Observations on Cleanrath Windfarm.

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Applicant: Cleanrath Wind Farm Ltd

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- 1) This wind farm towers over Inchigeela and Lough Allua, completely distorting the landscape and affecting the views.
- 2) All the turbines and construction works on the site are in the catchment of the river Lee and are a threat to Lough Allua proposed Natural Heritage Area (pNHA) and the Gearagh Special Area of Conservation (SAC).
- 3) The impact on local residents particularly in relation to turbine noise has not been assessed or taken into account.
- 4) The destruction of wildlife habitat has not been assessed or taken into account.
- 5) The impact on tourism, due to the destruction of the natural scenic beauty of the area has not been considered.
- 6) The impacts on health due to living so near to these turbines and high voltage power lines has not been considered.
- 7) Locals were not properly consulted on the construction of this windfarm

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