

Mr Martin Heydon TD

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

## 21 October 2025

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Secretary to the Board

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Mr Timmy Dooley TD

Minister of State at the Department of Agriculture, Food and the Marine
Leinster House
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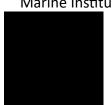
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Dr. Rick Officer, CEO Marine Institute



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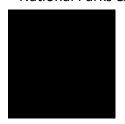
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Dr David Lyons Head of Marine Habitats and Species National Parks & Wildlife Service



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The Board will continue to consider the remitted appeals as a single appeal (AP2-AP11/2025) pursuant to section 42(1) of the Fisheries Act, 1997, as amended (the "Act") and I refer to the Board's correspondence of 03 July 2025 in this respect.

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Dr Elaine McGoff An Taisce



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Ms Caroline Bocquel CEO Bord Iascaigh Mhara



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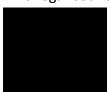
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Mr David Friel
Water and Environment Section
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