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Our Ref:

7476-04-04 JPK/SG

29th October 2014

Mr. Brendan McGrath City Manager Galway City Council City Hall College Road Galway

Re:

Galway Harbour Company Galway Harbour Extension

Direct Application to An Bord Pleanála

In respect of a Strategic Infrastructure Development Significant Additional Information [Ref. No. 61.PA0033]

Dear Mr. McGrath,

Following the making of an application for permission to An Bord Pleanála [the Board] on 9th January 2014 for the above-mentioned development, the Board, on 27th May 2014 required that Galway Harbour Company furnish further information in relation to a number of topics. The information requested was lodged with the Board on 16th October 2014 [copy of letter accompanying documentation and copy of the Board's acknowledgement of receipt attached].

Having reviewed the additional information the Board has now advised that it considers that this additional information contains significant additional data in relation to the effects on the environment of the proposed development and accordingly requires that a copy of the additional information be forwarded to the Planning Authority.

The additional information comprises of the following volumes:-

- Response to Request for Further Information [RFI].
- Appendices to RFI.
- NIS Addendum / Errata.
- Appendices to NIS Addendum / Errata.
- EIS Addendum / Errata and Appendices.

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Two hard copies and 3 DVDs are now enclosed.

Any submissions or observations, from Galway City Council, in relation to the additional information should be made in writing to the Board not later than 5:30 p.m. on 5th December 2014.

The Board also requires that this additional information, together with the original planning application documentation, EIS and NIS should be made available to members of the public for inspection free of charge or purchased on payment of a specified fee during public office opening hours of Galway City Council for a period commencing on 30th October 2014.

Yours faithfully,

John P. Kelly

Director

Our Ref: JPK. 2139.02.06

15th Oct 2014

The Secretary, An Bord Pleanála 64 Marlborough Street Dublin 1

RE:

Ref: 61.PA 00 33

New Harbour Extension, Renmore and Town Parks Townland, Galway.

Dear Sirs,

Further to your request for further information dated the 27/05/14 and yours of 28/07/14 which allowed an extension of time to the 16/10/14, we now enclose herewith our response to the matters requested.

The format of our submission is as follows:

1) Response to request for further information:

Which responds to the questions asked.

2) Appendices to the Response:

Which is the additional/back up information on which 1) above is based.

3) NIS Addendum/Errata:

This is to update the original NIS provided, to correspond with the R.F.I. now provided.

4) Appendices to NIS Addendum/Erranta:

These are either additional information now provided by the R.F.I or information brought forward from the original EIS to bring the NIS and its appendices into being stand alone, current, documents.

5) EIS Addendum/Errata and Appendices:

This updates the EIS and its appendices so that it too is a current, updated stand alone document.

We enclose 5 hard copies and 7 electronic copies (DVD).

We would be glad to provide any further copies that you may require.

We trust that the response to the request for further information is in order and we await your decision in due course.

Yours Sincerely,

John P. Kelly Director TOBIN Consulting Engineers Our Ref: 61.PA0033

Your Ref: JPK2139.02.06

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An Bord Pleanála

John P. Kelly Tobin Consulting Engineers Fairgreen House Fairgreen Road Galway

20th October 2014

Re: Galway Harbour Extension

Renmore and Townparks Townlands, Galway

Dear Sir,

An Bord Pleanála has received your further information in relation to the above mentioned case. The Board will revert to you in due course.

If you have any queries in relation to the matter please contact the undersigned officer of the Board. Please quote the above-mentioned An Bord Pleanála reference number in any correspondence or telephone contact with the Board.

Yours faithfully,

Kieran Doherty Executive Officer

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