation of combined gas/groundwater monitoring standpipes in selected boreholes;
- 20 No. trial pits excavated to a maximum depth of 3.1m begl, with associated sampling;
- Geotechnical, geochemical and environmental laboratory testing;
- Factual and interpretative reporting.

The Specification for the investigation was the "Specification and Related Documents for Ground Investigation in Ireland" published by Engineers Ireland (2016), with information, amendments and additions as advised by the Engineer.

Soil and rock descriptions were undertaken in accordance with British Standard BS5930:2015, Code of Practice for Site Investigations which incorporates guidance presented in BS EN ISO 14688-1:2002+A1:2013, BS EN ISO 14688-2:2004+A1:2013 and and BS EN ISO 14689-1:2003.

The following provides additional clarification of the terminology that has been used:

- Silty CLAY/clayey SILT – used where it is considered that the secondary fraction is important and hence significantly modifies the appearance and/or behaviour of the principal;
- Fine grained (clays/silts) soils plotting on or just below the A-line on a plasticity chart are classified as clays;
- Fine grained soils with less than 35% sand and/or gravel sized particles are classified as slightly sandy and/or slightly gravelly;
- Fine grained soils with between 35% and 65% sand or gravel sized particles are classified as sandy or gravelly ("and" only in theory);
- Fine grained soils with greater than 65% sand or gravel sized particles are classified as very sandy or very gravelly;
- Coarse soils (sands/gravels) with less than 5% clay or silt and/or less than 5% sand or gravel are classified as slightly clayey or slightly silty and/or slightly sandy or slightly gravelly;
- Coarse soils with between 5% and 20% clay or silt and/or between 5% and 20% sand or gravel are classified as clayey or silty and/or sandy or gravelly;
- Coarse soils with greater than 20% clay or silt or greater than 20% sand or gravel are classified as very clayey or very silty and/or very sandy or very gravelly;

As noted in BS5930:2015 Clause 33.4.4.2, Table 15, the classification of very coarse soils (cobbles and boulders) requires a very large sample (circa 1000kg). Accordingly, it is not possible to recover representative samples from boreholes and conventional trial pits to quantify cobble and boulder content. Therefore, the exploratory hole logs presented in this report simply make reference to the presence or otherwise of cobble and boulders with no attempt to classify the % content.

## 2.0 AIMS AND OBJECTIVES OF THE INVESTIGATION

The investigation was designed with the objective of obtaining the following information:

- An overview of the ground and groundwater conditions present in relation to foundation design;
- The potential aggressiveness of the soils encountered toward buried concrete;
- An assessment as to the presence, or otherwise, of contaminants within the soil;
- An assessment as to the presence, or otherwise, of ground gases.

This report provides a factual and interpretative account of the ground and groundwater conditions encountered and the laboratory test results obtained in relation to geotechnical and geochemical design. The interpretation of the findings of the investigation is based on the assumption that the ground and groundwater conditions encountered and laboratory test results obtained are representative of the site area as a whole.

Issues relating to a contamination assessment of the site, i.e. the preparation of Preliminary Risk Assessment (PRA) and Generic Quantitative Risk Assessment (GQRA) reports have been addressed, on behalf of GES, by specialist environmental consultant Cove Environmental Consulting and are included in Appendix 5.

### **3.0 SITE WORKS**

#### **3.1 Introduction**

Site works were undertaken during the period 11<sup>th</sup>-14<sup>th</sup> June 2018, under the supervision of a geotechnical engineer from GES.

An exploratory hole location plan is included in Appendix 1.

#### **3.2 Boreholes**

5 No. boreholes (BH1-BH5) were excavated, to a maximum depth of 4.37m begl and at a diameter of 101mm, by means of a Geoprobe 6620DT drill rig using percussion sampling techniques.

In-situ testing took the form of the standard penetration test (SPT), using a split barrel sampler, to allow measurement of the soil penetration resistance 'N' to be determined under dynamic loading.

Details of groundwater strikes (if applicable), as encountered during boring operations, are presented on individual exploratory hole logs together with details of water levels as recorded upon completion of each borehole.

Exploratory hole logs are included in Appendix 2.

#### **3.5 Standpipes**

Combined gas/groundwater monitoring standpipes were installed in boreholes BH1, BH4 and BH5.

Each standpipe comprised 50mm (HDPE) i.d. well casing and well screen sections with associated gravel filter pack, bentonite pellet seal, push fit base cap, geotextile filter sock, gas bung, cement/bentonite grout seals and flush lockable steel head cover.

Specific details of each standpipe installation are presented on an instrumentation log that accompanies the relevant exploratory hole log as included in Appendix 2.

#### **3.3 Trial Pits**

20 No. trial pits (TP1-TP20) were excavated to a maximum depth of 3.1m begl by means of a 13T tracked excavator.

Details of the ground conditions encountered, groundwater strikes (if applicable) and pit sidewall stability are noted on exploratory hole logs as included in Appendix 3.

Photographs of the trial pit excavations, resulting spoil and reinstatement are also included in Appendix 3.

#### **3.4 Soil Sampling**

Soil samples for detailed geotechnical description, geotechnical, geochemical and environmental laboratory testing were collected in the following containers:

- PVC "jar bags" of approximately 1kg capacity;
- Open tube samplers;
- 400g capacity plastic tub;
- 250g capacity amber glass jar;
- 60g capacity amber glass vial.

Environmental soil sampling was undertaken with reference to guidance presented in British Standard BS10175:2011+A2:2017, British Standard Code of Practice for Investigation of Potentially Contaminated Sites.

## 4.0 GROUND AND GROUNDWATER CONDITIONS ENCOUNTERED

### 4.1 Superficial and Solid Geology

Preliminary information on the anticipated site superficial and solid geology was obtained through reference to the Geological Survey of Ireland, Bedrock Geology: 1:100000 Scale Map Series, Geology of Monaghan and Carlingford: Sheet 8 and part of sheet 9 (1996) and the Geological Survey of Ireland, Quaternary Sediments and Geomorphology: Quaternary Sediments Merged Datasets (2013).

The above publications indicate that the natural strata in the vicinity of the site area comprise glacial till overlying sedimentary mudstone and greywacke bedrock of the Ordovician period Inishkeen Formation.

Examination of the exploratory hole logs as included in Appendices 2 and 3 reveals that the general ground conditions encountered comprise the following:

- TOPSOIL;
- Very stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY containing rootlets;
- Stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY;
- Light grey brown silty sandy fine to coarse GRAVEL (localised);
- Firm to stiff medium to high strength friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content;
- Highly weathered destructured GREYWACKE: Recovered as grey brown angular fine to coarse GRAVEL sized fragments in a silty clay matrix.

The above description represents the general order of occurrence of the strata below the ground surface. However, it should be noted that at specific locations one or more strata may be absent.

Localised made ground of soft grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble content and containing glass and ceramic remnants was encountered in trial pit TP19.

### 4.2 Groundwater

Minimal groundwater was encountered during the excavation of the individual exploratory holes.

Post fieldwork monitoring of the standpipes as installed in boreholes BH1, BH4 and BH5 revealed minimal groundwater.

## 5.0 LABORATORY TESTING

### 5.1 Geotechnical and Geochemical Laboratory Testing

Selected soil samples obtained as part of the investigation were tested at the laboratories of Queen's University, Belfast and Exova Jones Environmental, Deeside, Wales.

Laboratory testing comprised the following:

- Moisture content;
- Atterberg limits;
- UU Triaxial (Single Stage);
- Water soluble sulfate (SO<sub>4</sub>);
- pH.

Laboratory testing was undertaken in accordance with guidance presented in British Standard BS1377:1990, Methods of Test for Soils for Civil Engineering Purposes and Building Research Establishment (BRE) Special Digest 1 (2005).

## 5.2 Environmental Laboratory Testing

All environmental soil samples obtained as part of the investigation were transported to the laboratory of Exova Jones Environmental, Deeside, Wales.

The testing scheduled and results obtained, along with a discussion and interpretation of the same, are included in Appendix 5 as a GQRA report detailing the contaminative status of the site (compiled on behalf of GES by specialist environmental consultant Cove Environmental Consulting).

## 6.0 GEOTECHNICAL AND GEOCHEMICAL DESIGN CONSIDERATIONS

### 6.1 Introduction

At the time of preparation of this report it was our understanding that the proposed development will involve the construction of housing with associated access roads, car parking and soft landscaping. A proposed site layout plan is included in Appendix 3.

No specific details regarding the final site levels or potential foundation loadings were available at the time of preparation of this report. Given the above we have provided comments on geotechnical and geochemical design considerations assuming minimal alterations to existing site levels.

### 6.2 Foundation and Floor Design

It is our opinion that strip foundations and ground bearing floor slabs can be designed for in respect of individual housing units.

A safe bearing capacity of circa 125kN/m<sup>2</sup> can be designed for in respect of foundations bearing on the strata encountered within 0.75m of existing ground level.

The friable nature of the clay strata should be noted. If exposed to excess water (rainfall/groundwater inflow) softening will occur and a reduction in cohesive strength and hence bearing capacity.

### 6.3 Trench Excavation

Given the findings of the exploratory holes, and in particular the trial pit excavations (see excavation photographs as included in Appendix 3), it is our opinion the foundation and/or service trench excavations will experience minimal side wall instability or groundwater inflow.

The presence of rock at shallow depth should be noted. Locally there may be a requirement to use a rock hammer attachment to facilitate excavation, particularly if drainage service runs are required to be located at depths of greater than 2.0m to 2.5m begl.

### 6.4 Soil Sub-Grade Strength

No specific assessment of pavement sub-grade strength was requested as part of this investigation. However, given the ground conditions encountered it is our assumption that the sub-grade will primarily comprise firm to stiff friable sandy gravelly clay strata. Given the above, we recommend that a conservative design California Bearing Ratio (CBR) of 4% be adopted.

The friable nature of the clay strata should be noted. If exposed to excess water (rainfall/groundwater inflow) softening will occur and a reduction in cohesive strength and hence CBR value.

Should localised 'soft spots' be encountered during development we would recommend their removal and replacement with compacted granular fill. Consideration may also be given to the use of a geotextile layer at the interface between the sub-grade and sub-base layers.

A more detailed assessment of the anticipated sub-grade could be undertaken by means of plate load tests and the determination of equivalent CBR values.

### 6.5 Resistance of Buried Concrete to Sulfate Attack

An assessment of the Aggressive Chemical Environment for Concrete (ACEC) was undertaken through reference to the Building Research Establishment (BRE) Special Digest 1 (2005).

As noted by BRE Special Digest 1, sulfates in the soil and groundwater are the chemical agents most likely to attack concrete. The extent to which sulfates affect concrete is linked to their concentrations, the type of ground, the presence of groundwater, the type of concrete and the form of construction in which concrete is used.

BRE Special Digest 1 identifies four different categories of site which require specific procedures for investigation for aggressive ground conditions:

- Sites not subjected to previous development and not perceived as containing pyrite;
- Sites not subjected to previous development and perceived as containing pyrite;
- Brownfield sites not perceived as containing pyrite;
- Brownfield sites perceived as containing pyrite.

For the purposes of this report the site was classified as not having been subject to previous development and not perceived as containing pyrite.

The sulfate results, as reported in Appendix 4, refer to water soluble sulfate in 2:1 water soil extract ( $\text{SO}_4$ ) as per BRE Special Digest 1.

As 15 No. results were available the mean of the highest 20% of the results was taken as the characteristic site value, i.e. 0.04g/l ( $\text{SO}_4$ ).

The characteristic site value of soil pH was taken as the lowest result obtained, i.e. 7.9.

Based on the above, and a mobile groundwater table, the Design Sulfate Class for the site should be taken as DS-1 and the ACEC Class as AC-1. The above should be used in conjunction with guidance presented in Part D of BRE Special Digest 1 to specify the concrete type for the site.

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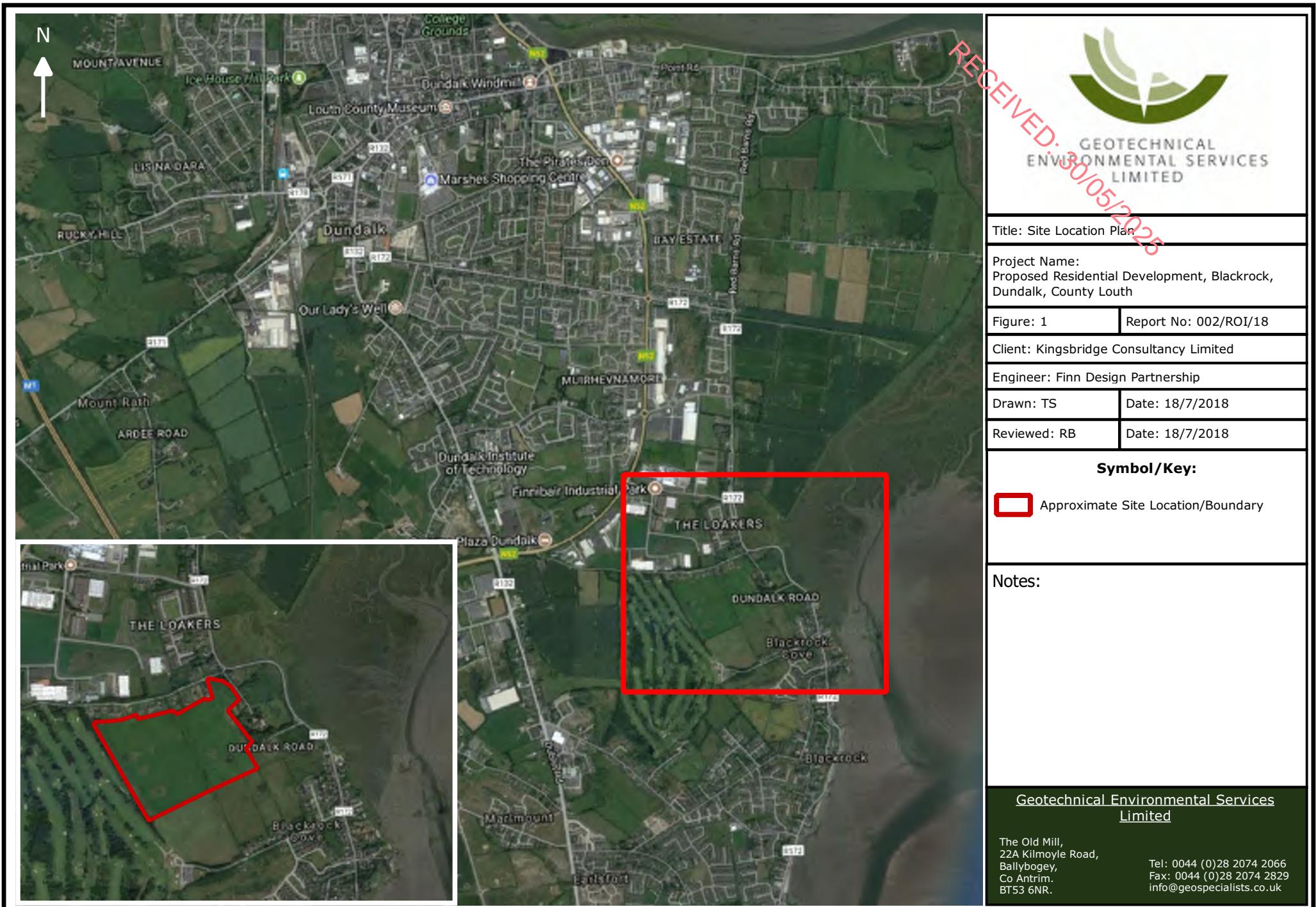


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## APPENDIX 1

### **SITE AND EXPLORATORY HOLE LOCATION PLANS; PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT LAYOUT PLAN**





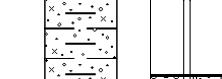
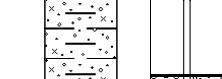
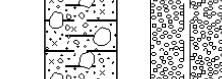
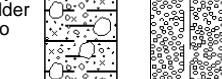
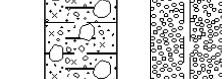
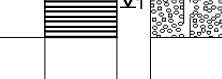
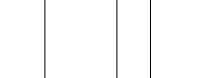


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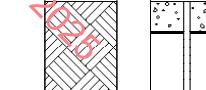
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## APPENDIX 2

### BOREHOLE LOGS

GEOTECHNICAL ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES LIMITED							Site Proposed Residential Development, Blackrock, Dundalk, County Louth.			Borehole Number <b>BH1</b>		
Boring Method Geoprobe 6620DT Drill Rig. Percussion sampling to 3.60m depth.		Casing Diameter Borehole diam. 101mm to 3.60m		Ground Level (mOD) 16.98		Client Kingsbridge Consultancy Limited			Job Number 02.ROI18	RECEIVED: 30/05/2018		
		Location (Handheld GPS) 306654.9 E 304337.21 N		Dates 14/06/2018		Engineer Finn Design Partnership			Sheet 1/1	RECEIVED: 30/05/2018		
Depth (m)	Sample / Tests	Casing Depth (m)	Water Depth (m)	Field Records	Level (mOD)	Depth (m) (Thickness)	Description		Legend	Water Instr		
0.25	D1				16.73	0.25 (0.25)	TOPSOIL.					
0.50	ES1					(0.55)	Very stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY containing rootlets. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.					
0.80	D2				16.18	0.80	Firm to stiff medium to high strength friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.					
1.00 1.00-1.45	ES2 U1		DRY	72 blows		(1.20)						
1.45	D3											
2.00-2.45 2.00 2.00 2.00-2.45	SPT N=19 D5 ES3 D4		DRY	3,3/3,6,5,5	14.98	2.00 (0.80)	Firm to stiff friable light brown grey slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.					
2.80	D6				14.18	2.80	Highly weathered destructured GREYWACKE: Recovered as light grey brown angular GRAVEL sized fragments in a silt matrix.					
3.00-3.45 3.00 3.00-3.45	SPT N=22 ES4 D7		DRY	3,7/6,3,5,8		(0.94)						
3.60-3.74 3.60-3.74	SPT 25*/50 50/90 D8			3.64 25/43,7 Steady(1) at 3.64m. 14/06/2018:3.64m	13.24	3.74	Complete at 3.74m					
<b>Remarks</b> No obvious visual or olfactory evidence of contamination. ES=Environmental soil sample comprising 1x400g capacity plastic tub, 1x250g capacity amber glass jar and 1x60g capacity amber glass vial.									Scale (approx)	Logged By		
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<b>Installation Type</b> Standpipe		<b>Dimensions</b> Internal Diameter of Tube [A] = 50 mm Diameter of Filter Zone = 101 mm				<b>Client</b> Kingsbridge Consultancy Limited				<b>Job Number</b> 02.ROI18		<b>RECEIVED: 20/06/2018</b>																															
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GEOTECHNICAL ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES LIMITED							Site Proposed Residential Development, Blackrock, Dundalk, County Louth.			Borehole Number <b>BH2</b>
Boring Method Geoprobe 6620DT Drill Rig. Percussion sampling to 4.0m depth.		Casing Diameter Borehole diam. 101mm to 4.00m		Ground Level (mOD) 21.20		Client Kingsbridge Consultancy Limited			Job Number 02.ROI18	
		Location (Handheld GPS) 306780.67 E 304123.71 N		Dates 13/06/2018		Engineer Finn Design Partnership			Sheet 1/1	
Depth (m)	Sample / Tests	Casing Depth (m)	Water Depth (m)	Field Records	Level (mOD)	Depth (m) (Thickness)	Description	Legend	Water	Instr
0.30	D1				20.90	0.30 (0.30)	TOPSOIL.			
0.50	ES1					(0.70)				
1.00 1.00 1.00-1.45	D2 ES2 U1		DRY	46 blows	20.20	1.00				
1.45	D3									
2.00-2.45 2.00 2.00-2.45	SPT N=27 ES3 D4		DRY	2,4/4,4,4,15		(2.00)				
3.00 3.00 3.00-3.45	D5 ES4 U2		DRY	66 blows	18.20	3.00 (0.60)				
3.45	D6				17.60	3.60				
3.60	D7					(0.77)				
4.00-4.37 4.00-4.37	SPT 50/220 D8		DRY	1,5/10,13,23,4	16.83	4.37	Highly weathered destructured GREYWACKE: Recovered as light grey brown angular fine to course GRAVEL sized fragments in a silty clay matrix.			
				13/06/2018:DRY			Complete at 4.37m			
<b>Remarks</b> No obvious visual or olfactory evidence of contamination. ES=Environmental soil sample comprising 1x400g capacity plastic tub, 1x250g capacity amber glass jar and 1x60g capacity amber glass vial.								Scale (approx)	Logged By	
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Borehole  
 Number  
**BH3**

Boring Method		Casing Diameter		Ground Level (mOD)		Client		Job Number	
Geoprobe 6620DT Drill Rig. Percussion sampling to 3.0m depth.		Borehole diam. 101mm to 3.00m		12.60		Kingsbridge Consultancy Limited		02.ROI18	
		Location (Handheld GPS)		Dates		Engineer		Sheet	
		306842.78 E 304306.16 N		13/06/2018		Finn Design Partnership		1/1	
Depth (m)	Sample / Tests	Casing Depth (m)	Water Depth (m)	Field Records	Level (mOD)	Depth (m) (Thickness)	Description		Legend
									Water
0.25	D1				12.35	0.25 (0.25)	TOPSOIL.		
0.50 0.55	ES1 D2				12.05	0.55 (0.30)	Very stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY containing rootlets. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.		
1.00-1.45 1.00 1.00 1.00-1.45	SPT N=17 D3 ES2 D4	DRY	3,5/7,4,3,3		11.60	1.00 (0.30)	Stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.		
1.30	D5				11.30	1.30	Medium dense brown grey silty sandy fine to medium GRAVEL. Gravel is sub-angular to sub-rounded.		
1.50-1.95	U1	DRY	53 blows						
1.95 2.00	D6 ES3								
2.10-2.55 2.10-2.55	SPT N=13 D7	DRY	2,2/3,3,3,4						
2.65	D8				9.95	2.65	Firm medium strength friable grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Also containing lenses of silty sandy fine to medium GRAVEL. Gravel is sub-angular to sub-rounded.		
3.00-3.40 3.00-3.40	SPT 50/250 D9	DRY	6,7/8,13,16,13		9.20	0.75 (0.75)			
				13/06/2018:DRY		3.40	Highly weathered destructured GREYWACKE: Recovered as light grey brown angular fine to coarse GRAVEL sized fragments in a silty clay matrix.		
							Complete at 3.40m		
<b>Remarks</b> No obvious visual or olfactory evidence of contamination. ES=Environmental soil sample comprising 1x400g capacity plastic tub, 1x250g capacity amber glass jar and 1x60g capacity amber glass vial.								Scale (approx)	Logged By
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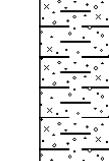
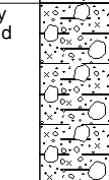


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## Site

Proposed Residential Development, Blackrock, Dundalk, County Louth

**Borehole  
Number**  
**BH4**

Boring Method		Casing Diameter		Ground Level (mOD)		Client			Job Number
Geoprobe 6620DT Drill Rig. Percussion sampling to 2.0m depth.		Borehole diam. 101mm to 2.00m		9.88		Kingsbridge Consultancy Limited			02.ROI18
		Location (Handheld GPS)		Dates		Engineer			Sheet 1/1
Depth (m)	Sample / Tests	Casing Depth (m)	Water Depth (m)	Field Records	Level (mOD)	Depth (m) (Thickness)	Description		Legend
0.35	D1					(0.35)	TOPSOIL.		
0.50	ES1				9.53	0.35 (0.55)	Very stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY containing rootlets. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.		
0.90	D2				8.98	0.90 (0.80)	Stiff high strength friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.		
1.00-1.45	SPT N=21		DRY	2,2/3,5,6,7					
1.00	ES2		DRY	56 blows					
1.00-1.45	U1								
1.45	D3								
1.70	D4				8.18	1.70 (0.53)	Highly weathered destructured GREYWACKE: Recovered as light grey brown angular fine to coarse GRAVEL sized fragments in a silty clay matrix.		
2.00-2.23	SPT 25*/100		DRY	18,7/30,20					
2.00-2.23	50/130								
	D5								
				13/06/2018:DRY					
							Complete at 2.23m		

## Remarks

**Remarks** No obvious visual or olfactory evidence of contamination.

ES—Environmental soil sample comprising 1x400g capacity plastic tub, 1x250g capacity amber glass jar and 1x60g capacity amber glass vial.

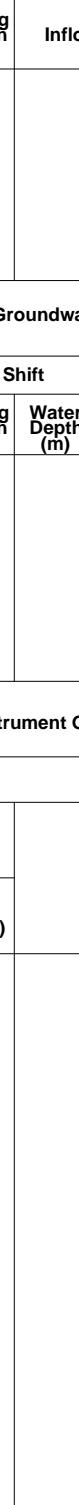
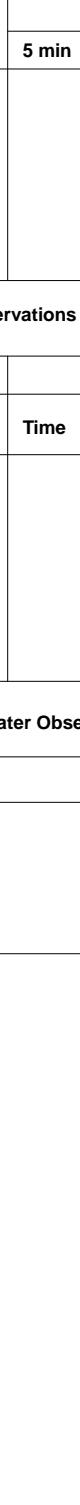
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<b>Installation Type</b> Single Installation		<b>Dimensions</b> Internal Diameter of Tube [A] = 50 mm Diameter of Filter Zone = 101 mm				<b>Client</b> Kingsbridge Consultancy Limited						<b>Job Number</b> 02.ROI18						
		<b>Location</b> 306941.38 E 304407.86 N		<b>Ground Level (mOD)</b> 9.88		<b>Engineer</b> Finn Design Partnership						<b>Sheet</b> 1/1						
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GEOTECHNICAL ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES LIMITED						Site Proposed Residential Development, Blackrock, Dundalk, County Louth.	Borehole Number <b>BH5</b>
Boring Method Geoprobe 6620DT Drill Rig. Percussion sampling to 3.0m depth.		Casing Diameter Borehole diam. 101mm to 3.00m		Ground Level (mOD) 13.86	Client Kingsbridge Consultancy Limited	Job Number 02.ROI18	
		Location (Handheld GPS) 307041.54 E 304224.64 N		Dates 13/06/2018	Engineer Finn Design Partnership	Sheet 1/1	
Depth (m)	Sample / Tests	Casing Depth (m)	Water Depth (m)	Field Records	Level (mOD)	Depth (m) (Thickness)	
0.30	D1				13.56	(0.30)	
0.50	ES1				13.16	(0.40)	
0.70	D2				13.16	0.70	
1.00 1.00-1.45	ES2 U1	DRY	60 blows			(1.85)	
1.45	D3						
2.00-2.45 2.00 2.00-2.45	SPT N=28 ES3 D4	DRY	2,3/3,4,6,15		11.31	2.55	
2.55	D5					(0.72)	
3.00-3.27 3.00-3.27	SPT 25*/100 50/170 D6	DRY	19,6/23,22,5		10.59	3.27	
				13/06/2018:DRY			
<b>Remarks</b> No obvious visual or olfactory evidence of contamination. ES=Environmental soil sample comprising 1x400g capacity plastic tub, 1x250g capacity amber glass jar and 1x60g capacity amber glass vial.						Scale (approx) 1:25	
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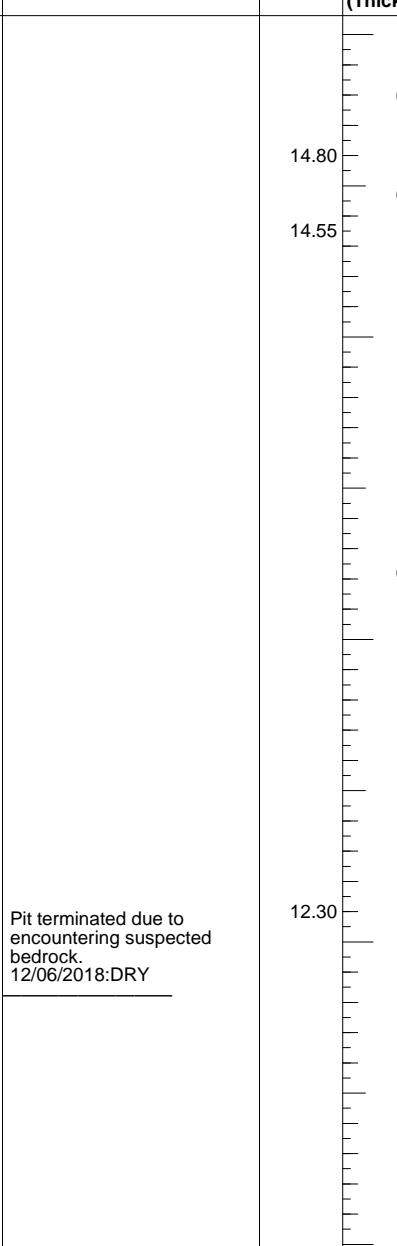
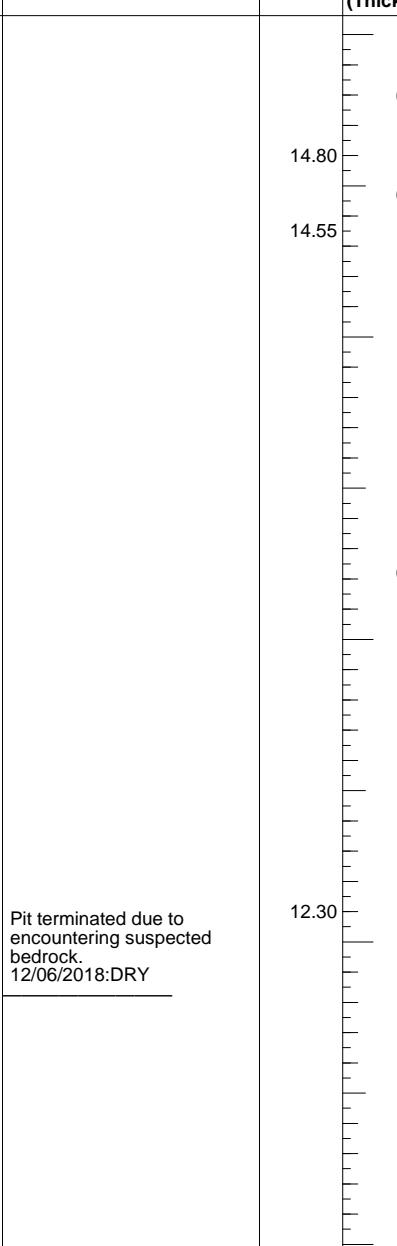
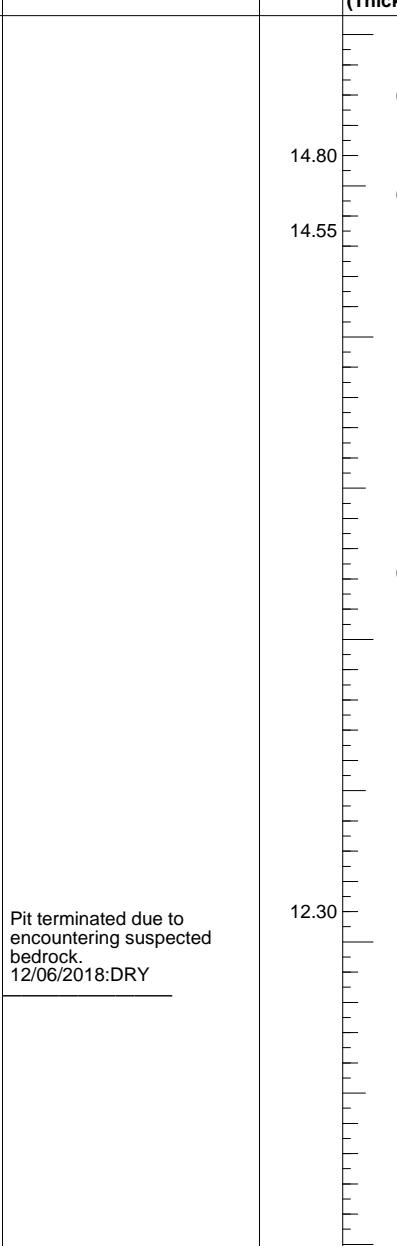
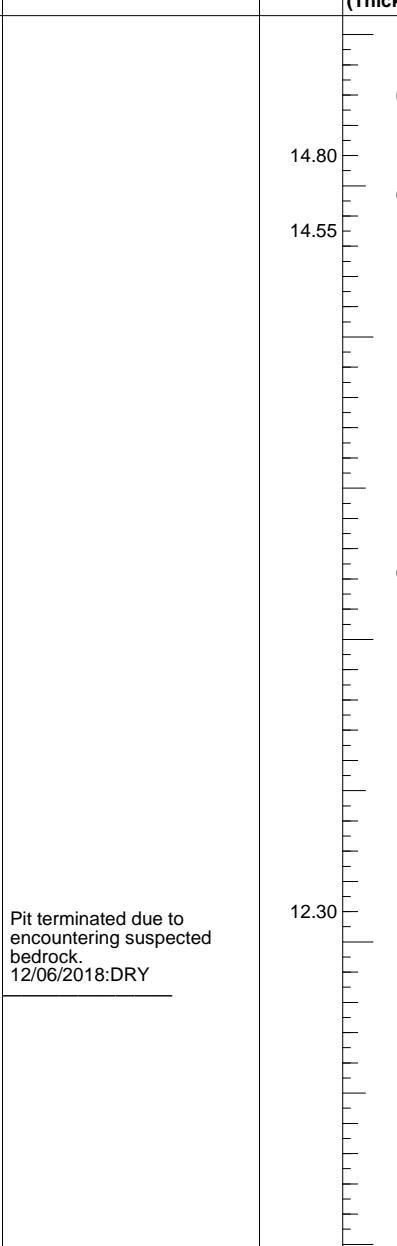
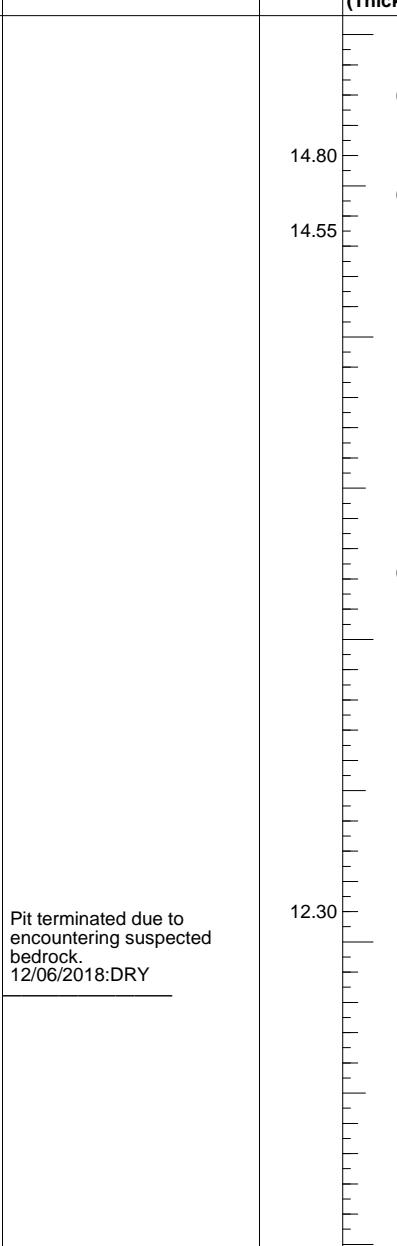
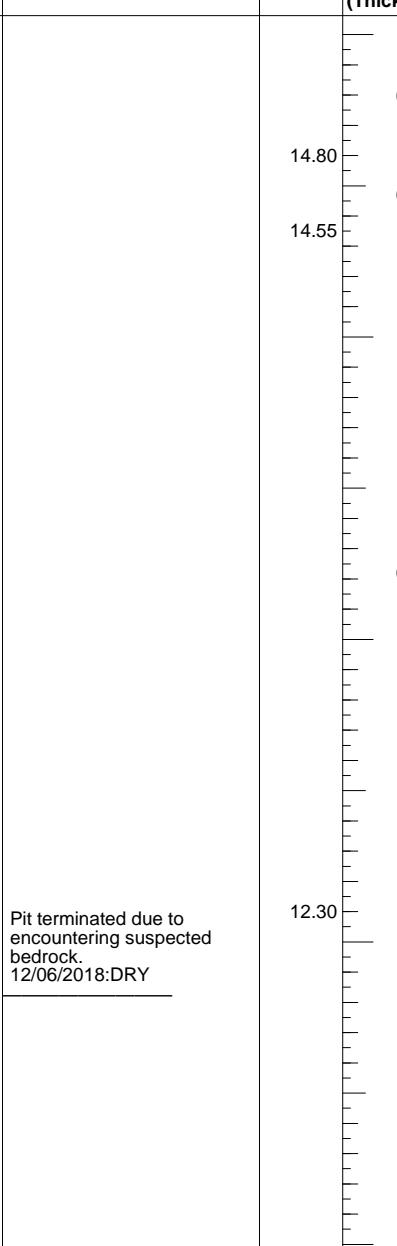


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### APPENDIX 3

#### TRIAL PIT LOGS; PHOTOGRAPHS OF TRIAL PITS, RESULTING SPOIL AND REINSTATEMENT

 <b>GEOTECHNICAL ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES LIMITED</b>					<b>Site</b> Proposed Residential Development, Blackrock, Dundalk, County Louth.		<b>Trial Pit Number</b> <b>TP1</b>					
<b>Excavation Method</b> 13T tracked excavator.		<b>Dimensions</b>		<b>Ground Level (mOD)</b> 15.20		<b>Client</b> Kingsbridge Consultancy Limited		<b>Job Number</b> 02.ROI18				
		<b>Location (Handheld GPS)</b> 306579.21 E 304369.05 N		<b>Dates</b> 12/06/2018		<b>Engineer</b> Finn Design Partnership		<b>Sheet</b> 1/1				
<b>Depth (m)</b>		<b>Sample / Tests</b>		<b>Water Depth (m)</b>	<b>Field Records</b>		<b>Level (mOD)</b>	<b>Depth (m) (Thickness)</b>				
0.40 0.50 0.65 1.00 1.60 2.00 2.50 2.50 2.90		D1 ES1 D2 ES2 D3 ES3 D4 ES4 D5										
<b>Plan</b>		<b>Remarks</b>		Pit side walls stable. No obvious visual or olfactory evidence of contamination. ES=Environmental soil sample comprising 1x400g capacity plastic tub, 1x250g capacity amber glass jar and 1x60g capacity amber glass vial.								
				<b>Scale (approx)</b> 1:25		<b>Logged By</b> TS		<b>Figure No.</b> 02.ROI18.TP1				

GEOTECHNICAL ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES LIMITED					Site Proposed Residential Development, Blackrock, Dundalk, County Louth.	Trial Pit Number <b>TP2</b>
Excavation Method 13T Tracked Excavator		Dimensions		Ground Level (mOD) 16.78	Client Kingsbridge Consultancy Limited	Job Number 02.ROI18
		Location 306626.56 E 304279.76 N		Dates 11/06/2018	Engineer Finn Design Partnership	Sheet 1/1
Depth (m)	Sample / Tests	Water Depth (m)	Field Records	Level (mOD)	Depth (m) (Thickness)	Description
0.30	D1			16.48	(0.30)	TOPSOIL.
0.50	ES1				(0.60)	Stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.
0.90	D2			15.88	0.90	
1.00	ES2				(0.50)	Firm friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.
1.40	D3			15.38	1.40 (0.20)	Highly weathered destructured GREYWACKE: Recovered as light grey brown angular fine to coarse GRAVEL sized fragments.
			11/06/2018:DRY	15.18	1.60	Complete at 1.60m
Plan				Remarks		
				Pit side walls stable. No obvious visual or olfactory evidence of contamination. ES=Environmental soil sample comprising 1x400g capacity plastic tub, 1x250g capacity amber glass jar and 1x60g capacity amber glass vial.		
				Scale (approx)	Logged By	Figure No.
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GEOTECHNICAL ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES LIMITED					Site Proposed Residential Development, Blackrock, Dundalk, County Louth.	Trial Pit Number <b>TP3</b>
Excavation Method 13T Tracked Excavator		Dimensions		Ground Level (mOD) 18.61	Client Kingsbridge Consultancy Limited	Job Number 02.ROI18
		Location (Handheld GPS) 306693.33 E 304174.95 N		Dates 11/06/2018	Engineer Finn Design Partnership	Sheet 1/1
Depth (m)	Sample / Tests	Water Depth (m)	Field Records	Level (mOD)	Depth (m) (Thickness)	Description
						Legend
						Water
0.30	D1			18.31	0.30 (0.30)	TOPSOIL.
0.50	ES1				0.50 (0.40)	Stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.
0.70	D2			17.91	0.70 (0.90)	Stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.
1.00	ES2					
1.60	D3			17.01	1.60 (0.80)	Firm to stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.
2.00	ES3					
2.40	D4			16.21	2.40 (0.20)	Highly weathered destructured GREYWACKE: Recovered as light grey brown angular fine to coarse GRAVEL sized fragments.
			11/06/2018:DRY	16.01	2.60	Complete at 2.60m
Plan				Remarks		
				Pit side walls stable. No obvious visual or olfactory evidence of contamination. ES=Environmental soil sample comprising 1x400g capacity plastic tub, 1x250g capacity amber glass jar and 1x60g capacity amber glass vial.		
				Scale (approx)	Logged By	Figure No.
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Number  
**TP4**

**Excavation Method**  
13T Tracked Excavator

**Dimensions**

**Ground Level (mOD)**  
21.22

**Client**  
Kingsbridge Consultancy Limited

**Job  
Number**  
02.ROI18

**Location (Handheld GPS)**  
306756.22 E 304072.47 N

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**Depth (m)**

**Sample / Tests**

**Water Depth (m)**

**Field Records**

**Level (mOD)**

**Depth (m)  
(Thickness)**

**Description**

**Legend**

**Water**

0.20

D1

21.02

(0.20)  
0.20

TOPSOIL.



0.40

D2

20.82

(0.20)  
0.40

Stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.



0.50

ES1

(0.50)

Stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.



0.90

D3

20.32

0.90

Stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.



1.00

ES2

(0.60)

1.50

D4

19.72

1.50

Highly weathered destructured GREYWACKE: Recovered as light grey brown angular fine to coarse GRAVEL sized fragments in a silty clay matrix.



11/06/2018:DRY

18.82

2.40

Complete at 2.40m



**Plan**

**Remarks**

Pit side walls stable.  
No obvious visual or olfactory evidence of contamination.  
ES=Environmental soil sample comprising 1x400g capacity plastic tub, 1x250g capacity amber glass jar and 1x60g capacity amber glass vial.

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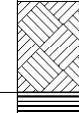
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**Trial Pit Number**  
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Excavation Method		Dimensions	Ground Level (mOD)		Client		Job Number
13T Tracked Excavator				20.52	Kingsbridge Consultancy Limited		02.ROI18
		Location (Handheld GPS)	Dates		Engineer		Sheet 1/1
Depth (m)	Sample / Tests	Water Depth (m)	Field Records	Level (mOD)	Depth (m) (Thickness)	Description	Legend Water
0.20	D1			20.32	(0.20) 0.20	TOPSOIL.	
0.50	ES1				(0.70)	Stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.	
0.90	D2			19.62	0.90		
1.00	ES2				(0.60)	Stiff friable light grey brown with dark brown mottling slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.	
1.50	D3			19.02	1.50	Firm to stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.	
2.00	ES3				(0.90)		
2.40	D4			18.12	2.40	Very stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.	
			Pit terminated due to encountering suspected bedrock. 11/06/2018:DRY	17.42	3.10	Complete at 3.10m	
Plan				Remarks			
				Pit side walls stable. No obvious visual or olfactory evidence of contamination. ES=Environmental soil sample comprising 1x400g capacity plastic tub, 1x250g capacity amber glass jar and 1x60g capacity amber glass vial.			
				Scale (approx)	Logged By	Figure No.	
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 <b>GEOTECHNICAL ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES LIMITED</b>						<b>Site</b> Proposed Residential Development, Blackrock, Dundalk, County Louth.	<b>Trial Pit Number</b> <b>TP6</b>
<b>Excavation Method</b> 13T Tracked Excavator		<b>Dimensions</b>		<b>Ground Level (mOD)</b> 19.24		<b>Client</b> Kingsbridge Consultancy Limited	
		<b>Location (Handheld GPS)</b> 306793.48 E 304211.44 N		<b>Dates</b> 11/06/2018		<b>Engineer</b> Finn Design Partnership	
Depth (m)	Sample / Tests	Water Depth (m)	Field Records	Level (mOD)	Depth (m) (Thickness)	Description	Legend
							Water
0.25	D1			18.99	(0.25)	TOPSOIL.	
0.50	ES1				(0.65)	Stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.	
0.90	D2			18.34	0.90		
1.00	ES2				(1.10)	Highly weathered destructured GREYWACKE: Recovered as light grey brown angular fine to coarse GRAVEL sized fragments in a silty clay matrix.	
2.00	D3		11/06/2018:DRY	17.24	2.00	Complete at 2.00m	
<b>Plan</b>				<b>Remarks</b>			
				Pit side walls stable. No obvious visual or olfactory evidence of contamination. ES=Environmental soil sample comprising 1x400g capacity plastic tub, 1x250g capacity amber glass jar and 1x60g capacity amber glass vial.			
				<b>Scale (approx)</b> 1:25	<b>Logged By</b> TS	<b>Figure No.</b> 02.ROI18.TP6	

 <p>GEOTECHNICAL ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES LIMITED</p>					<p><b>Site</b> Proposed Residential Development, Blackrock, Dundalk, County Louth.</p>		<p><b>Trial Pit Number</b> <b>TP7</b></p>				
<b>Excavation Method</b> 13T Tracked Excavator.		<b>Dimensions</b>		<b>Ground Level (mOD)</b> 17.63		<b>Client</b> Kingsbridge Consultancy Limited		<b>Job Number</b> 02.ROI18			
		<b>Location (Handheld GPS)</b> 306747.77 E 304299.49 N		<b>Dates</b> 12/06/2018		<b>Engineer</b> Finn Design Partnership		<b>Sheet</b> 1/1			
<b>Depth (m)</b>		<b>Sample / Tests</b>		<b>Water Depth (m)</b>	<b>Field Records</b>		<b>Level (mOD)</b>	<b>Depth (m) (Thickness)</b>			
0.30		D1		12/06/2018:DRY			<p><b>Description</b></p> <p>TOPSOIL.</p> <p>Highly weathered GREYWACKE: Recovered as grey angular fine to coarse GRAVEL sized fragments.</p> <p>Complete at 0.40m</p>				
											
<b>Plan</b>					<b>Remarks</b> <p>Pit side walls stable. No obvious visual or olfactory evidence of contamination. ES=Environmental soil sample comprising 1x400g capacity plastic tub, 1x250g capacity amber glass jar and 1x60g capacity amber glass vial.</p>						
					<b>Scale (approx)</b> 1:25	<b>Logged By</b> TS	<b>Figure No.</b> 02.ROI18.TP7				

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Excavation Method 13T Tracked Excavator		Dimensions		Ground Level (mOD) 15.28		Client Kingsbridge Consultancy Limited	Job Number 02.ROI18
		Location (Handheld GPS) 306693.09 E 304384.08 N		Dates 12/06/2018		Engineer Finn Design Partnership	Sheet 1/1
Depth (m)	Sample / Tests	Water Depth (m)	Field Records	Level (mOD)	Depth (m) (Thickness)	Description	Legend
							Water
0.30	D1			14.98	0.30 (0.30)	TOPSOIL.	
0.50	ES1			14.58	0.70 (0.40)	Very stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.	
0.70	D2			14.18	1.10 (0.40)	Stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.	
1.00	ES2						
1.10	D3						
2.00	ES3				(2.00)		
2.50	D4						
3.00	ES4		Pit terminated due to encountering suspected bedrock. 12/06/2018:DRY	12.18	3.10	Complete at 3.10m	
Plan						Remarks	
						Pit side walls stable. No obvious visual or olfactory evidence of contamination. ES=Environmental soil sample comprising 1x400g capacity plastic tub, 1x250g capacity amber glass jar and 1x60g capacity amber glass vial.	
						Scale (approx) 1:25	Logged By TS
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**Trial Pit Number**  
**TP9**

**Excavation Method**  
13T Tracked Excavator

**Dimensions**

**Ground Level (mOD)**  
11.61

**Client**  
Kingsbridge Consultancy Limited

**Job Number**  
02.ROI18

**Location (Handheld GPS)**  
306787.66 E 304405.92 N

**Dates**  
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**Depth (m)**

**Sample / Tests**

**Water Depth (m)**

**Field Records**

**Level (mOD)**

**Depth (m)  
(Thickness)**

**Description**

**Legend**

**Water**

0.25

D1

11.36

(0.25)

TOPSOIL.



0.35

D2

11.26

(0.10)

Very stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.



1.30

D3

10.31

(0.95)

Light grey brown clayey silty sandy fine to coarse GRAVEL with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.



1.30

ES1

1.30

(1.20)

Stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.



2.50

D4

9.11

2.50

(0.30)

Stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.



2.50

ES2

8.81

2.80

Complete at 2.80m

**Plan**

**Remarks**

Pit side walls stable.  
No obvious visual or olfactory evidence of contamination.  
ES=Environmental soil sample comprising 1x400g capacity plastic tub, 1x250g capacity amber glass jar and 1x60g capacity amber glass vial.

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Trial Pit Number  
**TP10**

<b>Excavation Method</b> 13T tracked excavator.			<b>Dimensions</b> Location 307019.8 E 304421.84 N	<b>Ground Level (mOD)</b> 8.72	<b>Client</b> Kingsbridge Consultancy Limited	<b>Job Number</b> 02.ROI18		
			<b>Location</b> 307019.8 E 304421.84 N	<b>Dates</b> 12/06/2018	<b>Engineer</b> Finn Design Partnership	<b>Sheet</b> 1/1		
Depth (m)	Sample / Tests	Water Depth (m)	Field Records	Level (mOD)	Depth (m) (Thickness)	Description	Legend	Water
0.35 0.50	D1 ES1			8.37	(0.35) 0.35	TOPSOIL.		
1.00	ES2				(2.45)	Damp light grey brown silty sandy fine to coarse GRAVEL (damp). Gravel is sub-angular to sub-rounded.		
2.00	ES3							
2.80	D2			5.92	2.80 (0.30)	Firm to stiff friable light brown grey slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.		
3.00	ES4		Pit terminated due to encountering suspected bedrock. 12/06/2018:DRY	5.62	3.10	Complete at 3.10m		
<b>Plan</b>					<b>Remarks</b> <p>Pit side walls slightly unstable. No obvious visual or olfactory evidence of contamination. ES=Environmental soil sample comprising 1x400g capacity plastic tub, 1x250g capacity amber glass jar and 1x60g capacity amber glass vial.</p>			
					<b>Scale (approx)</b> 1:50	<b>Logged By</b> TS	<b>Figure No.</b> 02.ROI18.TP10	

 <b>GEOTECHNICAL ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES LIMITED</b>						<b>Site</b> Proposed Residential Development, Blackrock, Dundalk, County Louth.	<b>Trial Pit Number</b> <b>TP11</b>
<b>Excavation Method</b> 13T Tracked Excavator.		<b>Dimensions</b>		<b>Ground Level (mOD)</b> 15.38		<b>Client</b> Kingsbridge Consultancy Limited	
		<b>Location (Handheld GPS)</b> 306876.56 E 304239.78 N		<b>Dates</b> 12/06/2018		<b>Engineer</b> Finn Design Partnership	
Depth (m)	Sample / Tests	Water Depth (m)	Field Records	Level (mOD)	Depth (m) (Thickness)	Description	Legend Water
0.30	D1			15.08	0.30 (0.30)	TOPSOIL.	
0.50	ES1			14.78	0.60 (0.30)	Very stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.	
0.60	D2			13.98	1.40 (0.80)	Stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.	
1.00	ES2			13.98	1.40 (1.00)	Firm to stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.	
1.40	D3			12.98	2.40 (0.30)	Very stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.	
2.00	ES3			12.68	2.70 (0.30)	Complete at 2.70m	
2.40	D4		Pit terminated due to encountering suspected bedrock. 12/06/2018:DRY				
<b>Plan</b>				<b>Remarks</b>			
				Pit side walls stable. No obvious visual or olfactory evidence of contamination. ES=Environmental soil sample comprising 1x400g capacity plastic tub, 1x250g capacity amber glass jar and 1x60g capacity amber glass vial.			
				<b>Scale (approx)</b> 1:25		<b>Logged By</b> TS	<b>Figure No.</b> 02.ROI18.TP11

GEOTECHNICAL ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES LIMITED					Site Proposed Residential Development, Blackrock, Dundalk, County Louth.	Trial Pit Number <b>TP12</b>
Excavation Method 13T Tracked Excavator		Dimensions		Ground Level (mOD) 16.07	Client Kingsbridge Consultancy Limited	Job Number 02.ROI18
		Location (Handheld GPS) 306922.36 E 304148.94 N		Dates 11/06/2018	Engineer Finn Design Partnership	Sheet 1/1
Depth (m)	Sample / Tests	Water Depth (m)	Field Records	Level (mOD)	Depth (m) (Thickness)	Description
0.20 0.30 0.50	D1 D2 ES1			15.87 15.77	(0.20) 0.20 0.30	TOPSOIL. Stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.
1.00	ES2				(1.30)	Stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.
2.00	ES3			14.47	1.60	Firm to stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.
2.60	D3		Pit terminated due to encountering suspected bedrock. 11/06/2018:DRY	13.47 12.97	2.60 (0.50) 3.10	Stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.
						Complete at 3.10m
Plan				Remarks		
				Pit side walls stable. No obvious visual or olfactory evidence of contamination. ES=Environmental soil sample comprising 1x400g capacity plastic tub, 1x250g capacity amber glass jar and 1x60g capacity amber glass vial.		
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**TP13**

Excavation Method			Dimensions		Ground Level (mOD)		Client		Job Number						
13T Tracked Excavator					15.28		Kingsbridge Consultancy Limited		02.ROI18						
			Location (Handheld GPS)		Dates		Engineer		Sheet						
			306999.22 E 304199.02 N		12/06/2018		Finn Design Partnership		1/1						
Depth (m)	Sample / Tests	Water Depth (m)	Field Records		Level (mOD)	Depth (m) (Thickness)	Description			Legend					
										Water					
0.30	D1				14.98	0.30 (0.30)	TOPSOIL.								
0.50	D2				14.78	0.50 (0.20)	Very stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY containing rootlets. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.								
0.50	ES1						Stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.								
1.00	ES2					(1.10)									
1.60	D3				13.68	1.60	Firm to stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.								
2.00	ES3					(1.00)									
2.60	D4				12.68	2.60 (0.20)	Very stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.								
			Pit terminated due to encountering suspected bedrock. 12/06/2018:DRY		12.48	2.80	Complete at 2.80m								
Plan						Remarks									
						Pit side walls stable. No obvious visual or olfactory evidence of contamination. ES=Environmental soil sample comprising 1x400g capacity plastic tub, 1x250g capacity amber glass jar and 1x60g capacity amber glass vial.									
						Scale (approx)		Logged By	Figure No.						
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<b>Excavation Method</b> 13T Tracked Excavator		<b>Dimensions</b>		<b>Ground Level (mOD)</b> 14.06	<b>Client</b> Kingsbridge Consultancy Limited		<b>Job Number</b> 02.ROI18
		<b>Location (Handheld GPS)</b> 306940.76 E 304293.7 N		<b>Dates</b> 12/06/2018	<b>Engineer</b> Finn Design Partnership		<b>Sheet</b> 1/1
<b>Depth (m)</b>	<b>Sample / Tests</b>	<b>Water Depth (m)</b>	<b>Field Records</b>	<b>Level (mOD)</b>	<b>Depth (m) (Thickness)</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Legend</b>
0.35	D1			13.71	(0.35) 0.35 (0.70)	TOPSOIL.  Highly weathered destructured GREYWACKE: Recovered as grey and light grey brown angular fine to coarse GRAVEL sized fragments in a silty clay matrix.	 
			12/06/2018:DRY	13.01	1.05	Complete at 1.05m	
<b>Plan</b>					<b>Remarks</b> <p>Pit side walls stable. No obvious visual or olfactory evidence of contamination. ES=Environmental soil sample comprising 1x400g capacity plastic tub, 1x250g capacity amber glass jar and 1x60g capacity amber glass vial.</p>		
					<b>Scale (approx)</b> 1:25	<b>Logged By</b> TS	<b>Figure No.</b> 02.ROI18.TP14



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**Trial Pit Number**  
**TP15**

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Excavation Method		Dimensions	Ground Level (mOD)	Client	Job Number			
13T tracked excavator.			10.82	Kingsbridge Consultancy Limited	02.ROI18			
		Location (Handheld GPS)	Dates	Engineer	Sheet			
		306885.87 E 304404.37 N	12/06/2018	Finn Design Partnership	1/1			
Depth (m)	Sample / Tests	Water Depth (m)	Field Records	Level (mOD)	Depth (m) (Thickness)	Description	Legend	Water
0.30	D1			10.52	0.30 (0.30)	TOPSOIL.		
0.50	D2			10.32	0.30 (0.20)	Very stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY. Also containing rootlets. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.		
0.50	ES1				0.50	Stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.		
1.00	ES2				(1.30)			
1.80	D3			9.02	1.80	Firm to stiff friable light brown grey slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.		
2.00	ES3				(1.20)			
3.00	ES4		Pit terminated due to encountering suspected bedrock. 12/06/2018:DRY	7.82	3.00	Complete at 3.00m		
<b>Plan</b>					<b>Remarks</b>			
					Pit side walls stable. No obvious visual or olfactory evidence of contamination. ES=Environmental soil sample comprising 1x400g capacity plastic tub, 1x250g capacity amber glass jar and 1x60g capacity amber glass vial.			
					<b>Scale (approx)</b>	<b>Logged By</b>	<b>Figure No.</b>	
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**Excavation Method**  
13T tracked excavator.

**Dimensions**

**Ground Level (mOD)**  
10.01

**Client**  
Kingsbridge Consultancy Limited

**Job Number**  
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**Location (Handheld GPS)**  
306950.41 E 304436.51 N

**Dates**  
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**Depth (m)**
**Sample / Tests**
**Water Depth (m)**
**Field Records**
**Level (mOD)**
**Depth (m)  
(Thickness)**
**Description**
**Legend**
**Water**

0.30
D1
0.30

9.71
0.30  
(0.10)
TOPSOIL.


0.30
ES1
0.40

9.61
0.40  
(0.20)
Very stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY containing roots and rootlets. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.


0.40
D2


9.41
0.60
Highly weathered destructured GREYWACKE: Recovered as light grey and grey brown angular fine to coarse GRAVEL sized fragments.


Complete at 0.60m

**Plan**
**Remarks**

Pit side walls stable.  
No obvious visual or olfactory evidence of contamination.  
ES=Environmental soil sample comprising 1x400g capacity plastic tub, 1x250g capacity amber glass jar and 1x60g capacity amber glass vial.

**Scale (approx)**
**Logged By**
**Figure No.**

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Excavation Method 13T Tracked Excavator		Dimensions		Ground Level (mOD) 9.38	Client Kingsbridge Consultancy Limited	Job Number 02.ROI18
		Location (Handheld GPS) 306996.72 E 304498.59 N		Dates 12/06/2018	Engineer Finn Design Partnership	Sheet 1/1
Depth (m)	Sample / Tests	Water Depth (m)	Field Records	Level (mOD)	Depth (m) (Thickness)	Description
0.35	D1			9.03	(0.35)	TOPSOIL.
0.50	ES1			8.78	0.35 (0.25)	Light grey brown silty fine SAND.
0.60	D2			8.63	0.60 (0.15)	Light grey brown silty fine SAND (damp).
0.75	D3			8.38	0.75 (0.25)	Firm friable brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.
1.00	D4 ES2	1.00		8.38	1.00	Grey brown silty sandy fine to coarse GRAVEL with cobble content (damp). Gravel is sub-angular to sub-rounded.
					(1.60)	
2.00	ES3			6.78	2.60	
2.60	D5			6.28	(0.50)	Firm to stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.
3.00	ES4		Pit terminated due to encountering suspected bedrock. 12/06/2018:DRY	6.28	3.10	Complete at 3.10m
Plan				Remarks		
				Pit side walls unstable. No obvious visual or olfactory evidence of contamination. ES=Environmental soil sample comprising 1x400g capacity plastic tub, 1x250g capacity amber glass jar and 1x60g capacity amber glass vial.		
				Scale (approx)	Logged By	Figure No.
				1:25	TS	02.ROI18.TP17

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<b>Excavation Method</b> 13T Tracked Excavator		<b>Dimensions</b>		<b>Ground Level (mOD)</b> 9.09		<b>Client</b> Kingsbridge Consultancy Limited	
		<b>Location (Handheld GPS)</b> 306950.73 E 304370.25 N		<b>Dates</b> 12/06/2018		<b>Engineer</b> Finn Design Partnership	
Depth (m)	Sample / Tests	Water Depth (m)	Field Records	Level (mOD)	Depth (m) (Thickness)	Description	Legend Water
0.35	D1			8.74	0.35 (0.35)	TOPSOIL.	
0.50	ES1			8.49	0.60 (0.25)	Very stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY containing rootlets. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.	
0.60	D2					Stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.	
1.00	ES2						
2.00	ES3			6.99	2.10 (0.20)	Highly weathered destructured GREYWACKE: Recovered as light grey brown angular fine to coarse GRAVEL sized fragments in a silty clay matrix.	
2.10	D3		12/06/2018:DRY	6.79	2.30	Complete at 2.30m	
<b>Plan</b>				<b>Remarks</b>			
				Pit side walls stable. No obvious visual or olfactory evidence of contamination. ES=Environmental soil sample comprising 1x400g capacity plastic tub, 1x250g capacity amber glass jar and 1x60g capacity amber glass vial.			
				<b>Scale (approx)</b> 1:25	<b>Logged By</b> TS	<b>Figure No.</b> 02.ROI18.TP18	

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<b>Excavation Method</b> 13T Tracked Excavator		<b>Dimensions</b>		<b>Ground Level (mOD)</b> 10.12		<b>Client</b> Kingsbridge Consultancy Limited	
		<b>Location (Handheld GPS)</b> 307025.23 E 304317.03 N		<b>Dates</b> 12/06/2018		<b>Engineer</b> Finn Design Partnership	
Depth (m)	Sample / Tests	Water Depth (m)	Field Records	Level (mOD)	Depth (m) (Thickness)	Description	Legend Water
0.30	D1			9.82	0.30 (0.30)	TOPSOIL.	
0.45	D2			9.67	0.30 (0.15)	MADE GROUND: Very stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY containing rootlets.	
0.50	ES1			9.52	0.45 (0.15)	Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.	
0.60	D3			9.52	0.60 (0.50)	MADE GROUND: Stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.	
1.00	ES2			9.02	1.10 (0.70)	MADE GROUND: Soft grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble content. Also containing glass and ceramic remnants. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.	
1.10	D4			9.02	1.10 (0.70)	Soft to firm light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.	
1.80	D5			8.32	1.80 (0.60)	Becomes very stiff below 1.60m depth.	
2.00	ES3			7.72	2.40	Highly weathered destructured GREYWACKE: Recovered as light grey brown angular fine to coarse GRAVEL in a silty clay matrix.	
12/06/2018:DRY				Complete at 2.40m			
<b>Plan</b>				<b>Remarks</b> Pit side walls stable. No obvious visual or olfactory evidence of contamination. ES=Environmental soil sample comprising 1x400g capacity plastic tub, 1x250g capacity amber glass jar and 1x60g capacity amber glass vial.			
				<b>Scale (approx)</b> 1:25		<b>Logged By</b> TS	<b>Figure No.</b> 02.ROI18.TP19



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**TP20**

Excavation Method 13T Tracked Excavator		Dimensions		Ground Level (mOD) 13.06		Client Kingsbridge Consultancy Limited		Job Number 02.ROI18
		Location (Handheld GPS) 307104.8 E 304241.59 N		Dates 12/06/2018		Engineer Finn Design Partnership		Sheet 1/1
Depth (m)	Sample / Tests	Water Depth (m)	Field Records	Level (mOD)	Depth (m) (Thickness)	Description		Legend
0.35	D1					TOPSOIL.		
0.50	ES1			12.71	0.35 (0.35)	Very stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY containing rootlets. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.		
0.85	D2			12.21	0.85 (0.50)	Stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.		
1.00	ES2			11.96	1.10 (0.25)	Highly weathered destructured GREYWACKE: Recovered as grey brown angular fine to coarse GRAVEL sized fragments in a silty clay matrix.		
1.10	D3		12/06/2018:DRY	11.66	1.40 (0.30)	Complete at 1.40m		
<b>Plan</b>					<b>Remarks</b>			
					Pit side walls stable. No obvious visual or olfactory evidence of contamination. ES=Environmental soil sample comprising 1x400g capacity plastic tub, 1x250g capacity amber glass jar and 1x60g capacity amber glass vial.			
					<b>Scale (approx)</b>		<b>Logged By</b>	<b>Figure No.</b>
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TP1



TP1 Sidewall



TP1 Spoil



TP1 Reinstatement



TP2



TP2 Sidewall



TP2 Spoil



TP2 Reinstatement



TP3



TP3 Sidewall



TP3 Spoil



TP3 Reinstatement



TP4



TP4 Sidewall



TP4 Spoil



TP4 Reinstatement



TP5



TP5 Sidewall



TP5 Spoil



TP5 Reinstatement



TP6



TP6 Sidewall



TP6 Spoil



TP6 Reinstatement



TP7



TP7 Sidewall



TP7 Spoil



TP7 Reinstatement



TP8



TP8 Sidewall



TP8 Spoil



TP8 Reinstatement



TP9



TP9 Sidewall



TP9 Spoil



TP9 Reinstatement



TP10



TP10 Sidewall



TP10 Spoil



TP10 Reinstatement



TP11



TP11 Sidewall



TP11 Spoil



TP11 Reinstatement



TP12



TP12 Sidewall



TP12 Spoil



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TP13 Sidewall



TP13 Spoil



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TP14



TP14 Sidewall



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#### GEOTECHNICAL AND GEOCHEMICAL LABORATORY RESULTS



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**DETERMINATION OF MOISTURE CONTENT, LIQUID LIMIT AND PLASTIC LIMIT  
AND DERIVATION OF PLASTICITY AND LIQUIDITY INDEX**

Borehole/ Trial Pit	Depth (m)	Sample	Natural Moisture Content %	Sample Passing 425µm Sieve		Liquid Limit %	Plastic Limit %	Plasticity Index %	Liquidity Index	Modified Liquidity Index	Group Symbol	Laboratory Description
				Percentage %	Moisture Content %							
BH1	0.25	D1	10	56.7	18	34	17	17	0.06	-0.41	CL	Very stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY containing rootlets. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.
BH1	1.00	U1	11	49.5	22	31	14	17	0.47	-0.18	CL	Firm to stiff medium to high strength friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.
BH1	2.00	D4	10	51.4	19	33	13	20	0.30	-0.17	CL	Firm to stiff friable light brown grey slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.
BH2	1.00	U1	14	52.5	27	29	15	14	0.86	-0.07	CL	Firm to stiff medium to high strength friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.
BH2	2.00	D4	12	52.5	23	30	15	15	0.53	-0.20	CL	Firm to stiff medium to high strength friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.
BH2	3.00	U2	11	57.3	19	32	16	16	0.19	-0.31	CL	Firm to stiff medium to high strength friable brown grey slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.
BH3	0.25	D1	9	65.7	14	33	16	17	-0.12	-0.42	CL	Very stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY containing rootlets. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.
BH3	1.50	U1	11	59.3	19	30	14	16	0.31	-0.19	CL	Firm medium strength friable grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Also containing lenses of silty sandy fine to medium GRAVEL. Gravel is sub-angular to sub-rounded.
BH3	2.10	D7	10	56.8	17	32	15	17	0.12	-0.31	CL	Firm medium strength friable grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Also containing lenses of silty sandy fine to medium GRAVEL. Gravel is sub-angular to sub-rounded.
BH4	0.35	D1	10	63.5	16	35	17	18	-0.06	-0.39	CL/CI	Very stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY containing rootlets. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.
BH4	1.00	U1	11	61.4	18	33	17	16	0.06	-0.38	CL	Stiff high strength friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.
BH5	0.30	D1	10	65.4	15	35	17	18	-0.11	-0.39	CL/CI	Very stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY containing rootlets. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.
BH5	1.00	U1	10	61.4	16	34	18	16	-0.13	-0.53	CL	Stiff high strength friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.
BH5	2.00	D4	9	61.3	15	32	16	16	-0.06	-0.44	CL	Stiff high strength friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.

**Method of Preparation** : BS 1377:PART 1:1990:7.4 Preparation of samples for classification tests BS 1377:PART 2:1990:4.2 & 5.2 Sample preparations

**Method of Test** : BS 1377:PART 2:1990:3 Determination of moisture content 1990:4 Determination of the liquid limit BS 1377:PART 2:1990:5 Determination of the plastic limit and plasticity index. Modified liquidity index based on natural moisture content

**Remarks** :



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**DETERMINATION OF DENSITY, MOISTURE CONTENT AND UNDRAINED SHEAR STRENGTH  
IN TRIAXIAL COMPRESSION WITHOUT MEASUREMENT OF PORE PRESSURE**

Borehole/ Trial Pit	Depth (m)	Sample	Moisture Content %	Bulk Density (Mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	Dry Density (Mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	Cell Pressure (kN/m <sup>2</sup> )	Deviator Stress (kN/m <sup>2</sup> )	Apparent Cohesion (kN/m <sup>2</sup> )	Angle of Shearing Resistance (degrees)	Laboratory Description
BH1	1.00	U1	11	2.11	1.90	20	144	72		Firm to stiff medium to high strength friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.
BH2	1.00	U1	14	2.02	1.78	20	136	68		Firm to stiff medium to high strength friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.
BH2	3.00	U2	11	2.14	1.93	60	146	73		Firm to stiff medium to high strength friable brown grey slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.
BH3	1.50	U1	11	2.05	1.86	30	112	56		Firm medium strength friable grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Also containing lenses of silty sandy fine to medium GRAVEL. Gravel is sub-angular to sub-rounded.
BH4	1.00	U1	11	2.10	1.89	20	168	84		Stiff high strength friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.
BH5	1.00	U1	9.6	2.24	1.95	20	154	79		Stiff high strength friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.

**Method of Preparation** : BS 1377:PART 1:1990:7.4.2 Moisture content 1990: Preparation of undisturbed samples for testing BS 1377:PART 2:1990:7.2

**Method of Test** : BS 1377:PART 2:1990:3 Determination of moisture content 1990:7 Determination of density BS 1377:PART 7:1990:8 Undrained shear strength 1990:8 Single stage loading

**Remarks** :



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**DETERMINATION OF THE pH VALUE AND THE SULPHATE CONTENT OF SOIL AND GROUNDWATER**

Borehole/ Trial Pit	Depth (m)	Sample	Concentration of Soluble Sulphate		Percentage of sample passing 2mm Sieve %	pH	Classification	Laboratory Description
			Soil					
			Total S03 %	S04 in 2:1 water:soil g/l				
BH1	0.25	D1		0.04		8.1	DS-1	Very stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY containing rootlets. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.
BH1	0.80	D2		0.00		8.0	DS-1	Firm to stiff medium to high strength friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.
BH1	2.00	D4		0.00		8.0	DS-1	Firm to stiff friable light brown grey slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.
BH2	0.30	D1		0.03		8.0	DS-1	Stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.
BH2	1.45	D3		0.02		7.9	DS-1	Firm to stiff medium to high strength friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.
BH2	3.60	D7		0.01		8.2	DS-1	Highly weathered destructured GREYWACKE: Recovered as light grey brown angular fine to coarse GRAVEL sized fragments in a silty clay matrix.
BH3	0.55	D2		0.04		7.9	DS-1	Stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.
BH3	1.00	D3		0.01		8.1	DS-1	Medium dense brown grey silty sandy fine to medium GRAVEL. Gravel is sub-angular to sub-rounded.
BH3	2.65	D8		0.01		8.5	DS-1	Highly weathered destructured GREYWACKE: Recovered as light grey brown angular fine to coarse GRAVEL sized fragments in a silty clay matrix.
BH4	0.90	D2		0.05		8.0	DS-1	Stiff high strength friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.
BH4	1.45	D3		0.03		8.1	DS-1	Stiff high strength friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.
BH4	1.70	D4		0.01		8.0	DS-1	Highly weathered destructured GREYWACKE: Recovered as light grey brown angular fine to coarse GRAVEL sized fragments in a silty clay matrix.
BH5	0.70	D2		0.03		8.1	DS-1	Stiff high strength friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.
BH5	1.45	D3		0.02		8.0	DS-1	Stiff high strength friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.
BH5	2.55	D5		0.04		8.2	DS-1	Highly weathered destructured GREYWACKE: Recovered as light grey brown angular fine to coarse GRAVEL sized fragments in a silty clay matrix.

**Method of Preparation** : BS 1377:PART 1:1990:7.5 Preparation of soil for chemical tests BS 1377:PART 3:1990:5.2, 5.3, 5.4 & 9.4

**Method of Test** : Laboratory in-house methods based on BS1377: Part 3 for contents of water soluble sulphate, total sulphate and pH.

**Remarks** : Classification relates to Design Sulphate Class of BRE Special Digest 1 (2005)



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## APPENDIX 5

### PRELIMINARY RISK ASSESSMENT (PRA) AND GENERIC QUANTITATIVE RISK ASSESSMENT (GQRA) REPORTS

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## Project

**Proposed Residential Development**

**Lands at Blackrock, Dundalk**

**Combined Preliminary (PRA) and Generic  
Quantitative Risk Assessment (GQRA)**

## Client

**GES Ltd**

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## 1.0 INTRODUCTION

### 1.1 REPORT BRIEF

Cove Environmental Consulting were appointed by GES Ltd on behalf of their client, Kingbridge Consultancy Ltd to undertake a preliminary risk assessment of lands in relation to a residential development on lands at Blackrock, Dundalk, Co. Louth.

This assessment will determine the presence of contamination, migration pathways and form an assessment of hazards and risks associated with these and the extent of any environmental liability.

The process is based on making a qualitative Risk Assessment using the source-pathway-receptor model.

This report is prepared in accordance with current industry standard practice and existing legislation at the time of writing particularly the DEFRA / Environment Agency guidance document "*CLR 11 – Model Procedures for the Management of Land Contamination*".

Guidance documents used which refer UK / European documents also relevant to Republic of Ireland sites and are in compliance with Environmental Protection Agency standards.

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## 2.0 PRELIMINARY RISK ASSESSMENT (PRA)

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The desk top Preliminary Risk Assessment was completed using researches into available documentary evidence for the site and surrounding area.

The main sources used to compile the information in this risk assessment are listed below:

- Current and historical Ordnance Survey of Ireland maps;
- Current and historical geological information held by Geological Survey of Ireland;
- Information made available by Environmental Protection Agency;
- Other sources as appropriate.

## 2.1 SITE DETAILS

The environmental setting of the site is illustrated below:



**Photo 1: Location of Site**

Address	Lands to South of Bothar Maol, Blackrock, Dundalk
Council Area	Louth County Council
Current Use of Site	Agricultural Lands
Approximate Area of Site	Approximately 9 hectares

The main land uses in the immediate surrounding area are as described below:

North	Residential, Industrial beyond
South	Agricultural, residential beyond
East	Some residential, undeveloped land.

## West Golf course, agricultural beyond

## 2.2 ENVIRONMENTAL SETTING OF SITE

### 2.2.1 SITE DESCRIPTION AND CURRENT USE

The site is currently used for agricultural purposes. At the time of writing the fields were used for the growing of barley. There is a hedgerow running down the (approximate) centreline of the site.



**Photo 2: Aerial View of Site Looking towards the North**



### Photos 3 & 4: View of Site Looking towards East (from NW and N of site)

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**Photos 5 & 6: View of Site showing Central Hedgerow (5) and Looking South (6)**



**Photo 7: Entrance to Site from Bothar Maol (looking South)**

There is a small disused pumping station in the northwestern corner of the site.

The site is rises towards the south from the Bothar Maol along the northern boundary before cresting in the centre of the site and falling again slightly towards the south. Overall there is a general fall in levels towards the west with other local undulations across the site area.

The lands to the immediate north of the site are residential dwellings along the south side of the Bothar Maol. Beyond that there are a number of industrial premises within the Finnibair Industrial Park. The lands to the west are a golf course with agricultural lands beyond that.

To the east there are a few scattered residential properties within generally undeveloped lands towards the coast – the high water mark for the Irish Sea is approximately 250 / 300m to the east of the site boundary.

To the south there are agricultural fields with the village of Blackrock beyond.

## 2.2.2 GEOLOGY

Published geological maps for the area indicate that the general sequence of geology is expected to be:

### *Superficial Deposits*

- Glacial Till (Boulder Clay) underlying the site

### *Bedrock*

- Greywacke

A review of geological maps for the site would suggest that the drift geology beneath the site comprises glacial till (boulder clay) derived from Lower Palaeozoic sandstones and shales.

The solid geology underlying the area comprises a greywacke which is described as being green-grey, medium to thickly bedded, coarse and very fine grained Tae greywackes, with dark grey, thinly bedded, poorly graded, quartzose fine sandstone to siltstone units. Both lithologies contain distinctive brown-red coloured biotite. There are noted to be possible outcrops of bedrock to the north and south of the site.

## 2.3 HYDROLOGY AND HYDROGEOLOGY OF AREA

### 2.3.1 HYDROLOGY

No water courses are present within the boundary of the site. There are a number of small streams and field drains around the site to the east and south together with some small water features within the golf course itself to the west. There is a small drainage ditch which runs along the northern side of Bothar Maol.

The main drainage feature within the locality is the sea itself located to the east of the site.

### 2.3.2 GROUNDWATER CLASSIFICATION

Published data from Geological Survey Ireland indicates that the groundwater vulnerability of the immediate area is Class "E" Extreme. This map also highlights the areas of bedrock outcrop near the surface.

The aquifer itself is categorized as PI - Poor Aquifer - Bedrock which is Generally Unproductive except for Local Zones.

### 2.3.3 HISTORICAL SITE USES

In order to determine the site's history of use, a site walkover was undertaken and the following sources consulted:

- Information contained in the Land Quality Database held by NIEA;
- Historical Ordnance Survey maps.

The information obtained from the historical searches is presented following:

**Table 1: Historical Land Uses**

Date	Historical Land Uses
1837	 <p><i>Site Area: Undeveloped</i> <i>Surrounding Area: Area generally undeveloped and only a few small farm dwellings present in local area</i></p>

1888-1913	 <p>RECEIVED: 30/05/2025</p> <p><i>Site Area:</i> Undeveloped</p> <p><i>Surrounding Area:</i> Area still generally undeveloped. Road network shown clearly to the west of the site. Dundalk town beginning to expand to the north and the village of Blackrock appearing to the south</p>
1995	 <p><i>Site:</i> No change – fields shown in agriculture</p> <p><i>Surrounding Area:</i> Golf course now present to west, residential dwellings along Bothar Maol to the north and the beginnings of the industrial development beyond these shown.</p>

2000	 <p>RECEIVED: 30/05/2025</p> <p><i>Site:</i> No significant changes <i>Surrounding Area:</i> No significant changes</p>
Present Day (recent)	 <p><i>Site:</i> No changes on the site <i>Surrounding Area:</i> Increased industrial development to north and increase in size of Blackrock village to the south. No other significant changes</p>

### 3.0 PRELIMINARY CONCEPTUAL SITE MODEL

The Preliminary Risk Assessment has identified the following source-pathway-receptor linkages in relation to the site.

#### 3.1 POTENTIAL SOURCES

The research has indicated that the site has always been used for agricultural purposes and therefore there are no sources of potential contamination linked to the site itself. There is no evidence of any significant quantities of made ground within the site area (localised area around TP19 only).

The surrounding area is a mix of residential (north & south), golf course (west), agricultural / undeveloped (east) and industrial (north). As such, the identified sources of potential contamination are:

- Potential for hydrocarbons to be present in the shallow soils as a result of historic spills / leakages from residential heating oils - hydrocarbons
- Potential spillages and leakages from the industrial activities to the north of the site – hydrocarbons, metals

#### 3.2 POTENTIAL RECEPTORS AND PATHWAYS

There are a number of potential receptors identified:

##### HUMAN HEALTH

There may be a potential risk to future site residents and construction workers through direct exposure, including:

- dermal absorption
- inhalation of soil / dust or volatilised compounds (vapours) / ground gases
- soil ingestion
- plant uptake of contaminants followed by human consumption e.g. vegetables grown within gardens.

##### BUILDINGS AND SERVICES

Any proposed on-site buildings / development may be at risk from ingress of ground gas released from any degradable material within the infilled made ground (if present). In addition, contaminants within

the soil could potentially impact upon the integrity of concrete, metal, rubber and plastic building fabrics with which they come in contact.

ENVIRONMENTAL RECEPTORS AND OFF SITE MIGRATION

Given the nature of the ground (both the soil type and the topography of the site) it is considered unlikely that significant lateral or vertical migration would occur therefore there is not considered to be a risk to surface water courses in the area or the groundwaters within the underlying low quality aquifer.

#### 4.0 PRELIMINARY RISK ASSESSMENT CONCLUSIONS

The desk study concludes that there may be a potential for a contamination linkage to be present at this site:

- The site itself has always been undeveloped lands. Historical mapping and aerial photographs show the site to have been used for agricultural purposes. The site (at time of writing) was being used for the growing of barley;
- There is the potential for spillages / leaks of fuels etc resulting from the storage of residential heating / fuel oils in the vicinity of the site however the likelihood is low that there would be significant lateral migration towards the site;
- Similarly, there is the potential for spillages / leaks of fuels from the industrial activities to the north of the site. Again, however, the likelihood is low that there would be significant lateral migration towards the site;
- There is the potential for low quality made ground to be present below the ground in localized areas of the site, however given the history of the site and the topography of the area it is considered to be of a low likelihood and risk.

The Preliminary Risk Assessment indicated a very low potential for contamination to be present at the site however an intrusive investigation was undertaken for geotechnical purposes and therefore sampling was included to confirm the conclusions of the PRA.

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## 5.0 SITE INVESTIGATIONS

An intrusive investigation was undertaken on the site in June 2018. This investigation comprised of 5 boreholes within the proposed development area to a maximum depth of 4.37mbgl and 20 No. trial pits to a maximum depth of 3.9mbgl. The intrusive works were undertaken by GES Ltd.

3 No. of the boreholes were installed with HDPE pipe, gravel pack and bentonite seal to allow for subsequent groundwater sampling and gas monitoring.

These boreholes confirmed that the ground conditions were as largely as anticipated within the PRA, namely:

- Topsoil;
- Glacial Till (Clay);
- Greywacke Bedrock generally at shallow depth.

Full details of the ground conditions encountered are contained within the borehole logs appended to this report.

Note that a small quantity of made ground was noted in TP19 to the eastern boundary of the site. This appears to be a small isolated area of rubble and not a significant quantity of made ground.

### 5.1 GROUNDWATER

No groundwater was noted during the drilling and the wells were also dry on subsequent site visits.

## 6.0 GENERIC QUANTITATIVE RISK ASSESSMENT (GQRA)

### 6.1 LABORATORY ANALYSIS ON SOIL SAMPLES

Chemical testing was scheduled in samples recovered from the boreholes during drilling. The results of the chemical testing of soil samples are contained within the Appendices and are summarised in Table 2.

The CLEA v1.04 model published by DEFRA and the UK Environment Agency (EA) in August 2008, sets a framework for the appropriate assessment of risks to human health from contaminated land. As part of this framework, generic Soil Guideline Values (SGV's) have currently been derived for a number of contaminants to be used as "intervention values". These values should not be considered as remedial targets but values above which further detailed assessment should be considered.

Three sets of CLEA SGV's have recently (March 2009) been produced for three different land uses, namely residential, allotments and commercial/industrial. It should be noted that the CLEA SGV's relate to assessing chronic (long-term) risks to Human Health and do not apply to the potential short-term exposure risk to ground workers, or other potential receptors such as groundwater, buildings, plants or other ecosystems. The CLEA SGV's are not directly applicable to a site completely covered in hardstanding as there is no direct exposure route to contaminated soils.

To date, 11 SGV's have been published for the following: arsenic, nickel, cadmium, phenol, mercury, selenium, benzene, toluene, ethylbenzene, xylenes and dioxins. The SGV for mercury was derived for 3 mercury compounds. This detail of analysis was not undertaken during the investigation works and therefore the  $ATRISK^{SOIL}$  value for mercury has been utilised.

Where published CLEA soil guideline values were not yet available for individual contaminants, guidelines established using the *LQM/CIEH 'Suitable 4 Use Levels'* were used together with the  $ATRISK^{SOIL}$  values.

The Water Regulations Advisory Scheme (WRAS) was used in the absence of  $ATRISK^{SOIL}$  values.

For this assessment the guideline values used were those for a residential end use with plant uptake.

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Table 2: Exceedance of Guideline Levels (Residential End-Use with Gardens)

Contaminant	Effect	Measured Exceedance Concentrations (mg/kg)		SGV/GSV/SSV (mg/kg)	Source
		Number of Exceedences	Location of Exceedences		
Arsenic	Toxic	0	-	37	LQM/CIEH S4ULs (2015)
Mercury (Inorganic)	Toxic	0	-	40	LQM/CIEH S4ULs (2015)
Chromium III	Toxic	0	-	910	LQM/CIEH S4ULs (2015)
Lead	Toxic	0	-	200	ATRISK (2015)
Cadmium	Toxic	0	-	11	LQM/CIEH S4ULs (2015)
Selenium	Toxic	0	-	250	LQM/CIEH S4ULs (2015)
Nickel	Toxic	0	-	180	LQM/CIEH S4ULs (2015)
Copper	Toxic	0	-	2400	LQM/CIEH S4ULs (2015)
Zinc	Toxic	0	-	410	LQM/CIEH S4ULs (2015)
<b>Petroleum Hydrocarbons</b>					
Aliphatic C5-C6	Toxic	0	-	42	LQM/CIEH S4ULs (2015)
Aliphatic C6-C8	Toxic	0	-	100	LQM/CIEH S4ULs (2015)
Aliphatic C8-C10	Toxic	0	-	27	LQM/CIEH S4ULs (2015)
Aliphatic C10-C12	Toxic	0	-	130	LQM/CIEH S4ULs (2015)
Aliphatic C12-C16	Toxic	0	-	1100	LQM/CIEH S4ULs (2015)
Aliphatic C16-C35	Toxic	0	-	65,000	LQM/CIEH S4ULs (2015)
Aromatic C5-C7 (Benzene)	Toxic	0	-	70	LQM/CIEH S4ULs (2015)
Aromatic C7-C8 (Toluene)	Toxic	0	-	130	LQM/CIEH S4ULs (2015)
Aromatic C8-C10	Toxic	0	-	34	LQM/CIEH S4ULs (2015)
Aromatic C10-C12	Toxic	0	-	74	LQM/CIEH S4ULs (2015)
Aromatic C12-C16	Toxic	0	-	140	LQM/CIEH S4ULs (2015)
Aromatic C16-C21	Toxic	0	-	260	LQM/CIEH S4ULs (2015)
Aromatic C21-C35	Toxic	0	-	1100	LQM/CIEH S4ULs (2015)
<b>PAHs</b>					
Acenaphthene	Toxic	0	-	210	LQM/CIEH S4ULs (2015)
Acenaphthylene	Toxic	0	-	170	LQM/CIEH S4ULs (2015)
Anthracene	Toxic	0	-	2400	LQM/CIEH S4ULs (2015)
Benz(a)anthracene	Toxic	0	-	7.2	LQM/CIEH S4ULs (2015)
Benzo(a)pyrene	Toxic	0	-	2.2	LQM/CIEH S4ULs (2015)
Benzo(b)fluoranthene	Toxic	0	-	2.6	LQM/CIEH S4ULs (2015)
Benzo(g,h,i)perylene	Toxic	0	-	320	LQM/CIEH S4ULs (2015)
Benzo(k)fluoranthene	Toxic	0	-	77	LQM/CIEH S4ULs (2015)
Chrysene	Toxic	0	-	15	LQM/CIEH S4ULs (2015)
Dibenz(a,h)anthracene	Toxic	0	-	0.24	LQM/CIEH S4ULs (2015)
Fluoranthene	Toxic	0	-	280	LQM/CIEH S4ULs (2015)
Fluorene	Toxic	0	-	170	LQM/CIEH S4ULs (2015)
Indeno(1,2,3-CD) Pyrene	Toxic	0	-	27	LQM/CIEH S4ULs (2015)
Naphthalene	Toxic	0	-	2.3	LQM/CIEH S4ULs (2015)
Phenanthrene	Toxic	0	-	95	LQM/CIEH S4ULs (2015)
Pyrene	Toxic	0	-	620	LQM/CIEH S4ULs (2015)

\* Based on SOM of 1%. Phytotoxic values based on pH of 6.0 – 7.0.

As noted, the threshold values for residential with homegrown produce have been used.

Of the samples analysed, generally, all potential contaminants were found to be below the respective threshold values used. The majority were also found to be below the lab detection limits.

## 6.2 LABORATORY ANALYSIS OF GROUNDWATER SAMPLES

Insufficient quantities of groundwaters were found to be present during the monitoring rounds.

## 6.3 GROUND GAS EMISSIONS

### 6.3.1 METHANE AND CARBON DIOXIDE

Gas generation was monitored from the installed boreholes.

The complete listing of gas results can be found within the Appendices to this report and are summarised in Table 4 following:

**Table 4: Summary of Gas Monitoring Results (Max Values Used)**

	CH <sub>4</sub> (Max) (%vol/vol)	CO <sub>2</sub> (Max) (%vol/vol)	Max Flow (l/hr)	Gas Screening Value CH <sub>4</sub>	Gas Screening Value / CO <sub>2</sub>	Risk Classification (after CIRIA 665 Table 8.5)
BH1	0.0	0.6	0.1 <sup>1</sup>	0.0	0.0	1 Very Low Risk
BH2	0.0	0.2	0.1 <sup>1</sup>	0.0	0.0001	1 Very Low Risk
BH4	0.0	2.8	0.1 <sup>1</sup>	0.0	0.0028	1 Very Low Risk

Note: <sup>1</sup> When zero flow is detected the meter detection limit is used (i.e. 0.1)

The gas monitoring results were classified according to the Characteristic Situations outlined in the CIRIA C665 documentation *“Assessing risks posed by hazardous ground gases to Buildings”* with the relevant table extracted and shown in Table 5 following:

**Table 5: Classification System for Gassing Sites (after CARD Geotechnics)**

Characteristic Situation	Limiting Volume Flow CH <sub>4</sub> /CO <sub>2</sub> (l/hr)	Additional Limiting Factors	Source of Gas Generation
1	<0.07	Methane <1% and Carbon Dioxide <5%	Natural soils with low organic content
2	<0.7	Borehole air flow rate >70l/hr increase to Characteristic Situation 4	Natural soil, high peat/organic content

3	<3.5	Borehole air flow rate >70l/hr increase to Characteristic Situation 4	Old landfill, inert waste, mine working flooded
4	<15	Quantitative risk assessment required to evaluate scope of protection measures	Mine working susceptible to flooding, completed landfill, inert waste (WMP 2B criteria)
5	<70		Mine working unflooded/inactive
6	>70		Recent landfill site

It is considered that the site will fall into the low risk situation (Situation 1).

### 6.3.2 RADON

The site is not located in an area of high radon generation based on the Environmental Protection Agency published mapping. The site is in an area where 5-10% of homes may be above the reference level and a radon barrier is not considered to be required.

## 7.0 CONCLUSIONS

The level of risk has been assessed using the data obtained from the site investigation and the potential source-pathway-linkages indentified within the Preliminary Risk Assessment.

### 7.1 HUMAN HEALTH

The levels of contaminants were generally all detected below the relevant human health guideline values used and thus there is not considered any significant risk to human health from this site.

### 7.2 BUILDINGS AND SERVICES

Levels of gas generation within the ground were recorded as low with the site falling into the Low Risk category.

### 7.3 ENVIRONMENT AND THIRD PARTY SITES

Very low quantities of water were detected within the boreholes (with many being dry). As a result it is considered that there is no significant movement of groundwater (or any contaminants) either laterally or vertically and thus the potential for transfer of contaminants to the groundwater, surface waters or third party sites is considered insignificant.

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## 8.0 REMEDIATION RECOMMENDATIONS

Based on the findings of the site assessment, no remedial measures are considered to be required at this site.

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In accordance with good site practice construction personnel involved in the excavation of service trenches should be notified of the nature of the materials which may be present. Vigilance should be maintained during the works for evidence of any ground conditions, which may be at variance with those discussed in this report. This is in accordance with current Health & Safety Legislation. Any other measures deemed necessary should be implemented in conjunction with the provision of a detailed site works risk assessment which should include a COSHH risk assessment.

In the event that material, uncharacteristic to that which has been previously identified within the site is encountered in excavations, we would recommend that a suitably qualified engineer/scientist is engaged to obtain samples of the suspect material for chemical analysis, to determine how the material should be managed.

For off-site material disposal it will be necessary for the developer to provide the EPA and receiving landfill with approximate volumes for materials arising from foundation excavations and service trenches, with supporting chemical analyses. This should be used to identify an appropriately licensed landfill facility that is permitted to receive the contaminated soil materials, based on its classification as inert, non-hazardous or hazardous material in accordance with the conditions listed in current waste acceptance criteria.

Formal notification should be made to the Environmental Protection Agency prior to the movement of any waste materials offsite, and a system of consignment notes and tip receipts should be used to protect the developer.

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**FIGURES**

**SITE LOCATION PLAN**

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Key:

- Approximate Borehole Location
- Approximate Trial Pit Location

Figure: CEC-1

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Figure: CEC-2

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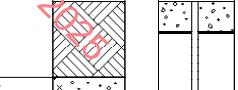
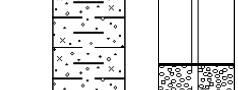
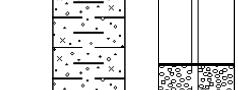
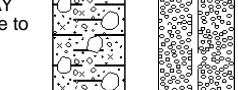
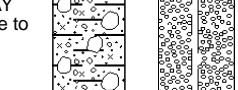
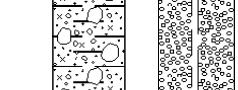
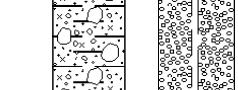
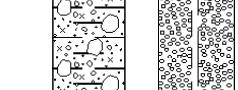
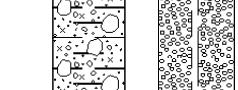
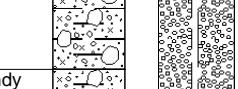
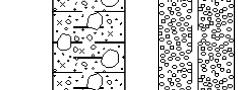
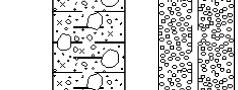
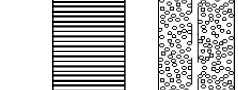
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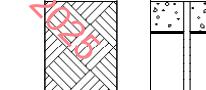
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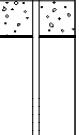
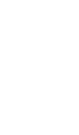
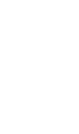
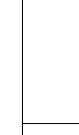
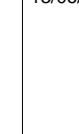
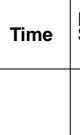
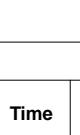
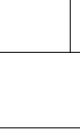
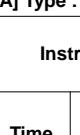
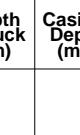
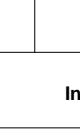
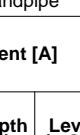
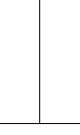
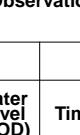
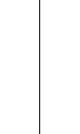
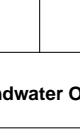
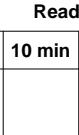
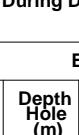
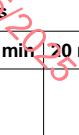
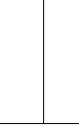
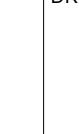
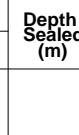
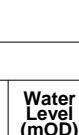
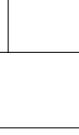
**APPENDIX A**  
**BOREHOLE LOGS**

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GEOTECHNICAL ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES LIMITED						Site Proposed Residential Development, Blackrock, Dundalk, County Louth.			Borehole Number <b>BH1</b>
Boring Method Geoprobe 6620DT Drill Rig. Percussion sampling to 3.60m depth.		Casing Diameter Borehole diam. 101mm to 3.60m		Ground Level (mOD) 16.98		Client Kingsbridge Consultancy Limited			Job Number 02.ROI18
		Location (Handheld GPS) 306654.9 E 304337.21 N		Dates 14/06/2018		Engineer Finn Design Partnership			Sheet 1/1
Depth (m)	Sample / Tests	Casing Depth (m)	Water Depth (m)	Field Records	Level (mOD)	Depth (m) (Thickness)	Description	Legend	Water Instr
0.25	D1				16.73	0.25 (0.25)	TOPSOIL.		
0.50	ES1					(0.55)	Very stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY containing rootlets. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.		
0.80	D2				16.18	0.80			
1.00 1.00-1.45	ES2 U1		DRY	72 blows		(1.20)	Firm to stiff medium to high strength friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.		
1.45	D3								
2.00-2.45 2.00 2.00 2.00-2.45	SPT N=19 D5 ES3 D4		DRY	3,3/3,6,5,5	14.98	2.00 (0.80)	Firm to stiff friable light brown grey slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.		
2.80	D6				14.18	2.80	Highly weathered destructured GREYWACKE: Recovered as light grey brown angular GRAVEL sized fragments in a silt matrix.		
3.00-3.45 3.00 3.00-3.45	SPT N=22 ES4 D7		DRY	3,7/6,3,5,8		(0.94)			
3.60-3.74 3.60-3.74	SPT 25*/50 50/90 D8			3.64 25/43,7 Steady(1) at 3.64m. 14/06/2018:3.64m	13.24	3.74	Complete at 3.74m		
<b>Remarks</b> No obvious visual or olfactory evidence of contamination. ES=Environmental soil sample comprising 1x400g capacity plastic tub, 1x250g capacity amber glass jar and 1x60g capacity amber glass vial.								Scale (approx)	Logged By
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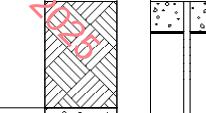
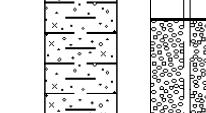
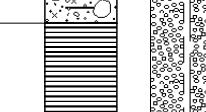
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0.50	ES1					(0.70)				
1.00 1.00 1.00-1.45	D2 ES2 U1		DRY	46 blows	20.20	1.00				
1.45	D3									
2.00-2.45 2.00 2.00-2.45	SPT N=27 ES3 D4		DRY	2,4/4,4,4,15		(2.00)				
3.00 3.00 3.00-3.45	D5 ES4 U2		DRY	66 blows	18.20	3.00 (0.60)				
3.45	D6				17.60	3.60				
3.60	D7					(0.77)				
4.00-4.37 4.00-4.37	SPT 50/220 D8		DRY	1,5/10,13,23,4	16.83	4.37	Highly weathered destructured GREYWACKE: Recovered as light grey brown angular fine to course GRAVEL sized fragments in a silty clay matrix.			
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Boring Method		Casing Diameter Borehole diam. 101mm to 3.00m		Ground Level (mOD) 12.60		Client Kingsbridge Consultancy Limited			Job Number 02.ROI18	
		Location (Handheld GPS) 306842.78 E 304306.16 N		Dates 13/06/2018		Engineer Finn Design Partnership			Sheet 1/1	
Depth (m)	Sample / Tests	Casing Depth (m)	Water Depth (m)	Field Records	Level (mOD)	Depth (m) (Thickness)	Description			Legend
										Water
0.25	D1				12.35	0.25 (0.25)	TOPSOIL.			
0.50 0.55	ES1 D2				12.05	0.55 (0.30)	Very stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY containing rootlets. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.			
1.00-1.45 1.00 1.00 1.00-1.45	SPT N=17 D3 ES2 D4	DRY	3,5/7,4,3,3		11.60	1.00 (0.30)	Stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.			
1.30	D5				11.30	1.30	Medium dense brown grey silty sandy fine to medium GRAVEL. Gravel is sub-angular to sub-rounded.			
1.50-1.95	U1	DRY	53 blows				Firm medium strength friable grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Also containing lenses of silty sandy fine to medium GRAVEL. Gravel is sub-angular to sub-rounded.			
1.95 2.00	D6 ES3									
2.10-2.55 2.10-2.55	SPT N=13 D7	DRY	2,2/3,3,3,4							
2.65	D8				9.95	2.65	Highly weathered destructured GREYWACKE: Recovered as light grey brown angular fine to coarse GRAVEL sized fragments in a silty clay matrix.			
3.00-3.40 3.00-3.40	SPT 50/250 D9	DRY	6,7/8,13,16,13							
				13/06/2018:DRY	9.20	3.40	Complete at 3.40m			
<b>Remarks</b> No obvious visual or olfactory evidence of contamination. ES=Environmental soil sample comprising 1x400g capacity plastic tub, 1x250g capacity amber glass jar and 1x60g capacity amber glass vial.									Scale (approx)	Logged By
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GEOTECHNICAL ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES LIMITED							Site Proposed Residential Development, Blackrock, Dundalk, County Louth.			Borehole Number <b>BH4</b>
Boring Method Geoprobe 6620DT Drill Rig. Percussion sampling to 2.0m depth.		Casing Diameter Borehole diam. 101mm to 2.00m		Ground Level (mOD) 9.88		Client Kingsbridge Consultancy Limited			Job Number 02.ROI18	
		Location (Handheld GPS) 306941.38 E 304407.86 N		Dates 13/06/2018		Engineer Finn Design Partnership			Sheet 1/1	
Depth (m)	Sample / Tests	Casing Depth (m)	Water Depth (m)	Field Records	Level (mOD)	Depth (m) (Thickness)	Description			Legend
0.35	D1				9.53	0.35 (0.35)	TOPSOIL.			
0.50	ES1					0.55 (0.55)	Very stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY containing rootlets. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.			
0.90	D2				8.98	0.90 (0.80)	Stiff high strength friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.			
1.00-1.45	SPT N=21									
1.00	ES2									
1.00-1.45	U1									
1.45	D3									
1.70	D4				8.18	1.70 (0.53)	Highly weathered destructured GREYWACKE: Recovered as light grey brown angular fine to coarse GRAVEL sized fragments in a silty clay matrix.			
2.00-2.23	SPT 25*/100									
2.00-2.23	50/130									
2.00-2.23	D5									
				DRY	18,7/30,20					
					13/06/2018:DRY					
							Complete at 2.23m			
<b>Remarks</b> No obvious visual or olfactory evidence of contamination. ES=Environmental soil sample comprising 1x400g capacity plastic tub, 1x250g capacity amber glass jar and 1x60g capacity amber glass vial.									Scale (approx)	Logged By
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GEOTECHNICAL ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES LIMITED						Site Proposed Residential Development, Blackrock, Dundalk, County Louth.						Borehole Number <b>BH4</b>										
Installation Type Single Installation		Dimensions Internal Diameter of Tube [A] = 50 mm Diameter of Filter Zone = 101 mm				Client Kingsbridge Consultancy Limited				Job Number 02.ROI18		RECEIVED: 20/06/2018										
		Location 306941.38 E 304407.86 N		Ground Level (mOD) 9.88		Engineer Finn Design Partnership				Sheet 1/1												
<b>Groundwater Strikes During Drilling</b>																						
Legend	Water	Instr (A)	Level (mOD)	Depth (m)	Description	Date	Time	Depth Struck (m)	Casing Depth (m)	Inflow Rate	Readings											
				9.78	Concrete						5 min	10 min	15 min	20 min	Depth Sealed (m)							
				9.78	Bentonite Seal																	
				9.38	0.50																	
					Slotted Standpipe																	
<b>Groundwater Observations During Drilling</b>																						
Date		Start of Shift					End of Shift															
		Time	Depth Hole (m)	Casing Depth (m)	Water Depth (m)	Water Level (mOD)	Time	Depth Hole (m)	Casing Depth (m)	Water Depth (m)	Water Level (mOD)											
13/06/18								2.23			DRY											
<b>Instrument Groundwater Observations</b>																						
Date		Inst. [A] Type : Standpipe			Remarks																	
		Instrument [A]																				
		Time	Depth (m)	Level (mOD)																		
19/06/18					DRY																	
25/06/18					DRY																	
28/06/18					DRY																	
<b>Remarks</b>																						
Flush lockable cover. Gas bung. Geotextile filter sock surround to well screen section.																						

GEOTECHNICAL ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES LIMITED						Site Proposed Residential Development, Blackrock, Dundalk, County Louth.	Borehole Number <b>BH5</b>
Boring Method Geoprobe 6620DT Drill Rig. Percussion sampling to 3.0m depth.		Casing Diameter Borehole diam. 101mm to 3.00m		Ground Level (mOD) 13.86	Client Kingsbridge Consultancy Limited	Job Number 02.ROI18	
		Location (Handheld GPS) 307041.54 E 304224.64 N		Dates 13/06/2018	Engineer Finn Design Partnership	Sheet 1/1	
Depth (m)	Sample / Tests	Casing Depth (m)	Water Depth (m)	Field Records	Level (mOD)	Depth (m) (Thickness)	
0.30	D1				13.56	(0.30)	
0.50	ES1				13.16	(0.40)	
0.70	D2				13.16	0.70	
1.00 1.00-1.45	ES2 U1	DRY	60 blows			(1.85)	
1.45	D3						
2.00-2.45 2.00 2.00-2.45	SPT N=28 ES3 D4	DRY	2,3/3,4,6,15		11.31	2.55	
2.55	D5					(0.72)	
3.00-3.27 3.00-3.27	SPT 25*/100 50/170 D6	DRY	19,6/23,22,5		10.59	3.27	
				13/06/2018:DRY			
<b>Remarks</b> No obvious visual or olfactory evidence of contamination. ES=Environmental soil sample comprising 1x400g capacity plastic tub, 1x250g capacity amber glass jar and 1x60g capacity amber glass vial.						Scale (approx) 1:25 Logged By TS	
						Figure No. 02.ROI18.BH5	

GEOTECHNICAL ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES LIMITED					Site Proposed Residential Development, Blackrock, Dundalk, County Louth.	Trial Pit Number <b>TP1</b>
Excavation Method 13T tracked excavator.		Dimensions		Ground Level (mOD) 15.20	Client Kingsbridge Consultancy Limited	Job Number 02.ROI18
		Location (Handheld GPS) 306579.21 E 304369.05 N		Dates 12/06/2018	Engineer Finn Design Partnership	Sheet 1/1
Depth (m)	Sample / Tests	Water Depth (m)	Field Records	Level (mOD)	Depth (m) (Thickness)	Description
0.40	D1			14.80	0.40 (0.40)	TOPSOIL.
0.50	ES1			14.55	0.65 (0.25)	Very stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY containing rootlets. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.
0.65	D2					Stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.
1.00	ES2					
1.60	D3					
2.00	ES3					
2.50	D4					
2.50	ES4					
2.90	D5		Pit terminated due to encountering suspected bedrock. 12/06/2018:DRY	12.30	2.90 (2.25)	Complete at 2.90m
Plan					Remarks	
					Pit side walls stable. No obvious visual or olfactory evidence of contamination. ES=Environmental soil sample comprising 1x400g capacity plastic tub, 1x250g capacity amber glass jar and 1x60g capacity amber glass vial.	
					Scale (approx) 1:25	Logged By TS
					Figure No. 02.ROI18.TP1	

 <b>GEOTECHNICAL ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES LIMITED</b>					<b>Site</b> Proposed Residential Development, Blackrock, Dundalk, County Louth.		<b>Trial Pit Number</b> <b>TP2</b>	
<b>Excavation Method</b> 13T Tracked Excavator		<b>Dimensions</b>		<b>Ground Level (mOD)</b> 16.78		<b>Client</b> Kingsbridge Consultancy Limited		<b>Job Number</b> 02.ROI18
		<b>Location</b> 306626.56 E 304279.76 N		<b>Dates</b> 11/06/2018		<b>Engineer</b> Finn Design Partnership		<b>Sheet</b> 1/1
<b>Depth (m)</b>	<b>Sample / Tests</b>	<b>Water Depth (m)</b>	<b>Field Records</b>	<b>Level (mOD)</b>	<b>Depth (m) (Thickness)</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Legend</b>	<b>Water</b>
0.30	D1			16.48	(0.30) 0.30	TOPSOIL.		
0.50	ES1				(0.60)	Stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.		
0.90	D2			15.88	0.90			
1.00	ES2				(0.50)	Firm friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.		
1.40	D3			15.38	1.40 (0.20)	Highly weathered destructured GREYWACKE: Recovered as light grey brown angular fine to coarse GRAVEL sized fragments.		
			11/06/2018:DRY	15.18	1.60	Complete at 1.60m		
<b>Plan</b>					<b>Remarks</b> <p>Pit side walls stable. No obvious visual or olfactory evidence of contamination. ES=Environmental soil sample comprising 1x400g capacity plastic tub, 1x250g capacity amber glass jar and 1x60g capacity amber glass vial.</p>			
					<b>Scale (approx)</b> 1:25	<b>Logged By</b> TS	<b>Figure No.</b> 02.ROI18.TP2	

GEOTECHNICAL ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES LIMITED					Site Proposed Residential Development, Blackrock, Dundalk, County Louth.	Trial Pit Number <b>TP3</b>
Excavation Method 13T Tracked Excavator		Dimensions		Ground Level (mOD) 18.61	Client Kingsbridge Consultancy Limited	Job Number 02.ROI18
		Location (Handheld GPS) 306693.33 E 304174.95 N		Dates 11/06/2018	Engineer Finn Design Partnership	Sheet 1/1
Depth (m)	Sample / Tests	Water Depth (m)	Field Records	Level (mOD)	Depth (m) (Thickness)	Description
						Legend
						Water
0.30	D1			18.31	0.30 (0.30)	TOPSOIL.
0.50	ES1				0.50 (0.40)	Stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.
0.70	D2			17.91	0.70 (0.90)	Stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.
1.00	ES2					
1.60	D3			17.01	1.60 (0.80)	Firm to stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.
2.00	ES3					
2.40	D4			16.21	2.40 (0.20)	Highly weathered destructured GREYWACKE: Recovered as light grey brown angular fine to coarse GRAVEL sized fragments.
			11/06/2018:DRY	16.01	2.60	Complete at 2.60m
Plan				Remarks		
				Pit side walls stable. No obvious visual or olfactory evidence of contamination. ES=Environmental soil sample comprising 1x400g capacity plastic tub, 1x250g capacity amber glass jar and 1x60g capacity amber glass vial.		
				Scale (approx)	Logged By	Figure No.
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GEOTECHNICAL ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES LIMITED					Site			
Excavation Method		Dimensions		Ground Level (mOD)	Client		Job Number	
13T Tracked Excavator				21.22	Kingsbridge Consultancy Limited		02.ROI18	
		Location (Handheld GPS)		Dates	Engineer		Sheet	
		306756.22 E 304072.47 N		11/06/2018	Finn Design Partnership		1/1	
Depth (m)	Sample / Tests	Water Depth (m)	Field Records	Level (mOD)	Depth (m) (Thickness)	Description	Legend	Water
0.20	D1			21.02	(0.20)	TOPSOIL.		
0.40	D2			20.82	0.20 (0.20)	Stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.		
0.50	ES1				(0.50)	Stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.		
0.90	D3			20.32	0.90	Stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.		
1.00	ES2				(0.60)			
1.50	D4			19.72	1.50 (0.90)	Highly weathered destructured GREYWACKE: Recovered as light grey brown angular fine to coarse GRAVEL sized fragments in a silty clay matrix.		
			11/06/2018:DRY	18.82	2.40	Complete at 2.40m		
<b>Plan</b>					<b>Remarks</b>			
					Pit side walls stable. No obvious visual or olfactory evidence of contamination. ES=Environmental soil sample comprising 1x400g capacity plastic tub, 1x250g capacity amber glass jar and 1x60g capacity amber glass vial.			
					<b>Scale (approx)</b>		<b>Logged By</b>	<b>Figure No.</b>
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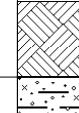
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Excavation Method			Dimensions	Ground Level (mOD)	Client	Job Number
13T Tracked Excavator			Location (Handheld GPS) 306843.17 E 304112.07 N	20.52 11/06/2018	Kingsbridge Consultancy Limited Finn Design Partnership	Sheet 1/1
Depth (m)	Sample / Tests	Water Depth (m)	Field Records	Level (mOD)	Depth (m) (Thickness)	Description
0.20	D1			20.32	(0.20) 0.20	TOPSOIL.
0.50	ES1				(0.70)	Stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.
0.90	D2			19.62	0.90	
1.00	ES2				(0.60)	Stiff friable light grey brown with dark brown mottling slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.
1.50	D3			19.02	1.50	Firm to stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.
2.00	ES3				(0.90)	
2.40	D4			18.12	2.40	Very stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.
			Pit terminated due to encountering suspected bedrock. 11/06/2018:DRY	17.42	(0.70) 3.10	Complete at 3.10m
Plan	Remarks					
	Pit side walls stable. No obvious visual or olfactory evidence of contamination. ES=Environmental soil sample comprising 1x400g capacity plastic tub, 1x250g capacity amber glass jar and 1x60g capacity amber glass vial.					
			Scale (approx)	Logged By	Figure No.	
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 <b>GEOTECHNICAL ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES LIMITED</b>						<b>Site</b> Proposed Residential Development, Blackrock, Dundalk, County Louth.	<b>Trial Pit Number</b> <b>TP6</b>
<b>Excavation Method</b> 13T Tracked Excavator		<b>Dimensions</b>		<b>Ground Level (mOD)</b> 19.24		<b>Client</b> Kingsbridge Consultancy Limited	
		<b>Location (Handheld GPS)</b> 306793.48 E 304211.44 N		<b>Dates</b> 11/06/2018		<b>Engineer</b> Finn Design Partnership	
Depth (m)	Sample / Tests	Water Depth (m)	Field Records	Level (mOD)	Depth (m) (Thickness)	Description	Legend
							Water
0.25	D1			18.99	(0.25)	TOPSOIL.	
0.50	ES1				(0.65)	Stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.	
0.90	D2			18.34	0.90		
1.00	ES2				(1.10)	Highly weathered destructured GREYWACKE: Recovered as light grey brown angular fine to coarse GRAVEL sized fragments in a silty clay matrix.	
2.00	D3		11/06/2018:DRY	17.24	2.00	Complete at 2.00m	
<b>Plan</b>				<b>Remarks</b>			
				Pit side walls stable. No obvious visual or olfactory evidence of contamination. ES=Environmental soil sample comprising 1x400g capacity plastic tub, 1x250g capacity amber glass jar and 1x60g capacity amber glass vial.			
				<b>Scale (approx)</b> 1:25	<b>Logged By</b> TS	<b>Figure No.</b> 02.ROI18.TP6	

 <p>GEOTECHNICAL ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES LIMITED</p>					<p><b>Site</b> Proposed Residential Development, Blackrock, Dundalk, County Louth.</p>		<p><b>Trial Pit Number</b> <b>TP7</b></p>				
<b>Excavation Method</b> 13T Tracked Excavator.		<b>Dimensions</b>		<b>Ground Level (mOD)</b> 17.63		<b>Client</b> Kingsbridge Consultancy Limited		<b>Job Number</b> 02.ROI18			
		<b>Location (Handheld GPS)</b> 306747.77 E 304299.49 N		<b>Dates</b> 12/06/2018		<b>Engineer</b> Finn Design Partnership		<b>Sheet</b> 1/1			
<b>Depth (m)</b>		<b>Sample / Tests</b>		<b>Water Depth (m)</b>	<b>Field Records</b>		<b>Level (mOD)</b>	<b>Depth (m) (Thickness)</b>			
0.30		D1		12/06/2018:DRY			<p><b>Description</b></p> <p>TOPSOIL.</p> <p>Highly weathered GREYWACKE: Recovered as grey angular fine to coarse GRAVEL sized fragments.</p> <p>Complete at 0.40m</p>				
											
<b>Plan</b>					<b>Remarks</b> <p>Pit side walls stable. No obvious visual or olfactory evidence of contamination. ES=Environmental soil sample comprising 1x400g capacity plastic tub, 1x250g capacity amber glass jar and 1x60g capacity amber glass vial.</p>						
					<b>Scale (approx)</b> 1:25	<b>Logged By</b> TS	<b>Figure No.</b> 02.ROI18.TP7				

GEOTECHNICAL ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES LIMITED						Site Proposed Residential Development, Blackrock, Dundalk, County Louth.	Trial Pit Number <b>TP8</b>
Excavation Method 13T Tracked Excavator		Dimensions		Ground Level (mOD) 15.28		Client Kingsbridge Consultancy Limited	Job Number 02.ROI18
		Location (Handheld GPS) 306693.09 E 304384.08 N		Dates 12/06/2018		Engineer Finn Design Partnership	Sheet 1/1
Depth (m)	Sample / Tests	Water Depth (m)	Field Records	Level (mOD)	Depth (m) (Thickness)	Description	Legend
							Water
0.30	D1			14.98	0.30 (0.30)	TOPSOIL.	
0.50	ES1			14.58	0.70 (0.40)	Very stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.	
0.70	D2			14.18	1.10 (0.40)	Stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.	
1.00	ES2						
1.10	D3						
2.00	ES3				(2.00)		
2.50	D4						
3.00	ES4		Pit terminated due to encountering suspected bedrock. 12/06/2018:DRY	12.18	3.10	Complete at 3.10m	
Plan						Remarks	
						Pit side walls stable. No obvious visual or olfactory evidence of contamination. ES=Environmental soil sample comprising 1x400g capacity plastic tub, 1x250g capacity amber glass jar and 1x60g capacity amber glass vial.	
						Scale (approx) 1:25	Logged By TS
						Figure No. 02.ROI18.TP8	



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**Trial Pit Number**  
**TP9**

**Excavation Method**  
13T Tracked Excavator

**Dimensions**

**Ground Level (mOD)**  
11.61

**Client**  
Kingsbridge Consultancy Limited

**Job Number**  
02.ROI18

**Location (Handheld GPS)**  
306787.66 E 304405.92 N

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<b>Depth (m)</b>	<b>Sample / Tests</b>	<b>Water Depth (m)</b>	<b>Field Records</b>	<b>Level (mOD)</b>	<b>Depth (m) (Thickness)</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Legend</b>	<b>Water</b>
0.25	D1				(0.25)	TOPSOIL.		
					(0.10)	Very stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.		
0.35	D2				(0.35)	Light grey brown clayey silty sandy fine to coarse GRAVEL with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.		
					(0.95)			
1.30	D3 ES1				1.30	Stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.		
					(1.20)			
2.50	D4 ES2		<p>Pit terminated due to encountering suspected bedrock. 11/06/2018:DRY</p>		2.50	Stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.		
					(0.30)			
2.50					2.80	Complete at 2.80m		
					(2.80)			

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**Plan**

**Remarks**

Pit side walls stable.  
No obvious visual or olfactory evidence of contamination.  
ES=Environmental soil sample comprising 1x400g capacity plastic tub, 1x250g capacity amber glass jar and 1x60g capacity amber glass vial.

**Scale (approx)**  
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Number  
**TP10**

<b>Excavation Method</b> 13T tracked excavator.		<b>Dimensions</b>		<b>Ground Level (mOD)</b> 8.72		<b>Client</b> Kingsbridge Consultancy Limited	<b>Job Number</b> 02.ROI18	
		<b>Location</b> 307019.8 E 304421.84 N		<b>Dates</b> 12/06/2018		<b>Engineer</b> Finn Design Partnership	<b>Sheet</b> 1/1	
<b>Depth (m)</b>	<b>Sample / Tests</b>	<b>Water Depth (m)</b>	<b>Field Records</b>	<b>Level (mOD)</b>	<b>Depth (m) (Thickness)</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Legend</b>	<b>Water</b>
0.35 0.50	D1 ES1			8.37	(0.35) 0.35	TOPSOIL.		
1.00	ES2				(2.45)	Damp light grey brown silty sandy fine to coarse GRAVEL (damp). Gravel is sub-angular to sub-rounded.		
2.00	ES3							
2.80	D2			5.92	2.80 (0.30)	Firm to stiff friable light brown grey slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.		
3.00	ES4		Pit terminated due to encountering suspected bedrock. 12/06/2018:DRY	5.62	3.10	Complete at 3.10m		
<b>Plan</b>					<b>Remarks</b>			
					Pit side walls slightly unstable. No obvious visual or olfactory evidence of contamination. ES=Environmental soil sample comprising 1x400g capacity plastic tub, 1x250g capacity amber glass jar and 1x60g capacity amber glass vial.			
					<b>Scale (approx)</b> 1:50	<b>Logged By</b> TS	<b>Figure No.</b> 02.ROI18.TP10	

 <b>GEOTECHNICAL ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES LIMITED</b>						<b>Site</b> Proposed Residential Development, Blackrock, Dundalk, County Louth.	<b>Trial Pit Number</b> <b>TP11</b>
<b>Excavation Method</b> 13T Tracked Excavator.		<b>Dimensions</b>		<b>Ground Level (mOD)</b> 15.38		<b>Client</b> Kingsbridge Consultancy Limited	
		<b>Location (Handheld GPS)</b> 306876.56 E 304239.78 N		<b>Dates</b> 12/06/2018		<b>Engineer</b> Finn Design Partnership	
Depth (m)	Sample / Tests	Water Depth (m)	Field Records	Level (mOD)	Depth (m) (Thickness)	Description	Legend
							Water
0.30	D1			15.08	0.30 (0.30)	TOPSOIL.	
0.50	ES1			14.78	0.60 (0.30)	Very stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.	
0.60	D2					Stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.	
1.00	ES2						
1.40	D3			13.98	1.40 (1.00)	Firm to stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.	
2.00	ES3						
2.40	D4		Pit terminated due to encountering suspected bedrock. 12/06/2018:DRY	12.98	2.40 (0.30)	Very stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.	
				12.68	2.70	Complete at 2.70m	
<b>Plan</b>				<b>Remarks</b> <p>Pit side walls stable. No obvious visual or olfactory evidence of contamination. ES=Environmental soil sample comprising 1x400g capacity plastic tub, 1x250g capacity amber glass jar and 1x60g capacity amber glass vial.</p>			
				<b>Scale (approx)</b> 1:25		<b>Logged By</b> TS	<b>Figure No.</b> 02.ROI18.TP11

GEOTECHNICAL ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES LIMITED					Site Proposed Residential Development, Blackrock, Dundalk, County Louth.	Trial Pit Number <b>TP12</b>
Excavation Method 13T Tracked Excavator		Dimensions		Ground Level (mOD) 16.07	Client Kingsbridge Consultancy Limited	Job Number 02.ROI18
		Location (Handheld GPS) 306922.36 E 304148.94 N		Dates 11/06/2018	Engineer Finn Design Partnership	Sheet 1/1
Depth (m)	Sample / Tests	Water Depth (m)	Field Records	Level (mOD)	Depth (m) (Thickness)	Description
0.20 0.30 0.50	D1 D2 ES1			15.87 15.77	(0.20) 0.20 0.30	TOPSOIL. Stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.
1.00	ES2				(1.30)	Stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.
2.00	ES3			14.47	1.60	Firm to stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.
2.60	D3		Pit terminated due to encountering suspected bedrock. 11/06/2018:DRY	13.47 12.97	2.60 (0.50) 3.10	Stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.
						Complete at 3.10m
Plan				Remarks		
				Pit side walls stable. No obvious visual or olfactory evidence of contamination. ES=Environmental soil sample comprising 1x400g capacity plastic tub, 1x250g capacity amber glass jar and 1x60g capacity amber glass vial.		
				Scale (approx)	Logged By	Figure No.
				1:50	TS	02.ROI18.TP12



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**Site**  
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**Excavation Method**  
13T Tracked Excavator

**Dimensions**

**Ground Level (mOD)**  
15.28

**Client**  
Kingsbridge Consultancy Limited

**Job Number**  
02.ROI18

**Location (Handheld GPS)**  
306999.22 E 304199.02 N

**Dates**  
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**Engineer**  
Finn Design Partnership

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**Depth (m)**
**Sample / Tests**
**Water Depth (m)**
**Field Records**
**Level (mOD)**
**Depth (m)  
(Thickness)**
**Description**
**Legend**
**Water**

0.30
D1


14.98
(0.30)
TOPSOIL.

0.50
D2


14.78
0.30  
(0.20)
Very stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY containing rootlets. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.

0.50
ES1


14.78
0.50
Stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.

1.00
ES2


13.68
(1.10)

1.60
D3


13.68
1.60
Firm to stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.

2.00
ES3


12.68
(1.00)

2.60
D4

Pit terminated due to encountering suspected bedrock.  
12/06/2018:DRY
12.48
2.60  
(0.20)
Very stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.

12.48
2.80
Complete at 2.80m

**Plan**
**Remarks**

Pit side walls stable.  
No obvious visual or olfactory evidence of contamination.  
ES=Environmental soil sample comprising 1x400g capacity plastic tub, 1x250g capacity amber glass jar and 1x60g capacity amber glass vial.

**Scale (approx)**
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 <b>GEOTECHNICAL ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES LIMITED</b>					<b>Site</b> Proposed Residential Development, Blackrock, Dundalk, County Louth.		<b>Trial Pit Number</b> <b>TP14</b>
<b>Excavation Method</b> 13T Tracked Excavator		<b>Dimensions</b>		<b>Ground Level (mOD)</b> 14.06	<b>Client</b> Kingsbridge Consultancy Limited		<b>Job Number</b> 02.ROI18
		<b>Location (Handheld GPS)</b> 306940.76 E 304293.7 N		<b>Dates</b> 12/06/2018	<b>Engineer</b> Finn Design Partnership		<b>Sheet</b> 1/1
Depth (m)	Sample / Tests	Water Depth (m)	Field Records	Level (mOD)	Depth (m) (Thickness)	Description	Legend Water
0.35	D1		12/06/2018:DRY	13.71	(0.35) 0.35 (0.70)	TOPSOIL.  Highly weathered destructured GREYWACKE: Recovered as grey and light grey brown angular fine to coarse GRAVEL sized fragments in a silty clay matrix.  Complete at 1.05m	 
<b>Plan</b>				<b>Remarks</b> Pit side walls stable. No obvious visual or olfactory evidence of contamination. ES=Environmental soil sample comprising 1x400g capacity plastic tub, 1x250g capacity amber glass jar and 1x60g capacity amber glass vial.			
				<b>Scale (approx)</b> 1:25	<b>Logged By</b> TS	<b>Figure No.</b> 02.ROI18.TP14	



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**Site**  
Proposed Residential Development, Blackrock, Dundalk, County Louth.

**Excavation Method**  
13T tracked excavator.

**Dimensions**

**Ground Level (mOD)**  
10.82

**Client**  
Kingsbridge Consultancy Limited

**Job Number**  
02.ROI18

**Location (Handheld GPS)**  
306885.87 E 304404.37 N

**Dates**  
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**Engineer**  
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Depth (m)	Sample / Tests	Water Depth (m)	Field Records	Level (mOD)	Depth (m) (Thickness)	Description	Legend	Water
0.30	D1			10.52	0.30 (0.30)	TOPSOIL.		
0.50	D2			10.32	0.30 (0.20)	Very stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY. Also containing rootlets. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.		
0.50	ES1				0.50	Stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.		
1.00	ES2				(1.30)			
1.80	D3			9.02	1.80	Firm to stiff friable light brown grey slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.		
2.00	ES3				(1.20)			
3.00	ES4		Pit terminated due to encountering suspected bedrock. 12/06/2018:DRY	7.82	3.00	Complete at 3.00m		
<b>Plan</b>						<b>Remarks</b>		
						Pit side walls stable. No obvious visual or olfactory evidence of contamination. ES=Environmental soil sample comprising 1x400g capacity plastic tub, 1x250g capacity amber glass jar and 1x60g capacity amber glass vial.		



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Excavation Method  
13T tracked excavator.

Dimensions

Ground Level (mOD)  
10.01

Client  
Kingsbridge Consultancy Limited

Job Number  
02.ROI18

Location (Handheld GPS)  
306950.41 E 304436.51 N

Dates  
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**TP16**

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Depth (m)	Sample / Tests	Water Depth (m)	Field Records	Level (mOD)	Depth (m) (Thickness)	Description	Legend	Water
0.30	D1				(0.30)	TOPSOIL.		
0.30	ES1			9.71	0.30 (0.10)	Very stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY containing roots and rootlets. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.		
0.40	D2			9.61	0.40 (0.20)	Highly weathered destructured GREYWACKE: Recovered as light grey and grey brown angular fine to coarse GRAVEL sized fragments.		
			12/06/2018:DRY	9.41	0.60	Complete at 0.60m		
<b>Plan</b>				<b>Remarks</b>				
				<p>Pit side walls stable. No obvious visual or olfactory evidence of contamination. ES=Environmental soil sample comprising 1x400g capacity plastic tub, 1x250g capacity amber glass jar and 1x60g capacity amber glass vial.</p>				
				<b>Scale (approx)</b>	<b>Logged By</b>	<b>Figure No.</b>		
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Excavation Method 13T Tracked Excavator		Dimensions		Ground Level (mOD) 9.38	Client Kingsbridge Consultancy Limited	Job Number 02.ROI18
		Location (Handheld GPS) 306996.72 E 304498.59 N		Dates 12/06/2018	Engineer Finn Design Partnership	Sheet 1/1
Depth (m)	Sample / Tests	Water Depth (m)	Field Records	Level (mOD)	Depth (m) (Thickness)	Description
0.35	D1			9.03	(0.35)	TOPSOIL.
0.50	ES1			8.78	0.35 (0.25)	Light grey brown silty fine SAND.
0.60	D2			8.63	0.60 (0.15)	Light grey brown silty fine SAND (damp).
0.75	D3			8.38	0.75 (0.25)	Firm friable brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.
1.00	D4 ES2	1.00		8.38	1.00	Grey brown silty sandy fine to coarse GRAVEL with cobble content (damp). Gravel is sub-angular to sub-rounded.
					(1.60)	
2.00	ES3			6.78	2.60	
2.60	D5			6.28	(0.50)	Firm to stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.
3.00	ES4		Pit terminated due to encountering suspected bedrock. 12/06/2018:DRY	6.28	3.10	Complete at 3.10m
Plan				Remarks		
				Pit side walls unstable. No obvious visual or olfactory evidence of contamination. ES=Environmental soil sample comprising 1x400g capacity plastic tub, 1x250g capacity amber glass jar and 1x60g capacity amber glass vial.		
				Scale (approx) 1:25	Logged By TS	Figure No. 02.ROI18.TP17

 <b>GEOTECHNICAL ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES LIMITED</b>						<b>Site</b>	<b>Trial Pit Number</b>
<b>Excavation Method</b> 13T Tracked Excavator		<b>Dimensions</b>		<b>Ground Level (mOD)</b> 9.09		<b>Client</b> Kingsbridge Consultancy Limited	
		<b>Location (Handheld GPS)</b> 306950.73 E 304370.25 N		<b>Dates</b> 12/06/2018		<b>Engineer</b> Finn Design Partnership	
Depth (m)	Sample / Tests	Water Depth (m)	Field Records	Level (mOD)	Depth (m) (Thickness)	Description	Legend
0.35	D1			8.74	0.35 (0.35)	TOPSOIL.	
0.50	ES1			8.49	0.60 (0.25)	Very stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY containing rootlets. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.	
0.60	D2					Stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.	
1.00	ES2						
2.00	ES3			6.99	2.10 (0.20)	Highly weathered destructured GREYWACKE: Recovered as light grey brown angular fine to coarse GRAVEL sized fragments in a silty clay matrix.	
2.10	D3		12/06/2018:DRY	6.79	2.30	Complete at 2.30m	
<b>Plan</b>				<b>Remarks</b>			
				Pit side walls stable. No obvious visual or olfactory evidence of contamination. ES=Environmental soil sample comprising 1x400g capacity plastic tub, 1x250g capacity amber glass jar and 1x60g capacity amber glass vial.			
				<b>Scale (approx)</b> 1:25	<b>Logged By</b> TS	<b>Figure No.</b> 02.ROI18.TP18	

 <b>GEOTECHNICAL ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES LIMITED</b>						<b>Site</b> Proposed Residential Development, Blackrock, Dundalk, County Louth.	<b>Trial Pit Number</b> <b>TP19</b>
<b>Excavation Method</b> 13T Tracked Excavator		<b>Dimensions</b>		<b>Ground Level (mOD)</b> 10.12		<b>Client</b> Kingsbridge Consultancy Limited	
		<b>Location (Handheld GPS)</b> 307025.23 E 304317.03 N		<b>Dates</b> 12/06/2018		<b>Engineer</b> Finn Design Partnership	
Depth (m)	Sample / Tests	Water Depth (m)	Field Records	Level (mOD)	Depth (m) (Thickness)	Description	Legend Water
0.30	D1			9.82	(0.30)	TOPSOIL.	
0.45	D2			9.67	0.30 (0.15)	MADE GROUND: Very stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY containing rootlets. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.	
0.50	ES1			9.52	0.45 (0.15)	MADE GROUND: Stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.	
0.60	D3			9.02	0.60 (0.50)	MADE GROUND: Soft grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble content. Also containing glass and ceramic remnants. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.	
1.00	ES2			8.32	1.10 (0.70)	Soft to firm light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble and boulder content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.	
1.10	D4			7.72	1.80 (0.60)	Becomes very stiff below 1.60m depth.	
1.80	D5			7.72	2.40	Highly weathered destructured GREYWACKE: Recovered as light grey brown angular fine to coarse GRAVEL in a silty clay matrix.	
2.00	ES3					Complete at 2.40m	
12/06/2018:DRY							
<b>Plan</b>						<b>Remarks</b> Pit side walls stable. No obvious visual or olfactory evidence of contamination. ES=Environmental soil sample comprising 1x400g capacity plastic tub, 1x250g capacity amber glass jar and 1x60g capacity amber glass vial.	
						<b>Scale (approx)</b> 1:25	<b>Logged By</b> TS
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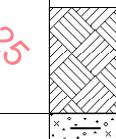
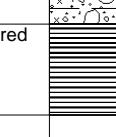


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## Proposed Residential Development, Blackrock, Dundalk, County Louth.

**Trial Pit  
Number**  
**TP20**

Excavation Method 13T Tracked Excavator		Dimensions		Ground Level (mOD) 13.06		Client Kingsbridge Consultancy Limited		Job Number 02.ROI18
		Location (Handheld GPS) 307104.8 E 304241.59 N		Dates 12/06/2018		Engineer Finn Design Partnership		Sheet 1/1
Depth (m)	Sample / Tests	Water Depth (m)	Field Records	Level (mOD)	Depth (m) (Thickness)	Description		Legend
0.35	D1				(0.35)	TOPSOIL.		
0.50	ES1			12.71	0.35 (0.50)	Very stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY containing rootlets. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.		
0.85	D2			12.21	0.85 (0.25)	Stiff friable light grey brown slightly sandy slightly gravelly silty CLAY with cobble content. Gravel is fine to coarse, sub-angular to sub-rounded.		
1.00	ES2			11.96	1.10 (0.30)	Highly weathered destructured GREYWACKE: Recovered as grey brown angular fine to coarse GRAVEL sized fragments in a silty clay matrix.		
1.10	D3		12/06/2018:DRY	11.66	1.40	Complete at 1.40m		
<b>Plan</b>						<b>Remarks</b>		
						Pit side walls stable. No obvious visual or olfactory evidence of contamination. ES=Environmental soil sample comprising 1x400g capacity plastic tub, 1x250g capacity amber glass jar and 1x60g capacity amber glass vial.		
						<b>Scale (approx)</b>		<b>Logged By</b>
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**APPENDIX B**  
**LAB ANALYSIS**

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Geotechnical Environmental Services Limited  
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**Attention :** Tom Salway  
**Date :** 3rd July, 2018  
**Your reference :** 002/ROI/18  
**Our reference :** Test Report 18/9453 Batch 1  
**Location :** Proposed Residential Development, Blackrock,  
**Date samples received :** 18th June, 2018  
**Status :** Final report  
**Issue :** 1

Sixty eight samples were received for analysis on 18th June, 2018 of which ten were scheduled for analysis. Please find attached our Test Report which should be read with notes at the end of the report and should include all sections if reproduced. Interpretations and opinions are outside the scope of any accreditation, and all results relate only to samples supplied.

All analysis is carried out on as received samples and reported on a dry weight basis unless stated otherwise. Results are not surrogate corrected.

## Compiled By:

**Bruce Leslie**  
Project Co-ordinator

**Exova Jones Environmental**

**Client Name:** Geotechnical Environmental Services Limited  
**Reference:** 002/ROI/18  
**Location:** Proposed Residential Development, Blackrock, Dundalk, Coun  
**Solids:** V=60g VOC jar, J=250g glass jar, T=plastic tub  
**Contact:** Tom Salway  
**JE Job No.:** 18/9453

**Report : Solid**

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Please see attached notes for all abbreviations and acronyms

J E Sample No.	1-3	4-6	13-15	16-18	25-27	28-30	34-36	37-39	40-42	43-45	LOD/LOR	Units	Method No.
<b>Sample ID</b>	BH1	BH1	BH2	BH2	BH3	BH3	BH4	BH4	BH5	BH5			
<b>Depth</b>	0.50	1.00	0.50	1.00	0.50	1.00	0.50	1.00	0.50	1.00			
<b>COC No / misc</b>													
<b>Containers</b>	V J T	V J T	V J T	V J T	V J T	V J T	V J T	V J T	V J T	V J T			
<b>Sample Date</b>	14/06/2018	14/06/2018	13/06/2018	13/06/2018	13/06/2018	13/06/2018	13/06/2018	13/06/2018	13/06/2018	13/06/2018			
<b>Sample Type</b>	Soil												
<b>Batch Number</b>	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
<b>Date of Receipt</b>	18/06/2018	18/06/2018	18/06/2018	18/06/2018	18/06/2018	18/06/2018	18/06/2018	18/06/2018	18/06/2018	18/06/2018			
Arsenic #	6.0	6.1	4.4	6.8	4.2	1.8	5.1	6.4	4.4	5.1	<0.5	mg/kg	TM30/PM15
Cadmium #	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	mg/kg	TM30/PM15
Chromium #	80.6	79.0	70.2	81.3	77.6	88.9	81.9	77.6	81.1	78.4	<0.5	mg/kg	TM30/PM15
Copper #	31	39	7	37	10	45	30	34	22	49	<1	mg/kg	TM30/PM15
Lead #	8	21	9	11	13	<5	9	10	6	8	<5	mg/kg	TM30/PM15
Mercury #	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	mg/kg	TM30/PM15
Nickel #	73.6	72.0	42.3	76.6	41.6	82.4	66.0	67.7	70.2	68.1	<0.7	mg/kg	TM30/PM15
Selenium #	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	<1	<1	mg/kg	TM30/PM15
Zinc #	80	81	73	91	77	88	72	76	78	78	<5	mg/kg	TM30/PM15
<b>PAH MS</b>													
Naphthalene #	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	mg/kg	TM4/PM8
Acenaphthylene	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	mg/kg	TM4/PM8
Acenaphthene #	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	mg/kg	TM4/PM8
Fluorene #	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	mg/kg	TM4/PM8
Phenanthrene #	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	mg/kg	TM4/PM8
Anthracene #	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	mg/kg	TM4/PM8
Fluoranthene #	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	mg/kg	TM4/PM8
Pyrene #	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	mg/kg	TM4/PM8
Benzo(a)anthracene #	<0.06	<0.06	<0.06	<0.06	<0.06	<0.06	<0.06	<0.06	<0.06	<0.06	<0.06	mg/kg	TM4/PM8
Chrysene #	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02	mg/kg	TM4/PM8
Benzo(bk)fluoranthene #	<0.07	<0.07	<0.07	<0.07	<0.07	<0.07	<0.07	<0.07	<0.07	<0.07	<0.07	mg/kg	TM4/PM8
Benzo(a)pyrene #	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	mg/kg	TM4/PM8
Indeno(123cd)pyrene #	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	mg/kg	TM4/PM8
Dibenzo(ah)anthracene #	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	mg/kg	TM4/PM8
Benzo(ghi)perylene #	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	mg/kg	TM4/PM8
PAH 16 Total	<0.6	<0.6	<0.6	<0.6	<0.6	<0.6	<0.6	<0.6	<0.6	<0.6	<0.6	mg/kg	TM4/PM8
Benzo(b)fluoranthene	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	mg/kg	TM4/PM8
Benzo(k)fluoranthene	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02	mg/kg	TM4/PM8
PAH Surrogate % Recovery	93	96	92	93	81	91	92	92	91	92	<0	%	TM4/PM8
Methyl Tertiary Butyl Ether #	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
Benzene #	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
Toluene #	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
Ethylbenzene #	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
p/m-Xylene #	<5	<5	<5	<5	<5	<5	<5	<5	<5	<5	<5	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
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**Client Name:** Geotechnical Environmental Services Limited  
**Reference:** 002/ROI/18  
**Location:** Proposed Residential Development, Blackrock, Dundalk, Coun **Solids:** V=60g VOC jar, J=250g glass jar, T=plastic tub  
**Contact:** Tom Salway  
**JE Job No.:** 18/9453

**Report : Solid**

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J E Sample No.	1-3	4-6	13-15	16-18	25-27	28-30	34-36	37-39	40-42	43-45			
Sample ID	BH1	BH1	BH2	BH2	BH3	BH3	BH4	BH4	BH5	BH5			
Depth	0.50	1.00	0.50	1.00	0.50	1.00	0.50	1.00	0.50	1.00			
COC No / misc													
Containers	V J T	V J T	V J T	V J T	V J T	V J T	V J T	V J T	V J T	V J T			
Sample Date	14/06/2018	14/06/2018	13/06/2018	13/06/2018	13/06/2018	13/06/2018	13/06/2018	13/06/2018	13/06/2018	13/06/2018			
Sample Type	Soil												
Batch Number	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
Date of Receipt	18/06/2018	18/06/2018	18/06/2018	18/06/2018	18/06/2018	18/06/2018	18/06/2018	18/06/2018	18/06/2018	18/06/2018			
											LOD/LOR	Units	Method No.
TPH CWG													
Aliphatics													
>C5-C6 <sup>#</sup>	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	mg/kg	TM36/PM12
>C6-C8 <sup>#</sup>	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	mg/kg	TM36/PM12
>C8-C10	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	mg/kg	TM36/PM12
>C10-C12 <sup>#</sup>	<0.2	<0.2	<0.2	<0.2	<0.2	<0.2	<0.2	<0.2	<0.2	<0.2	<0.2	mg/kg	TM5/PM8/PM16
>C12-C16 <sup>#</sup>	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	mg/kg	TM5/PM8/PM16
>C16-C21 <sup>#</sup>	<7	<7	<7	<7	<7	<7	<7	<7	<7	<7	<7	mg/kg	TM5/PM8/PM16
>C21-C35 <sup>#</sup>	<7	<7	<7	<7	<7	<7	<7	<7	<7	<7	<7	mg/kg	TM5/PM8/PM16
Total aliphatics C5-35	<19	<19	<19	<19	<19	<19	<19	<19	<19	<19	<19	mg/kg	TM5/PM8/PM16
Aromatics													
>C5-EC7 <sup>#</sup>	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	mg/kg	TM36/PM12
>EC7-EC8 <sup>#</sup>	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	mg/kg	TM36/PM12
>EC8-EC10 <sup>#</sup>	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	mg/kg	TM36/PM12
>EC10-EC12 <sup>#</sup>	<0.2	6.7	<0.2	<0.2	<0.2	<0.2	<0.2	<0.2	<0.2	<0.2	<0.2	mg/kg	TM5/PM8/PM16
>EC12-EC16 <sup>#</sup>	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	mg/kg	TM5/PM8/PM16
>EC16-EC21 <sup>#</sup>	<7	18	<7	<7	<7	<7	<7	<7	<7	<7	<7	mg/kg	TM5/PM8/PM16
>EC21-EC35 <sup>#</sup>	<7	24	<7	<7	<7	<7	<7	<7	<7	<7	<7	mg/kg	TM5/PM8/PM16
Total aromatics C5-35 <sup>#</sup>	<19	49	<19	<19	<19	<19	<19	<19	<19	<19	<19	mg/kg	TM5/PM8/PM16
Total aliphatics and aromatics(C5-35)	<38	49	<38	<38	<38	<38	<38	<38	<38	<38	<38	mg/kg	TM5/PM8/PM16
Natural Moisture Content	7.5	13.8	13.9	16.3	10.6	6.3	8.7	13.5	5.8	11.4	<0.1	%	PM4/PM0

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Client Name: Geotechnical Environmental Services Limited

Reference: 002/ROI/18

Location: Proposed Residential Development, Blackrock, Dundalk, Coun

Contact: Tom Salway

JE Job No.: 18/9453

VOC Report :

Solid

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J E Sample No.	1-3	4-6	13-15	16-18	25-27	28-30	34-36	37-39	40-42	43-45	LOD/LOR	Units	Method No.
Sample ID	BH1	BH1	BH2	BH2	BH3	BH3	BH4	BH4	BH5	BH5			
Depth	0.50	1.00	0.50	1.00	0.50	1.00	0.50	1.00	0.50	1.00			
COC No / misc													
Containers	V J T	V J T	V J T	V J T	V J T	V J T	V J T	V J T	V J T	V J T			
Sample Date	14/06/2018	14/06/2018	13/06/2018	13/06/2018	13/06/2018	13/06/2018	13/06/2018	13/06/2018	13/06/2018	13/06/2018			
Sample Type	Soil												
Batch Number	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
Date of Receipt	18/06/2018	18/06/2018	18/06/2018	18/06/2018	18/06/2018	18/06/2018	18/06/2018	18/06/2018	18/06/2018	18/06/2018			
VOC MS													
Dichlorodifluoromethane	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
Methyl Tertiary Butyl Ether #	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
Chloromethane #	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
Vinyl Chloride	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	ug/kg	TM15_A/PM10
Bromomethane	<1	<1	<1	<1	<1	<1	<1	<1	<1	<1	<1	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
Chloroethane #	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
Trichlorodifluoromethane #	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
1,1-Dichloroethene (1,1 DCE) #	<6	<6	<6	<6	<6	<6	<6	<6	<6	<6	<6	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
Dichloromethane (DCM) #	<30	<30	<30	<30	<30	<30	<30	<30	<30	<30	<30	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
trans-1,2-Dichloroethene #	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
1,1-Dichloroethane #	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
cis-1,2-Dichloroethene #	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
2,2-Dichloropropane	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
Bromochloromethane #	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
Chloroform #	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
1,1,1-Trichloroethane #	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
1,1-Dichloropropene #	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
Carbon tetrachloride #	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
1,2-Dichloroethane #	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
Benzene #	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
Trichloroethene (TCE) #	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
1,2-Dichloropropane #	<6	<6	<6	<6	<6	<6	<6	<6	<6	<6	<6	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
Dibromomethane #	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
Bromodichloromethane #	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
cis-1,3-Dichloropropene	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
Toluene #	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
trans-1,3-Dichloropropene	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
1,1,2-Trichloroethane #	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
Tetrachloroethene (PCE) #	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
1,3-Dichloropropane #	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
Dibromo-chloromethane #	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
1,2-Dibromoethane #	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
Chlorobenzene #	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
1,1,1,2-Tetrachloroethane #	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
Ethylbenzene #	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
p/m-Xylene #	<5	<5	<5	<5	<5	<5	<5	<5	<5	<5	<5	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
o-Xylene #	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
Styrene	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	ug/kg	TM15_A/PM10
Bromoform	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
Isopropylbenzene #	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane #	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
Bromobenzene	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
1,2,3-Trichloropropane #	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
Propylbenzene #	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
2-Chlorotoluene	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
1,3,5-Trimethylbenzene #	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
4-Chlorotoluene	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	<3	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
tert-Butylbenzene #	<5	<5	<5	<5	<5	<5	<5	<5	<5	<5	<5	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
1,2,4-Trimethylbenzene #	<6	<6	<6	<6	<6	<6	<6	<6	<6	<6	<6	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
sec-Butylbenzene #	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
4-Isopropyltoluene #	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
1,3-Dichlorobenzene #	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
1,4-Dichlorobenzene #	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
n-Butylbenzene #	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
1,2-Dichlorobenzene #	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
1,2-Dibromo-3-chloropropane #	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene #	<7	<7	<7	<7	<7	<7	<7	<7	<7	<7	<7	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
Hexachlorobutadiene	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
Naphthalene	<27	<27	<27	<27	<27	<27	<27	<27	<27	<27	<27	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
1,2,3-Trichlorobenzene #	<7	<7	<7	<7	<7	<7	<7	<7	<7	<7	<7	ug/kg	TM15/PM10
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**Client Name:** Geotechnical Environmental Services Limited  
**Reference:** 002/ROI/18  
**Location:** Proposed Residential Development, Blackrock, Dundalk, County Louth  
**Contact:** Tom Salway

Matrix : Solid

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J E Job No.	Batch	Sample ID	Depth	J E Sample No.	Analysis	Reason
18/9453	1	BH1	0.50	1-3	GRO, VOC	Solid Samples were received at a temperature above 9°C.
18/9453	1	BH1	1.00	4-6	GRO, VOC	Solid Samples were received at a temperature above 9°C.
18/9453	1	BH2	0.50	13-15	GRO	Sample holding time exceeded
18/9453	1	BH2	0.50	13-15	GRO, VOC	Solid Samples were received at a temperature above 9°C.
18/9453	1	BH2	1.00	16-18	GRO	Sample holding time exceeded
18/9453	1	BH2	1.00	16-18	GRO, VOC	Solid Samples were received at a temperature above 9°C.
18/9453	1	BH3	0.50	25-27	GRO	Sample holding time exceeded
18/9453	1	BH3	0.50	25-27	GRO, VOC	Solid Samples were received at a temperature above 9°C.
18/9453	1	BH3	1.00	28-30	GRO	Sample holding time exceeded
18/9453	1	BH3	1.00	28-30	GRO, VOC	Solid Samples were received at a temperature above 9°C.
18/9453	1	BH4	0.50	34-36	GRO	Sample holding time exceeded
18/9453	1	BH4	0.50	34-36	GRO, VOC	Solid Samples were received at a temperature above 9°C.
18/9453	1	BH4	1.00	37-39	GRO	Sample holding time exceeded
18/9453	1	BH4	1.00	37-39	GRO, VOC	Solid Samples were received at a temperature above 9°C.
18/9453	1	BH5	0.50	40-42	GRO	Sample holding time exceeded
18/9453	1	BH5	0.50	40-42	GRO, VOC	Solid Samples were received at a temperature above 9°C.
18/9453	1	BH5	1.00	43-45	GRO	Sample holding time exceeded
18/9453	1	BH5	1.00	43-45	GRO, VOC	Solid Samples were received at a temperature above 9°C.

Please note that only samples that are deviating are mentioned in this report. If no samples are listed it is because none were deviating.

Only analyses which are accredited are recorded as deviating if set criteria are not met.

# NOTES TO ACCOMPANY ALL SCHEDULES AND REPORTS

JE Job No.: 18/9453

## SOILS

Please note we are only MCERTS accredited (UK soils only) for sand, loam and clay and any other matrix is outside our scope of accreditation.

Where an MCERTS report has been requested, you will be notified within 48 hours of any samples that have been identified as being outside our MCERTS scope. As validation has been performed on clay, sand and loam, only samples that are predominantly these matrices, or combinations of them will be within our MCERTS scope. If samples are not one of a combination of the above matrices they will not be marked as MCERTS accredited.

It is assumed that you have taken representative samples on site and require analysis on a representative subsample. Stones will generally be included unless we are requested to remove them.

All samples will be discarded one month after the date of reporting, unless we are instructed to the contrary.

If you have not already done so, please send us a purchase order if this is required by your company.

Where appropriate please make sure that our detection limits are suitable for your needs, if they are not, please notify us immediately.

All analysis is reported on a dry weight basis unless stated otherwise. Results are not surrogate corrected. Samples are dried at  $35^{\circ}\text{C} \pm 5^{\circ}\text{C}$  unless otherwise stated. Moisture content for CEN Leachate tests are dried at  $105^{\circ}\text{C} \pm 5^{\circ}\text{C}$ .

Where Mineral Oil or Fats, Oils and Grease is quoted, this refers to Total Aliphatics C10-C40.

Where a CEN 10:1 ZERO Headspace VOC test has been carried out, a 10:1 ratio of water to wet (as received) soil has been used.

% Asbestos in Asbestos Containing Materials (ACMs) is determined by reference to HSG 264 The Survey Guide - Appendix 2 : ACMs in buildings listed in order of ease of fibre release.

Negative Neutralization Potential (NP) values are obtained when the volume of NaOH (0.1N) titrated (pH 8.3) is greater than the volume of HCl (1N) to reduce the pH of the sample to 2.0 - 2.5. Any negative NP values are corrected to 0.

The calculation of Pyrite content assumes that all oxidisable sulphides present in the sample are pyrite. This may not be the case. The calculation may be an overestimate when other sulphides such as Barite (Barium Sulphate) are present.

## WATERS

Please note we are not a UK Drinking Water Inspectorate (DWI) Approved Laboratory.

ISO17025 accreditation applies to surface water and groundwater and usually one other matrix which is analysis specific, any other liquids are outside our scope of accreditation.

As surface waters require different sample preparation to groundwaters the laboratory must be informed of the water type when submitting samples.

Where Mineral Oil or Fats, Oils and Grease is quoted, this refers to Total Aliphatics C10-C40.

## DEVIATING SAMPLES

Samples must be received in a condition appropriate to the requested analyses. All samples should be submitted to the laboratory in suitable containers with sufficient ice packs to sustain an appropriate temperature for the requested analysis. If this is not the case you will be informed and any test results that may be compromised highlighted on your deviating samples report.

## SURROGATES

Surrogate compounds are added during the preparation process to monitor recovery of analytes. However low recovery in soils is often due to peat, clay or other organic rich matrices. For waters this can be due to oxidants, surfactants, organic rich sediments or remediation fluids. Acceptable limits for most organic methods are 70 - 130% and for VOCs are 50 - 150%. When surrogate recoveries are outside the performance criteria but the associated AQC passes this is assumed to be due to matrix effect. Results are not surrogate corrected.

## DILUTIONS

A dilution suffix indicates a dilution has been performed and the reported result takes this into account. No further calculation is required.

## BLANKS

Where analytes have been found in the blank, the sample will be treated in accordance with our laboratory procedure for dealing with contaminated blanks.

## NOTE

Data is only reported if the laboratory is confident that the data is a true reflection of the samples analysed. Data is only reported as accredited when all the requirements of our Quality System have been met. In certain circumstances where all the requirements of the Quality System have not been met, for instance if the associated AQC has failed, the reason is fully investigated and documented. The sample data is then evaluated alongside the other quality control checks performed during analysis to determine its suitability. Following this evaluation, provided the sample results have not been effected, the data is reported but accreditation is removed. It is a UKAS requirement for data not reported as accredited to be considered indicative only, but this does not mean the data is not valid.

Where possible, and if requested, samples will be re-extracted and a revised report issued with accredited results. Please do not hesitate to contact the laboratory if further details are required of the circumstances which have led to the removal of accreditation.

## REPORTS FROM THE SOUTH AFRICA LABORATORY

Any method number not prefixed with SA has been undertaken in our UK laboratory unless reported as subcontracted.

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## ABBREVIATIONS and ACRONYMS USED

#	ISO17025 (UKAS Ref No. 4225) accredited - UK.
SA	ISO17025 (SANAS Ref No.T0729) accredited - South Africa.
B	Indicates analyte found in associated method blank.
DR	Dilution required.
M	MCERTS accredited.
NA	Not applicable
NAD	No Asbestos Detected.
ND	None Detected (usually refers to VOC and/SVOC TICs).
NDP	No Determination Possible
SS	Calibrated against a single substance
SV	Surrogate recovery outside performance criteria. This may be due to a matrix effect.
W	Results expressed on as received basis.
+	AQC failure, accreditation has been removed from this result, if appropriate, see 'Note' on previous page.
++	Result outside calibration range, results should be considered as indicative only and are not accredited.
*	Analysis subcontracted to an Exova Jones Environmental approved laboratory.
AD	Samples are dried at 35°C ±5°C
CO	Suspected carry over
LOD/LOR	Limit of Detection (Limit of Reporting) in line with ISO 17025 and MCERTS
ME	Matrix Effect
NFD	No Fibres Detected
BS	AQC Sample
LB	Blank Sample
N	Client Sample
TB	Trip Blank Sample
OC	Outside Calibration Range

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Test Method No.	Description	Prep Method No. (if appropriate)	Description	ISO 17025 (UKAS/S ANAS)	MCERTS (UK soils only)	Analysis done on As Received (AR) or Dried (AD)	Reported on dry weight basis
PM4	Gravimetric measurement of Natural Moisture Content and % Moisture Content at either 35°C or 105°C. Calculation based on ISO 11465 and BS1377.	PM0	No preparation is required.			AR	
TM4	Modified USEPA 8270 method for the solvent extraction and determination of 16 PAHs by GC-MS.	PM8	End over end extraction of solid samples for organic analysis. The solvent mix varies depending on analysis required.			AR	Yes
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TM5	Modified USEPA 8015B method for the determination of solvent Extractable Petroleum Hydrocarbons (EPH) with carbon banding within the range C8-C40 GC-FID.	PM8/PM16	End over end extraction of solid samples for organic analysis. The solvent mix varies depending on analysis required/Fractionation into aliphatic and aromatic fractions using a Rapid Trace SPE.	Yes		AR	Yes
TM5/TM36	please refer to TM5 and TM36 for method details	PM8/PM12/PM16	please refer to PM8/PM16 and PM12 for method details			AR	Yes
TM5/TM36	please refer to TM5 and TM36 for method details	PM8/PM12/PM16	please refer to PM8/PM16 and PM12 for method details	Yes		AR	Yes
TM15	Modified USEPA 8260. Quantitative Determination of Volatile Organic Compounds (VOCs) by Headspace GC-MS.	PM10	Modified US EPA method 5021. Preparation of solid and liquid samples for GC headspace analysis.			AR	Yes
TM15	Modified USEPA 8260. Quantitative Determination of Volatile Organic Compounds (VOCs) by Headspace GC-MS.	PM10	Modified US EPA method 5021. Preparation of solid and liquid samples for GC headspace analysis.	Yes		AR	Yes
TM30	Determination of Trace Metal elements by ICP-OES (Inductively Coupled Plasma - Optical Emission Spectrometry). Modified US EPA Method 200.7, 6010B and BS EN ISO 11885 2009	PM15	Acid digestion of dried and ground solid samples using Aqua Regia refluxed at 112.5 °C. Samples containing asbestos are not dried and ground.	Yes		AD	Yes
TM36	Modified US EPA method 8015B. Determination of Gasoline Range Organics (GRO) in the carbon chain range of C4-12 by headspace GC-FID.	PM12	Modified US EPA method 5021. Preparation of solid and liquid samples for GC headspace analysis.			AR	Yes

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s for GC	Yes	90/05/2023	A

Test Method No.	Description	Prep Method No. (if appropriate)	Description	ISO 17025 (UKAS/S ANAS)	MCERTS (UK soils only)	Analysis done on As Received (AR) or Dried (AD)	Reported on dry weight basis
TM36	Modified US EPA method 8015B. Determination of Gasoline Range Organics (GRO) in the carbon chain range of C4-12 by headspace GC-FID.	PM12	Modified US EPA method 5021. Preparation of solid and liquid samples for GC headspace analysis.	Yes	AR	Yes	2025/03/2025
TM15_A	Modified USEPA 8260. Quantitative Determination of Volatile Organic Compounds, Vinyl Chloride & Styrene by Headspace GC-MS.	PM10	Modified US EPA method 5021. Preparation of solid and liquid samples for GC headspace analysis.		AR	Yes	

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**APPENDIX C**  
**STANDPIPE MONITORING DATA**

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**BLACKROCK, DUNDALK  
GAS MONITORING DATA**

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Monitoring Date and Weather		Atmos. Pressure (mb)		Flow Rate (l/hr)				Groundwater Levels (mbgl)
					CH <sub>4</sub>	CO <sub>2</sub>	O <sub>2</sub>	
					%	%	%	
19th June 2018	<b>BH1</b>	1001	<b>Steady</b>	0.0	0.0	0.6	19.4	3.59
			<b>Max</b>	0.0	0.0	0.6	19.6	
Overcast: Cool, Rain Showers	<b>BH2</b>	1001	<b>Steady</b>	0.0	0.0	0.1	20.1	Dry
			<b>Max</b>	0.0	0.0	0.2	20.2	
	<b>BH4</b>	1001	<b>Steady</b>	0.0	0.0	2.2	17.7	Dry
			<b>Max</b>	0.0	0.0	2.2	18.3	

25th June 2018	<b>BH1</b>	1034	<b>Steady</b>	0.0	0.0	0.3	19.5	3.62
			<b>Max</b>	0.0	0.0	0.5	20.0	
Bright: Dry, Warm	<b>BH2</b>	1034	<b>Steady</b>	0.0	0.0	0.0	20.0	Dry
			<b>Max</b>	0.0	0.0	0.2	20.1	
	<b>BH4</b>	1034	<b>Steady</b>	0.0	0.0	2.5	18.8	Dry
			<b>Max</b>	0.0	0.0	2.8	19.9	

28th June 2018	<b>BH1</b>	1030	<b>Steady</b>	0.0	0.0	0.2	19.4	3.62
			<b>Max</b>	0.0	0.0	0.4	21.1	
Bright: Dry, Very Warm	<b>BH2</b>	1030	<b>Steady</b>	0.0	0.0	0.1	19.8	Dry
			<b>Max</b>	0.0	0.0	0.2	20.2	
	<b>BH4</b>	1030	<b>Steady</b>	0.0	0.0	2.4	18.9	Dry
			<b>Max</b>	0.0	0.0	2.7	19.8	

