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By email only

Date: 03/10/2025

Request for Additional Information: Section 117(3) of the Maritime Area Planning Act 2021

Re: Uisce Eireann - Maritime Usage Licence Application Reference: MUL240048 Cork Harbour

Dear Sirs,

I refer to the above referenced maritime usage licence application received by the Maritime Area Regulatory Authority (MARA).

In reference to your response dated 02/10/2025 to a request for additional information from MARA, additional information is required as follows:

- 1. The response states that "The inclusion of NPWS (2014) mitigation guidelines in the project design, which primarily involves the employment of an MMO, are to ensure no harbour porpoise or dolphins occur within an agreed mitigation zone during the start of multibeam and single beam surveys".
 - Clarify whether multibeam and single beam surveys are intended to from part of this application and note that their use has not been referred to in the Application Form and associated documentation.
- 2. Further to the request for additional information issued by MARA on the 22/09/2025 you were requested to provide a reason for requiring a 5 year licence duration for short-term deployment of ADCPs. This information remains outstanding and a response is required.

This information should be submitted to MARA by close of business on **07/10/2025** for MARA to assess the licence application.

Please direct any queries to licence@mara.gov.ie.

Yours faithfully,

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