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Sent: Monday 22 November 2021 16:08
To: Appeals2
Subject: FW: Reply from DECC re EIS 21/436 - Application for substitute consent for Derrybrien Wind Farm, Co Galway
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Subject: Reply from DECC re EIS 21/436 - Application for substitute consent for Derrybrien Wind Farm, Co Galway

An Bord Pleanála reference : ABP-308019-20

Good afternoon,
Please see below a reply from Ms. Trish Smullen on behalf of Geological Survey Ireland (a division of the Department of Environment, Climate and Communications) for the subject below. Please forward an acknowledgement of receipt to CorporateSupport.Unit@decc.gov.ie at your earliest convenience.

I attached your correspondence of 05/11/2021 to this Department for reference.

Regards,
Enda Brady,
Corporate Support Unit.

Enda Brady,
Corporate Support Unit,

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Cc: GSI Planning <GSIPlanning@GSI.ie>; Clare Glanville <Clare.Glanville@decc.gov.ie>
Subject: Re: EIS 21/436 - Application for substitute consent for Derrybrien Wind Farm, Co Galway

Hi Enda,

Please see text below for return to ABP.

Thanks and regards,

Trish

Dear Sir/Madam,

With reference to your letter received on the 22 November 2021, regarding the planning application for substitute consent for Derrybrien Wind Farm, Co Galway, please note that Geological Survey Ireland has no specific comment or observations to make on this matter at this time.

If you have any further queries or if we can be of further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact me Trish Smullen, or my colleague Clare Glanville at GSIPlanning@gsi.ie.

Yours sincerely,

Trish Smullen
Geological Survey Ireland

From: GSI Planning
Sent: 22 November 2021 08:48
Cc: GSI Planning
Subject: EIS 21/436 - Application for substitute consent for Derrybrien Wind Farm, Co Galway

[EIS 21/436](#)

[Application for substitute consent for Derrybrien Wind Farm, Co Galway. Request for observations by An Bord Pleanála to be forwarded via the CSU mailbox. Documents are enclosed.](#)

Regards,

[John](#)

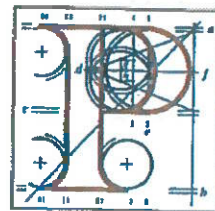
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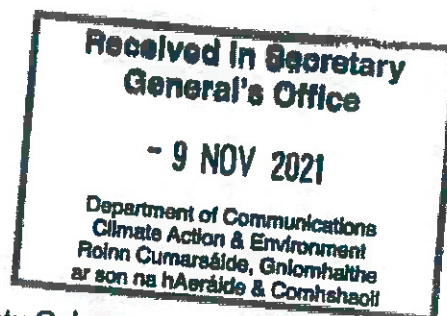
teachtairacht ar an eolas láithreach. Deimhnítear leis seo freisin nár aims odh víreas sa phost seo tar éis a scanadh.

Our Case Number: ABP-308019-20



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~Department of Communications, Climate Action and Environment
29-31 Adelaide Road
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Date: 05 November 2021

Re: Application for substitute consent at Derrybrien Wind Farm, County Galway.

Dear Sir / Madam,

I have been asked by An Bord Pleanála to refer to the above mentioned application.

The Board is of opinion that, in the particular circumstances of this application, it is appropriate in the interests of justice to request you to make submissions or observations in relation to the enclosed submission received on the 18th October, 2021 from Galway County Council.

You are requested to make any submissions or observations that you may have in relation to this enclosure on or before **22nd November, 2021**. The Board cannot consider comments that are outside the scope of the matter in question. Your submission in response to this notice must be received by the Board not later than 5.30 p.m. on the date specified above.

Please quote the above reference number in any further correspondence.

Yours faithfully,



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John Cannon

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Cc: Aisling Reilly
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Attachments: Letter for Derrybrien Wind Farm October 2021.pdf

From: Planning <planning@GalwayCoCo.ie>
Sent: Monday 18 October 2021 15:53
To: Bord <bord@pleanala.ie>
Subject: ABP- 308019-20 Derrybrien Wind farm

For attention of Aisling Reilly, Executive Officer

Good afternoon, Aisling,

I attach herewith copy letter posted last Friday 15th October 2021 in relation to the above.

Regards,

Eileen Keaveney
Planning

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Your case number: ABP -308019-20

15th October 2021

An Bord Pleanála,
64, Marlborough Street,
Dublin 1.
D01 V902.

Re: Application for Substitute consent at Derrybrien Wind Farm, Co. Galway

Dear Sir/ Madam,

Galway County Council acknowledge receipt of the submissions from An Bord Pleanála on the 28th September 2021. All submissions have been noted in relation to the Project and at this point Galway County Council have no further additions to submit.

Yours faithfully,

Michael Owens

Michael Owens
Director of Services Planning, Sustainable Development
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21st October 2021

By Hand

Description of Development:

Substitute Consent application in relation to the Derrybrien Wind Farm Project located at Coppanagh, Slieveanore, Loughatorick North, Boleynneendorrish, Kilbeg, Toormacnevin, Funshadaun, Derrybrien North, Derrybrien South, Bohaboy, Derrybrien West, Derrybrien East, Derreenamucka, County Galway.

Applicant:
ABP Case Number

Gort Windfarms Limited
ABP-308019-20

A Chara,

We refer to your correspondence issued on 18th October 2021 and the accompanying submission / observation circulated by An Bord Pleanála ('the Board') in relation to the above application.

We have reviewed the contents of that submission (comprising letters dated 30th August 2021 and 13th September 2021 from the Irish Environmental Network (IEN); and a copy of a report entitled 'Technical Assessment of Derrybrien Windfarm and Ancillary Works' prepared by Arcadis, July 2021). We can confirm that these documents were previously circulated as an appendix to the submission of Mr. Byrne and An Claiomh Glas, provided to the Applicant by the Board on 27th September 2021.

In the Applicant's response to the Board of 18th October 2021, relevant issues raised in the IEN submission were summarised and responded to, as appropriate. We thank the Board for circulating this submission and can confirm that our response to the IEN submission – including the appended Arcadis Report, is fully captured in our submission of 18th October 2021. We respectfully then, refer the Board to that submission.

We can confirm that no further submission or response will be offered within the period to 8th November 2021, and the Applicant is happy for the Board to proceed with the application.

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We look forward to acknowledgement of this submission and receipt of your decision in due course.

Is mise le meas,

Helen O'Keeffe, BE MRUP MSC MIEI MIPI

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