



27th July 2021

SIDS/LAPS Section,
An Bord Pleanála,
64 Marlborough Street,
Dublin 1.

Re: Application for approval to An Bord Pleanála under Section 177AE of the Planning and Development Act, 2000 (as amended) for Site Investigation Works at Tinnahinch, Co. Carlow and Graiguenamanagh and Priest's Valley, Co. Kilkenny

To Whom it May Concern,

In accordance with section 177AE of the Planning and Development Act 2000, Kilkenny County Council are submitting an application for approval to An Bord Pleanála to carry out the following Site investigation works Tinnahinch, Co. Carlow and Graiguenamanagh and Priest's Valley, Co. Kilkenny to allow the further development of the Graiguenamanagh-Tinnahinch Flood Relief Scheme.

- The undertaking of exploratory holes to ascertain ground conditions and utility services

A Natura Impact Statement has been prepared in respect of the proposed development.

Please find the following documentation enclosed with this letter:

- 3 x Copies of the notice published under section 177AE(4)(a);
 - 1 original and 2 copies
- 3 x Sets of Drawings - W3451-1101-P1 to W3451-1106-P1 (6 No. Drawings)
- 3 x Natura Impact Statement;
- 3 x Site Investigation Planning Report.

A List of the bodies to which notice was sent under section 177AE(4)(b) and a copy of each notice (letter) including the date is also attached.

Should you have any queries please contact the undersigned by letter or by email at Emir.slattery@kilkennycoco.ie.

Yours sincerely

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