

Mr Charlie McConalogue T.D.

Minister for Agriculture, Food and the Marine
Agriculture House
Kildare Street
Dublin 2

11 April 2023

Our Ref: AP1/1-3/2022 Site Ref: T05/640A

Re: Appeal against the decision by the Minister for Agriculture, Food and the Marine to grant an Aquaculture Licence to Bantry Marine Research Station Ltd to cultivate various aquatic plants using longlines on the sub-tidal foreshore on site ref T05/640A adjacent to Dooneen Pier, along the north shore of Dunmanus Bay, Co. Cork

Dear Minister,

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The Aquaculture Licences Appeals Board reviewed this timescale at its meeting on 6 April 2023 and has formed the view that it will not be in position to determine this Appeal within that timeframe to allow time to assess the grounds of the Appeal and consider all additional observations received.

Having done so, the Board hereby gives notice, as provided for in Section 56(3) of the Act, of its intention to determine the Appeal by 31 December 2023.

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Friends of Dooneen Pier C/O Paul Jeremy Cahill



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