

Final Determination Notice -

Section 119(3) of the Maritime Area Planning Act 2021.

To: SEATEC N.V., Verversrui 15, Antwerpen, Belgium

Re: Maritime Area Planning Act 2021 - Application for a Maritime Usage Licence
Maritime Usage Licence (MUL) Reference: MUL230036

Date: 13/08/2026

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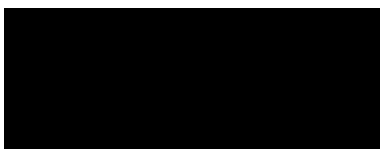
Dear Applicant,

Further to MARA's Minded to Determine Notice issued on 26/06/2026 in respect of the above referenced Maritime Usage Licence (MUL) application, MARA has considered the supplementary material received on 17/07/2026 further to the Minded to Determine Notice.

Please be advised that pursuant to Section 119(3) of the Act, MARA has determined to refuse a licence for the proposed maritime usage for the following reasons:

1. The proposed maritime usage does not support Heritage Assets Policy 1 of the National Marine Planning Framework.
2. The potential impacts of the proposed maritime usage on Descriptors 1, 3 and 11 of the Marine Strategy Framework Directive could not be adequately assessed.
3. MARA was unable to carry out screening for appropriate assessment in respect of the proposed maritime usage in accordance with its legal obligations under the European Communities (Birds and Natural Habitats) Regulations 2011, as amended, as the applicant has not provided all the information MARA reasonably considers necessary to determine the application.

Yours faithfully,



John Evans
Director of Maritime Usage Licensing