

Final Determination Memo	
Re: Application for a Maritime Area Consent (MAC) under section 79 of Maritime Area Planning Act 2021 (the Act)	
Application Details	
MAC Applicant:	Dún Laoghaire Rathdown County Council
MAC Reference No:	MAC260008
Date Application received:	13 March 2026
Existing Maritime Usage:	The regularisation and ongoing use and maintenance of existing pontoons across three areas situated within Dún Laoghaire Harbour.
Recommendation:	To Part Grant, with conditions, the MAC sought.
Permitted Maritime Usage:	The use, operation, and maintenance of pontoons, including all associated decommissioning and rehabilitation.

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A minded to notice issued to Dún Laoghaire Rathdown County Council under section 81(7)(b) on 15 June 2026 informing Dún Laoghaire Rathdown County Council that MARA was minded to part grant a MAC subject to the conditions attached to the MAC. A copy of the proposed MAC and reasons for the conditions attached were also furnished to the applicant within the notice.

The applicant responded to the minded to notice by email on 15 June 2026, confirming that Dún Laoghaire Rathdown County Council did not wish to submit supplementary material in respect of same.

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

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finalise enclosed MAC with conditions and reasons attached thereto, as per the proposed MAC and reasons as set out in the minded to notice.

Signed: Sharon Dobbs

Date: 17 June 2026