

<b>Final Determination Memo</b>	
<b>Re: Application for a Maritime Area Consent (MAC) under Sections 79 of Maritime Area Planning Act 2021 (the Act)</b>	
<b>Application Details</b>	
<b>MAC Applicant:</b>	MAC240037
<b>MAC Reference No:</b>	Limerick City & County Council
<b>Date Application received:</b>	09 July 2024
<b>Existing Maritime Usage</b>	Limerick City and County Council has applied for a MAC for the provision of a cantilevered platform, access gangway and floating pontoon with drive on dock (AquaDock) at Shannon Bridge, Limerick.
<b>Recommendation</b>	To Part Grant, with conditions, the MAC sought.
<b>Permitted Maritime Usage</b>	The use, operation and maintenance of berthing pontoons, access gangway and associated infrastructure, including all associated decommissioning, demolition and rehabilitation.

<b>Document Control</b>		
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A minded to notice issued to Limerick City & County Council under Section 81(7)(b) on 12 March 2026 informing Limerick City & County Council that MARA was minded to part grant a MAC subject to the conditions attached to the MAC. A copy of the draft MAC and reasons for the conditions attached were also furnished to the applicant within the notice.

The applicant did not provide any supplementary material, following issue of the minded to notice, within 21 days.

A minor clerical error was identified when reviewing the Final MAC. The “Levy” Definition contains an incorrect cross reference. The Levy Definition is amended to address the incorrect section reference and the revised definition is as follows (bold text denotes amendments and strikethrough text denotes deletions):

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(n) "Levy" means the annual sum specified by the Grantor pursuant to condition 7.6 and payable by the Holder in accordance with the provisions thereof.

Accordingly, it is recommended to issue a final determination notice, as enclosed, in relation to the above application in accordance with section 81(3) of the Act. It is recommended to finalise enclosed MAC with conditions attached and reasons attached thereto, as per the draft MAC and reasons as set out in the minded to notice.

Signed: Paul Brennan

Date: 14/04/2026