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By email only Des.cox@eirgrid.com

08/12/2025

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

**Re: EirGrid plc
Maritime Usage Licence Application Reference: MUL240010**

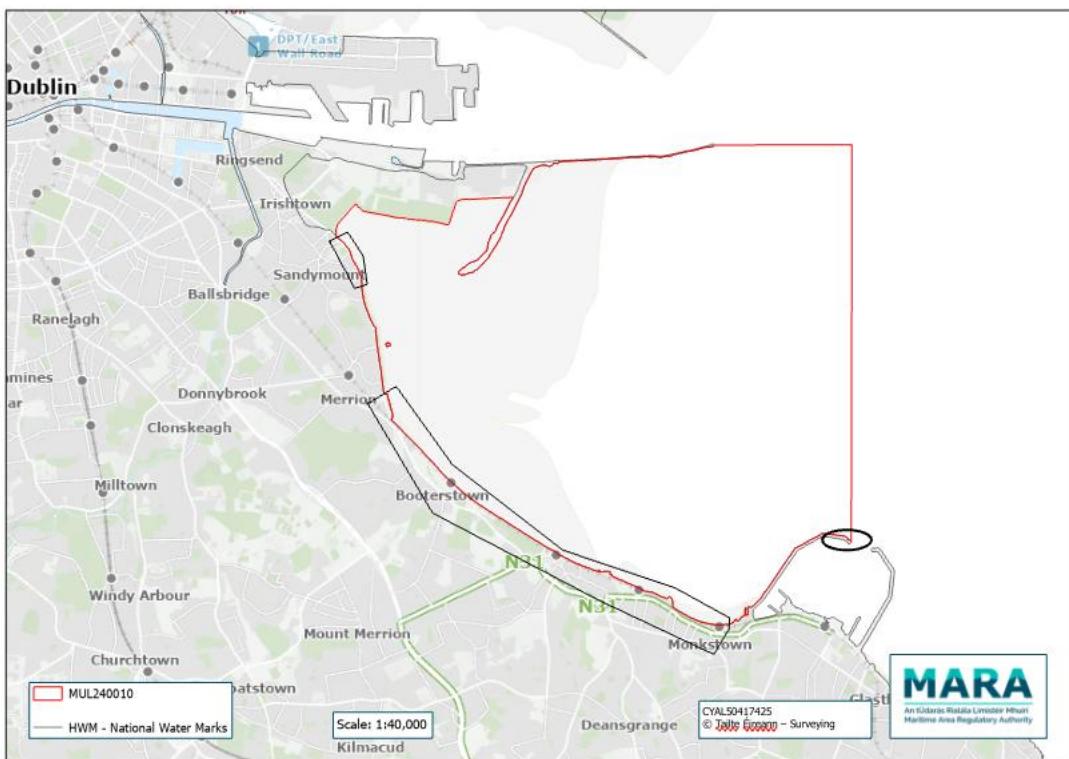
Dear Mr. Cox,

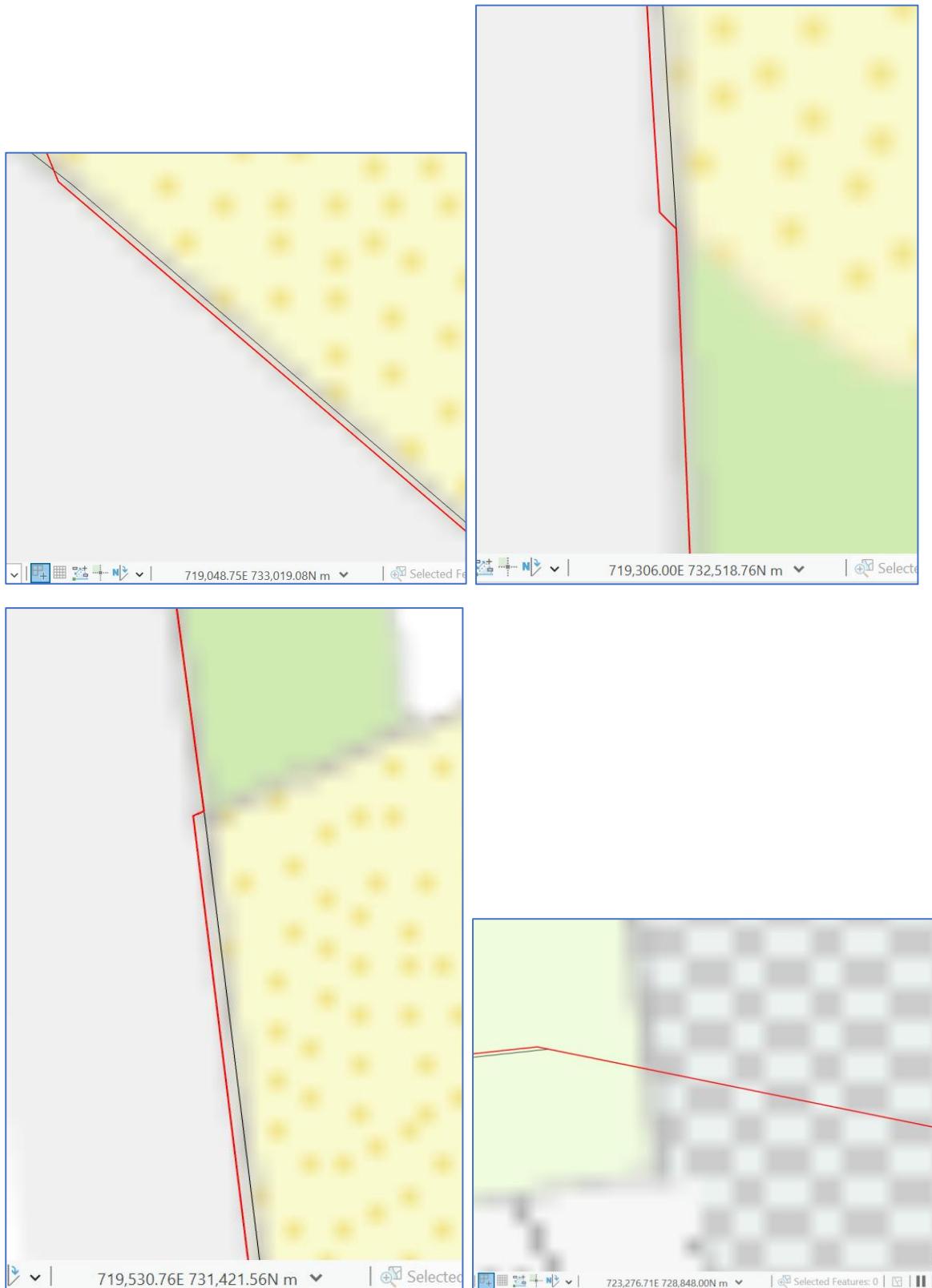
I refer to the above referenced maritime usage licence application received by the Maritime Area Regulatory Authority (MARA).

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

1. Further to EirGrid's RAI response received on 06th November 2025, it is noted that the provision of letters from the other private folio owners is outstanding and will be required prior to proceeding to the next stage of the licence application assessment.
2. The proposed MUL Map and the GIS shapefile data must be resubmitted, as follows:
 1. Revise the map for **Area A** to ensure that the MARA Technical Guidance is adhered to:
 - a. MUL Map:
 - i. The MUL area represents only the footprint of the maritime area that the maritime usage licence will occupy.
 - b. GIS Shapefile:
 - i. The GIS shapefile represents only the footprint of the maritime area that the maritime usage licence will occupy. Where the MUL area abuts the land, the boundary of the MUL area should coincide with and follow exactly the High Water Mark as defined by the Chief Boundary, and not traverse into terrestrial land.

1. Tailte Eireann 'High Water Mark - National Water Marks - Ungeneralised – 2024' dataset from the Surveying Open Data Portal (<https://arcg.is/1P1yDS>).
2. Please ensure the proposed MUL Map and GIS data files are updated accordingly and resubmitted to MARA in accordance with the **MARA Technical Mapping Guidance**
Note for MAC/MUL Applications: <https://www.maritimeregulator.ie/wp-content/uploads/2025/09/MARA%20Technical%20Mapping%20Guidance%20for%20MAC%20MUL%20Applications.pdf>





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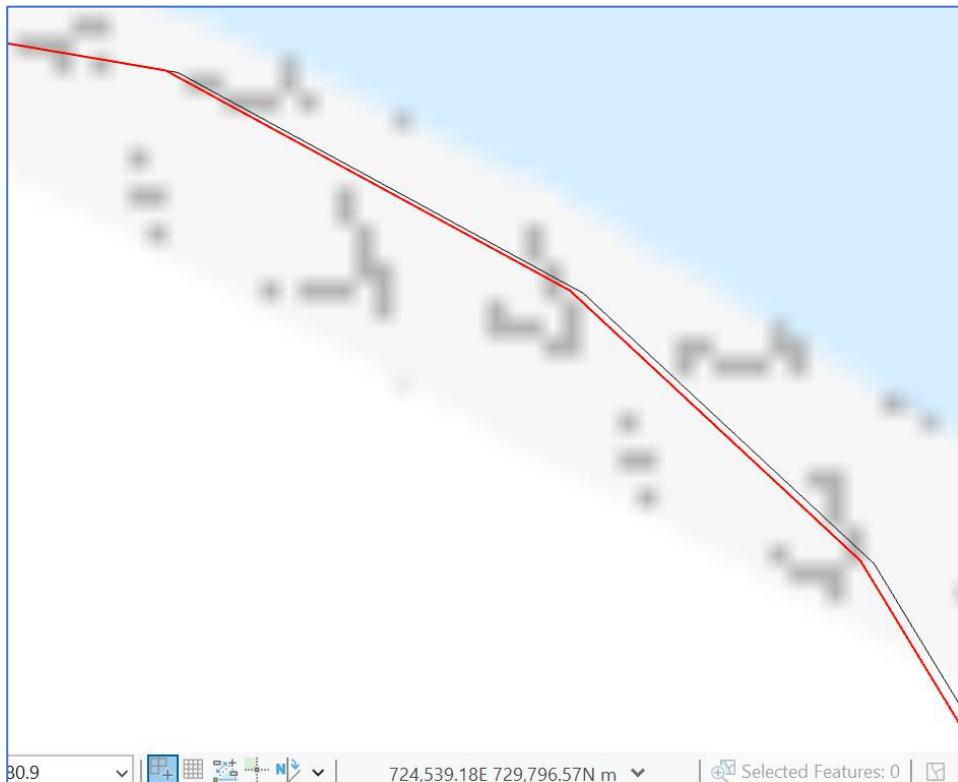
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Please refer to MARA's [Guidance and Technical Mapping note](#) when providing the information requested.

The requested information should be submitted to MARA within **4 weeks** of the date of this notice, i.e by **05/01/2026**, in order for MARA to assess the licence application.

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

Yours faithfully,

Paula O'Toole
Maritime Usage Licensing Team
MARA