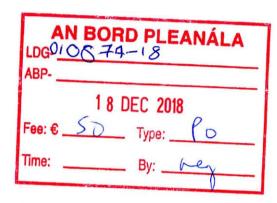
Hands Across The Corrib Limited 'Carrick Bán' Ballinfoyle Galway H91R82F

Date: 17-Dec-2018

An Bord Pleanála (Strategic Infrastructure Division) 64 Marlborough Street Dublin 1 D01 V902

Case reference: N6 Galway City Ring Road 2018



Dear Sir/Madam,

Hands Across the Corrib first met and organised as a combined residents group in 2000 and has continued to lobby for environmental protection and the promotion of sustainable development in the intervening years.

Hands Across the Corrib objects to the proposed N6 development for many reasons including the following:

- Increased road development runs counter to our climate change commitments
- Road development has been shown to generate increased traffic
- Costs of light rail development have significantly reduced in recent years
- Rail usage statistics have been shown to be erroneous, downgrading the case for rail
- Existing local traffic problems (e.g. Parkmore) can be solved by a stand-alone solution
- The number of enforced evictions from family homes

In addition Hands Across The Corrib objects in principle to the imposition of a €50 fee as an obstacle against democracy, limiting submissions to those who can afford it.

Yours truly,

Peter Cunnane

Sec. Hands Across the Corrib Ltd.

Directors: Donal Honan, Mary Francis O'Conghaile. Company Reg. No. 370518