



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

Re: Uisce Eireann (Galway/Clare)
Maritime Usage Licence Application Reference: MUL240033

Dear _____,

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

MARA considers that it requires additional information as set out below in order to determine the licence application.

- "With reference to the strict protection of species listed under Annex IV of the Habitats Directive (92/43/EEC), confirm if you are required to apply for a derogation under Regulation 54 of the European Communities (Birds and Natural Habitats) Regulations 2011, as amended. If yes, provide details of the application submitted, including the NPWS Derogation Number."
- Confirm which Schedule 7 activity Uisce Eireann are applying for 7(2) or 7(3).

Please refer to MARA's <u>Guidance and Technical Mapping note</u> when providing the information requested.

The requested information should be submitted to MARA within <u>4 weeks</u> of the date of this notice, i.e by **03/11/2025**, in order for MARA to assess the licence application.

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

Yours faithfully,

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