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Dear Sir /Madam

I wish to make a formal submission in strong objection to the above application (Ref: MUL240011) concerning site investigations for a proposed deep water port development off the Bremeore/Gormanston coastline.

1. Impact on an Area of Natural Beauty and Public Amenity

The Broomore–Gormanston coastline is an unspoiled and scenic stretch of the Irish east coast. The construction of a large-scale port would fundamentally transform this landscape into an industrial zone, causing permanent visual, noise and environmental degradation.

2. Risks to Marine Water Quality and Pollution

A deep water port would introduce risks including oil spills, ballast discharge, chemical pollution, and sediment disturbance from dredging, all of which threaten marine ecosystems and water quality.

3. Destruction of Habitats and Biodiversity

The area supports sensitive coastal and marine habitats, as well as bird and marine species protected under Irish and EU law. Development would cause habitat loss and ecological disruption

4. This is an unsuitable location for a deep water port

Yours

