

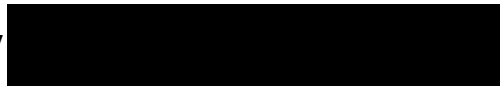
To: Deep Sea Fibre Networks Ltd., 15 The Seapoint Building, Clontarf, Dublin 3, D03 E240

Ref: MUL230024:

Maritime Area Planning Act 2021 - Application for a Maritime Usage Licence to undertake marine environmental surveys for the purposes of site investigation surveys to inform the feasibility of a new PISCES subsea telecoms cable system from a landfall at Ballyloughane County Galway traversing the Irish Maritime Area to the southwest of Ireland.

15/05/2025

By Electronic mail only



Dear Mr McMahon,

I refer to your application to the Maritime Area Regulatory Authority (MARA) for the above licence. Following assessment of the licence application, I am pleased to inform you that MARA is minded to grant you a licence for the proposed maritime usage subject to conditions.

Please note that MARA has considered the supplementary material submitted by you on 02/05/2025. A copy of the response by the Assessment, Research and Data (ARD) Unit to this supplementary material is attached for your information.

Section 119(6) (b) of the Maritime Area Planning Act 2021 provides that where MARA is minded to grant a licence subject to conditions, MARA must give a notice to the applicant with the reasons for the conditions and allow the applicant an opportunity to provide supplementary material in relation to the reasons for further consideration before MARA makes a final determination on the licence application.

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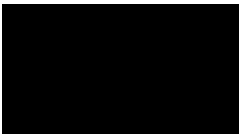
For this purpose, I enclose the following for your attention:

1. A minded to determine notice
2. A copy of the proposed licence which MARA is minded to grant to you.

Please carefully consider the enclosed documentation and if you wish to do so, respond to the minded to determine notice within the time period contained in the notice.

For the avoidance of doubt, no decision to grant the licence shall be considered to have been made until MARA makes a final determination on the licence application.

Yours faithfully,



Laura Brien (CEO)
Chief Executive Officer

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