

# AQUACULTURE LICENCES APPEALS BOARD

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## CHAIRMAN'S STATEMENT

to the Minister for Communications,  
Marine and Natural Resources.



Conleth Bradley  
Chairman

I am pleased in my first year as Chairman of the Aquaculture Licences Appeals Board, to include my Statement in this, the Board's 6th Annual Report.

I was appointed as Chairman by the Government for a five-year term with effect from 17 July 2003. I took over as Chairman from Mr Conor Maguire S.C. who had served as Chairman of the Board since its establishment in June 1998 and who I would like to thank for his valuable and dedicated service to the Board during his term of office.

I also wish to thank Dr. Richard Fitzgerald, Mr. Jim Killeen and Mr. Martin Howley whose terms of office expired at the end of June 2003. They and the outgoing Chairman served on the Board at a particularly challenging and time consuming period due to the large number of appeals which came before the Board following its establishment. Considering the part-time status of the Board the number of determinations made by it during the early years bear testament to the unfailing commitment of all concerned.

I would like to extend a welcome to our new Board members, Mr. Mario Minehane, Mr. Sean Murphy and Mr. Lorcán Ó Cinnéide who were appointed by the Minister of State at the Department of Communications, Marine and Natural Resources for a period of one year with effect from 4 December 2003. I believe they will bring a considerable amount of experience and commitment to the Board over the coming year.

I will now briefly turn to the Board's activities for 2003. This year saw a further decline in the number of appeals received by the Board. Details of the appeals received are outlined on page 7 of the report.

In summary, the total number of appeals received was 7, representing 2 Ministerial licence decisions. However, there were a further 10 appeals awaiting decision from 2002, giving a total of 17 appeals for determination. I am pleased to say that by end 2003 there was only one appeal awaiting determination. Details of the determinations made in 2003 are outlined on pages 11 and 12 of the report.

As Chairman, I wish to acknowledge the work of the Board members and to thank them and also the Secretariat for their continued support and dependable service throughout the year.

CONLETH BRADLEY  
CHAIRMAN

30th March 2004

## BOARD MEMBERS AND GENERAL INFORMATION

### CHAIRMAN

\* MR CONLETH BRADLEY

### DEPUTY CHAIRPERSON

+ DR ANN QUINN, BSc., PhD., MIPI., FCI Arb.

### ORDINARY MEMBERS

+ MR MICHAEL HARTE, B.Ed.

+ MRS MARY NOLAN

# MR MARIO MINEHANE

# MR SEAN MURPHY

# MR LORCÁN Ó CINNÉIDE

*\* Appointed by the Government for a five-year term with effect from 17 July 2003 to replace outgoing Chairman Mr. Conor Maguire S.C. whose term of office expired on 29 June 2003.*

*+ Reappointed by the Minister of State at the Department of Communications, Marine and Natural Resources, Mr. John Browne, T.D., for a period of one year with effect from 17 July 2003.*

*# Appointed by the Minister of State at the Department of Communications, Marine and Natural Resources for the period from 4 December 2003 to 31 December 2004 to replace outgoing members Dr. Richard Fitzgerald, Mr Jim Killeen and Mr Martin Howley, whose terms of office expired on 29 June 2003.*

### SECRETARY

MS ANN KISSANE

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## BOARD MEMBERS



*Conleth Bradley  
Chairman*



*Dr Ann Quinn  
Deputy Chairperson*



*Michael Harte  
Member*



*Mario Minehane  
Member*



*Sean Murphy  
Member*



*Mary Nolan  
Member*



*Lorcán Ó Cinnéide  
Member*

## AQUACULTURE LICENCES APPEALS BOARD (A.L.A.B)

The following is some general information regarding the Aquaculture Licences Appeals Board. However, to obtain an overall picture as to how the appeal process as well as the aquaculture licensing system operates, reference should be made to the Fisheries (Amendment) Act, 1997, Fisheries and Foreshore (Amendment) Act, 1998, Aquaculture (Licence Application) Regulations, 1998 and also to the most recently introduced legislation, the Fisheries (Amendment) Act, 2001.

### ESTABLISHMENT OF BOARD

The Aquaculture Licences Appeals Board was established on 17 June 1998 under Section 22 of the Fisheries (Amendment) Act, 1997. All Board members are engaged on a part-time basis.

### FUNCTION

The function of the Board is to provide an independent authority for the determination of appeals against decisions of the Minister for Communications, Marine and Natural Resources on aquaculture licence applications. A person aggrieved by a decision of the Minister on an aquaculture licence application, or by the revocation or amendment of an aquaculture licence, may make an appeal within one month of publication (in the case of a decision) or notification (in the case of revocation/amendment).

### STATUS

The Board is an independent body with its own funding provided for by the Oireachtas under Section 36 of the Act.

### MEMBERSHIP OF BOARD

As provided for under Section 23 of the Fisheries (Amendment) Act, 1997, the Board consists of a Chairman and six other members. The Chairman, Mr. Conleth Bradley, a practising barrister, was appointed by the Government for a term of 5 years, effective from 17 July 2003.

The Deputy Chairperson, Dr. Ann Quinn, has served on the Board since 12 November 2001 and has been re appointed by the Minister of State for Communications, Marine and Natural Resources, Mr John Browne, T.D., for a term of one year with effect from 17 July 2003.

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Mrs Mary Nolan and Mr Michael Harte have served on the Board since its establishment. Their initial term of office was for a period of three years and they have been reappointed annually since then, the latest reappointment being made by the Minister of State for Communications, Marine and Natural Resources, Mr John Browne, T.D., for a period of one year effective from 17 July 2003.

The remaining three members, Mr. Mario Minehane, Mr. Sean Murphy and Mr Lorcán Ó Cinnéide, were appointed by the Minister of State for Communications, Marine and Natural Resources, Mr John Browne, T.D., for a period from 4 December 2003 to 31 December 2004.

### COMPOSITION OF BOARD

In accordance with Section 23(3) of the Act, the Minister for the Marine and Natural Resources made regulations prescribing not less than two organisations representative of each of the following groupings:

- (a) organisations concerned with the promotion of the development of aquaculture or representative of persons carrying on the business of developing aquaculture;
- (b) organisations concerned with the conservation, development and protection of wild fisheries;
- (c) organisations representative of persons whose professions or occupations relate to physical planning and development;
- (d) organisations representative of persons concerned with the protection and preservation of the environment and amenities;
- (e) organisations representative of persons concerned with the promotion of general economic development and
- (f) organisations representative of persons concerned with the promotion of community development.

### RESPONSIBILITIES

The main responsibilities and powers of the Board are set out below:

Under Section 40(4) of the Act, on receipt of an appeal by the Board and provided it is not withdrawn, the Board can determine the appeal by;

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- (a) confirming the decision or action of the Minister
- (b) determining the application for the licence as if the application had been made to the Board in the first instance or
- (c) in relation to the revocation or amendment of a licence, substituting its decision on the matter for that of the Minister;

Under Sections 43 and 44 of the Act, the Board must send a copy of the notice of appeal to the Minister and to each other party to the appeal;

Under Section 46 of the Act, the Board can request submissions or observations from parties or other persons who have already made submissions or observations to the Board in relation to an appeal, if, in the opinion of the Board and in the circumstances, it is in the interests of justice to do so;

Under Section 47 of the Act, the Board can request documents, particulars or other information it considers necessary for the purpose of enabling it to determine an appeal;

Under Section 49 of the Act, the Board has the absolute discretion to hold an oral hearing of an appeal;

Under Section 56 of the Act, the Board shall ensure that appeals are dealt with and determined expeditiously and that all steps are taken to avoid unnecessary delays.

### CONSULTANTS AND ADVISERS

Under Section 35 of the Act, the Board may engage such consultants or advisers as it considers necessary for the performance of its functions. Fees due to either are paid by the Board out of moneys made available by the Oireachtas. The Board did not engage consultants or advisers during 2003.

### SECRETARIAT

Under Section 32 of the Act, an officer of the Minister who is an established civil servant and who is seconded to the Board for that purpose, either on a whole-time or part-time basis, shall act as Secretary to the Board.



## BOARD'S ACTIVITIES IN 2003

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### APPEALS RECEIVED

In 2003, the Board received a total of 7 appeals, representing a decrease of 46% in the level of appeals received over numbers received in 2002.

However, and in addition to the 7 received in 2003, there were a total of 10 appeals awaiting decision from 2002, giving a grand total of 17 appeals for determination. The 7 appeals received represented 2 Ministerial licence decisions from a total of 38 <sup>1</sup>Ministerial decisions made in 2003 which were subject to appeal. All seven appeals received in 2003 were in relation to the granting of licences for the cultivation of salmon.

### JUDICIAL REVIEW

In accordance with Section 73 of the Fisheries (Amendment) Act, 1997, a person can apply for judicial review of determinations of the Board by way of an application for judicial review, provided it is made within the period of three months commencing on the date on which the determination was made.

Judicial review applications of Board determinations currently before the courts are as follows:

- 1) Application made in April 2001 in relation to a Board decision dated 21 January 2001 in respect of the granting of an aquaculture licence to Bannow Bay Fisheries, Clifton, Spawell Road, Wexford for the cultivation of oysters at Bannow Bay, Co Wexford. Applicant has been given leave to appeal on two of the six grounds set out in Statement to Ground an Application for Judicial Review. This case is listed for hearing on 12 March 2004.
- 2) Application made in November 2002 in relation to three Board decisions of 19 August 2002 refusing to grant aquaculture licences for the cultivation of salmon in Kilkieran Bay, Co. Galway to the following applicants:
  - a) Mr Donal MacCon Iomaire, An Tain, Casla, Co. Galway, for Site No. 129A;
  - b) Iascaigh Muicineach Teo, c/o Frank Coen & Co., Salthill, Co. Galway, for Site No. 126B and Site No. 126C and
  - c) Muir Gheal Teo., Lettermore, Co. Galway, for Site No. 105D and 105E.

This case is waiting a date to be assigned for hearing.

<sup>1</sup> Note: Deadline for receipt of appeals against 21 Ministerial licence decisions made in December 2003 expired in January / February 2004. A number of appeals have been received against these decisions.

## BOARD'S ACTIVITIES IN 2003

### SUMMARY OF DETERMINATIONS

The Board made a total of 16 determinations in 2003.

This resulted in the granting of 2 aquaculture licences with revised conditions, one in respect of salmon and one in respect of scallops. The Board also upheld 6 appeals by refusing to grant an aquaculture licence for the cultivation of salmon. In the case of one appeal against the Minister's decision to refuse to grant a licence for the cultivation of mussels the Board confirmed the decision of the Minister.

During 2003, the total area licensed by the Board for salmon was 22.6 ha. Tonnage licensed for salmon was 1,000 tonnes increasing over 10 years to 3,800. Total area licensed for scallops was 471.33 ha.

### DETAILS OF APPEALS RECEIVED AND DETERMINATIONS MADE IN 2003

Under Section 40(4) of the Fisheries (Amendment) Act, 1997, the Board, in determining the appeals has the option of:

- (i) confirming the decision of the Minister to grant or refuse a licence or
- (ii) determining and issuing its own aquaculture licence as if the application for the licence had been made to the Board in the first instance.

Where the Board determined that it wished to alter the terms or conditions of a licence decision granted by the Minister, it did so by issuing its own licence with additional or altered terms and conditions.

***In line with the above, information outlined on the following pages contains -***

- a) a breakdown of the Board determinations for the years 1999 to 2003 inclusive;
- b) map showing location of appealed sites and summary information and
- c) table showing the outcome of determinations of appeals made by the Board in 2003 including subject matter of the appeal, details of Appellants and the results and date of each appeal decision.

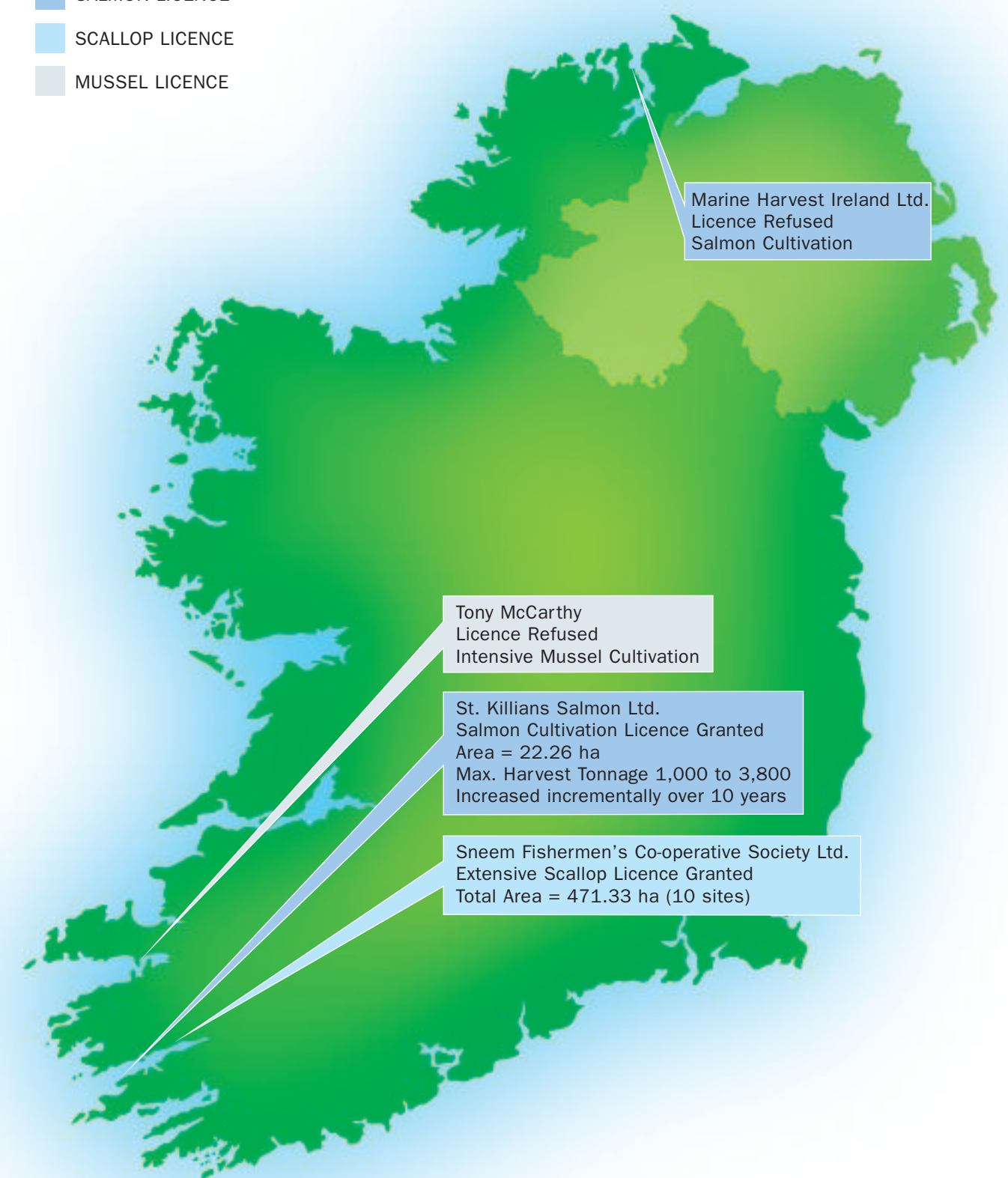
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### BREAKDOWN OF BOARD DETERMINATIONS 1999 - 2003

| YEAR | APPEALS<br>RECEIVED | WITHDRAWN | DEEMED<br>INVALID | BOARD<br>DETERMINATIONS | LICENCES<br>GRANTED<br>DECISION | CONFIRMED<br>MINISTER'S | APPEALS<br>UPHELD |
|------|---------------------|-----------|-------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|
| 1999 | 88                  | 0         | 2                 | 25                      | 16                              | 7                       | 0                 |
| 2000 | 38                  | 0         | 2                 | 83                      | 37                              | 5                       | 2                 |
| 2001 | 76                  | 30        | 1                 | 38                      | 14                              | 1                       | 1                 |
| 2002 | 13                  | 3         | 2                 | 29                      | 24                              | 0                       | 2                 |
| 2003 | 7                   | 0         | 0                 | 162                     | 2                               | 1                       | 6                 |

## BOARD DECISIONS 2003

- SALMON LICENCE
- SCALLOP LICENCE
- MUSSEL LICENCE



## DETERMINATIONS OF APPEALS IN 2003

| SUBJECT MATTER<br>OF APPEAL   | APPELLANTS  | BOARD DECISION<br>AND DATE            |
|---|---|---------------------------------------|
| Decision of Minister of State at the Department of Communications, Marine and Natural Resources to grant an aquaculture licence for the cultivation of Salmon on one site at Doon Point, Kenmare River, Co. Cork to <b>ST. KILLIANS SALMON LTD</b> , Ballyhea, Dingle, Co. Kerry.   | <p><b>SAVE OUR SEA TROUT</b>,<br/>c/o Peter Mantle,<br/>Delphi Fishery, Leenane, Co. Galway.</p> <p><b>SOUTH WESTERN REGIONAL FISHERIES BOARD</b>,<br/>1 Nevilles Terrace, Masseytown,<br/>Macroom, Co. Cork.</p> <p><b>CENTRAL FISHERIES BOARD</b>,<br/>Balnagowan, Mobhi Boreen,<br/>Glasnevin, Dublin 9.</p> <p><b>WATERVILLE FISHERIES DEVELOPMENT</b>,<br/>Maistir Gaoithe, Cill Airne, Co. Chiarrai.</p> <p><b>AN TAISCE</b>,<br/>Tailor's Hall, Back Lane, Dublin 8.</p> <p><b>WESTPOINT SHELLFISH LTD &amp; KENMARE RIVER USERS LTD</b>,<br/>Ardgroom, Beara, Co. Cork.</p> <p><b>HENRY COWPER</b>,<br/>Annefield, Ballycoursey, Co. Wexford.</p> | <p>GRANT LICENCE</p> <p>20/1/2003</p> |
| Decision of Minister of State at the Department of Communications, Marine and Natural Resources to grant an aquaculture licence for the cultivation of Scallops on ten sites on the foreshore within Kenmare River, Co. Kerry to <b>SNEEM FISHERMEN'S CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETY LTD.</b> , An tSean Scoil, School Road, Killorglin, Co. Kerry. | <p><b>BEARA INSHORE FISHERMAN'S ASSOCIATION</b>,<br/>c/o Brian Polly, Ardgroom,<br/>Beara, Co. Cork.</p> <p><b>DENIS HEALY</b>,<br/>Cahergarrif, Castletownbere, Co. Cork.</p>  | <p>GRANT LICENCE</p> <p>7/4/2003</p>  |

## DETERMINATIONS OF APPEALS IN 2003

| SUBJECT MATTER<br>OF APPEAL  | APPELLANTS  | BOARD DECISION<br>AND DATE             |
|--|---|--|
| Decision of Minister of State at the Department of Communications, Marine and Natural Resources to Refuse to grant an aquaculture licence for the cultivation of Mussels on bouchot poles on the foreshore in Castlemaine Harbour, Co. Kerry to <b>TONY McCARTHY</b> , Cromane Lower, Killorglin, Co. Kerry. | <b>TONY McCARTHY</b> ,<br>Cromane Lower,<br>Killorglin, Co. Kerry.  | <p>REFUSE LICENCE</p> <p>6/5/2003</p>  |
| Decision of Minister of State at the Department of Communications, Marine and Natural Resources to grant an Aquaculture licence for the cultivation of Salmon at one site at Dooanmore, Lough Swilly, Co. Donegal to <b>MARINE HARVEST IRELAND</b> , Kindrum, Cashel PO, Letterkenny, Co. Donegal.           | <p><b>AN TAISCE</b>,<br/>N.W. Region The Glebe, Newmills,<br/>Letterkenny, Co. Donegal.</p> <p><b>JOHN MICHAEL MULCAHY</b>,<br/>Carrablagh House,<br/>Portsalon, Co. Donegal.</p> <p><b>BUNCRANA ANGLERS ASSOCIATION</b>,<br/>Angling Centre, Castle Lane,<br/>Buncrana, Co. Donegal.</p> <p><b>BERNARD J EASTWOOD</b>,<br/>Carrablagh, Portsalon, Co. Donegal.</p> <p><b>LOUGH SWILLY PRESERVATION GROUP</b>,<br/>Croghan, Ramelton, Co. Donegal.</p> <p><b>DERMOT BROWNE</b>,<br/>The Grange, Inch Island, Co. Donegal.</p> | <p>REFUSE LICENCE</p> <p>8/12/2003</p> |



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## STATEMENT OF RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE BOARD

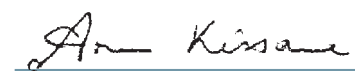
Section 37 (1) of the Fisheries (Amendment) Act, 1997 requires the Board to keep all proper and usual accounts of all moneys received or expended by it including an income and expenditure account and a balance sheet. In preparing those financial statements, the Board is required to:

- Select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently
- Make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent
- Prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the Board will continue in operation.
- Disclose and explain any material departures from applicable accounting standards

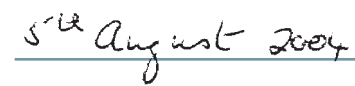
The Board is responsible for keeping proper books of account which disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the Board and which enables it to ensure that the financial statements comply with Section 37 of the Act. The Board is also responsible for safeguarding its assets and for taking reasonable steps to prevent and detect fraud and other irregularities.



**CONLETH BRADLEY**  
CHAIRMAN



**MS ANN KISSANE**  
SECRETARY

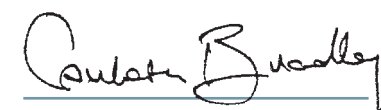


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## STATEMENT ON INTERNAL FINANCIAL CONTROLS

The Board acknowledges its responsibility for the Aquaculture Appeals Board's system of financial control. It also recognises that any system of financial control can only give reasonable and not absolute assurance against any material errors. The internal financial controls in operation by the Board during 2003 are detailed as follows:

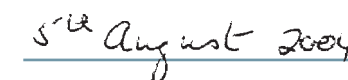
- The Board Secretariat is familiar with financial control procedures, including procurement, debtor and creditor procedures.
- All invoices are checked and authorised by the Secretary before payment.
- Both the Chairman and Secretary to the Board sign all cheques, with an additional signature from one other Board member required for cheques over an agreed limit.
- Expenditure details are forwarded to Finance Unit of the Department on a monthly basis.
- The Board has engaged a firm of Accountants to prepare Financial Statements for the annual audit of Board income and expenditure.
- The bulk of the Board expenditure is incurred on staff salaries, Board members' remuneration and travel and subsistence. Staff salaries and travel and subsistence claims are paid by the Department, which recoups this expenditure from the Board. An external payroll company has been engaged by the Board to deal with Board Members' remuneration.
- The Board did not carry out a formal review of its financial controls during 2003. However the Board engaged a firm of Accountants in 2004 to provide an internal audit service to the Board.
- To the best of our knowledge, there has been no material loss to the Board due to the adequacy or otherwise of the system of financial control in operation during 2003.
- As the Board is reasonably satisfied with the existing financial control arrangements, it is not envisaged that there will be any significant changes during 2004.



**CONLETH BRADLEY**  
CHAIRMAN



**MS ANN KISSANE**  
SECRETARY



DATE

# REPORT OF THE COMPTROLLER AND AUDITOR GENERAL

for presentation to the Houses of the Oireachtas

I have audited the financial statements on pages 4 to 8 under Section 37 of the Fisheries (Amendment) Act, 1997.

## RESPECTIVE RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE MEMBERS OF THE BOARD AND THE COMPTROLLER AND AUDITOR GENERAL

The accounting responsibilities of the Members of the Board are set out on page 1. It is my responsibility, based on my audit, to form an independent opinion on the financial statements presented to me and to report on them.

I review whether the statement on the system of internal financial control on page 2 reflects the Board's compliance with applicable guidance on corporate governance and report any material instance where it does not do so, or if the statement is misleading or inconsistent with other information of which I am aware from my audit of the financial statements.

## BASIS OF AUDIT OPINION

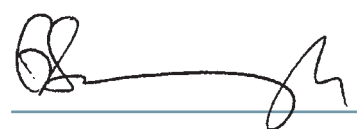
In the exercise of my function as Comptroller and Auditor General, I conducted my audit of the financial statements in accordance with auditing standards issued by the Auditing Practices Board and by reference to the special considerations which attach to State bodies in relation to their management and operation.

An audit includes examination, on a test basis, of evidence relevant to the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. It also includes an assessment of the significant estimates and judgments made in the preparation of the financial statements, and of whether the accounting policies are appropriate to the Board's circumstances, consistently applied and adequately disclosed.

I planned and performed my audit so as to obtain all the information and explanations that I considered necessary to provide me with sufficient evidence to give reasonable assurance that the financial statements are free from material misstatement whether caused by fraud or other irregularity or error. In forming my opinion I also evaluated the overall adequacy of the presentation of information in the financial statements.

## OPINION

In my opinion, proper books of account have been kept by the Aquaculture Licences Appeals Board and the financial statements, which are in agreement with them, give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Aquaculture Licences Appeals Board at 31 December 2003 and of its income and expenditure for the year then ended.



**GERARD SMYTH**  
**CHAIRMAN**

*For and on behalf of the Comptroller and Auditor General*

*August 2004*

# STATEMENT ON ACCOUNTING POLICIES

## 1. GENERAL

The Aquaculture Licences Appeals Board was established on 17 June 1998 under Section 22 of the Fisheries (Amendment) Act, 1997. The Board deals with Appeals against decisions of the Minister relating to aquaculture licences.

## 2. BASIS OF ACCOUNTING

The financial statements are prepared under the accruals method of accounting, except as indicated below, and in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles under the historical cost convention. Financial reporting standards recommended by the recognised accountancy bodies are adopted, as they become operative.

## 3. INCOME

Appeal Fees are recognised in the Financial Statements on a receipts basis.

Oireachtas Grants received from the Department of Communications, Marine and Natural Resources are recognised in the accounts on a cash receipts basis.

## 4. CAPITAL ACCOUNT

The Capital Account represents the unamortised value of income used for capital purposes.

## 5. DEPRECIATION

The cost or value of tangible fixed assets, including leased assets, is written off by equal instalments as follows:-

|                    |         |
|--------------------|---------|
| Office equipment   | 3 years |
| Computer equipment | 3 years |

## 6. SUPERANNUATION

Staff of the Board are seconded from the Department of Communications, Marine and Natural Resources and are covered by the Department's pension arrangements.

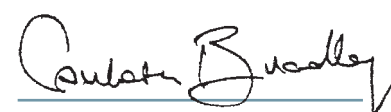
The Board does not operate pension schemes.

# INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT

## FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 2003

|                                       | Notes | 2003<br>€       | 2002<br>€      |
|---------------------------------------|-------|-----------------|----------------|
| <b>INCOME</b>                         |       |                 |                |
| Appeal Fees                           |       | 1,523           | 2,639          |
| Oireachtas Grant                      |       | 215,000         | 268,225        |
| Transferred (to)/from Capital Account | 5     | 4,406           | 21,120         |
|                                       |       | <u>220,929</u>  | <u>291,984</u> |
| <b>EXPENDITURE</b>                    |       |                 |                |
| Board member's fees and expenses      |       | 28,708          | 45,150         |
| Wages and salaries                    |       | 122,662         | 93,250         |
| Travel and expenses                   |       | 15,297          | 25,664         |
| Legal fees                            |       | 8,530           | -              |
| Advertising                           |       | 536             | 485            |
| Postage                               |       | 2,312           | 3,322          |
| Audit fees                            |       | 4,468           | -              |
| Accountancy                           |       | 5,004           | 4,650          |
| Couriers and taxis                    |       | 1,411           | 2,180          |
| Bank charges                          |       | 211             | 275            |
| Clothing and equipment                |       | 78              | 286            |
| Diving costs                          |       | 2,426           | 4,269          |
| Cleaning                              |       | 3,778           | 4,092          |
| Office stationery and supplies        |       | 4,284           | 5,567          |
| Telephone                             |       | 6,999           | 7,573          |
| Miscellaneous                         |       | 3,735           | 3,407          |
| Depreciation                          |       | 4,748           | 25,483         |
| Publications                          |       | 4,181           | 4,355          |
| Repairs, maintenance and security     |       | 9,823           | 9,093          |
| Conferences and education             |       | 4,316           | -              |
|                                       |       | <u>233,507</u>  | <u>239,101</u> |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                          |       | <u>233,507</u>  | <u>239,101</u> |
| <b>(DEFICIT)/SURPLUS FOR THE YEAR</b> |       | <u>(12,578)</u> | <u>52,883</u>  |
| Surplus/(deficit) at start of year    |       | 13,688          | (39,195)       |
| <b>SURPLUS AT END OF YEAR</b>         |       | <u>1,110</u>    | <u>13,688</u>  |

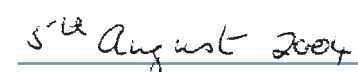
There are no recognised gains or losses, other than those dealt with in the Income and Expenditure Account. The Statement of Accounting Policies and Notes 1 to 6 form part of these Financial Statements.



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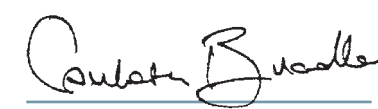
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# BALANCE SHEET

## AS AT 31ST DECEMBER 2003

|                                | Notes | 2003<br>€     | 2002<br>€     |
|--------------------------------|-------|---------------|---------------|
| <b>FIXED ASSETS</b>            |       |               |               |
|                                | 4     | 1,697         | 6,103         |
| <b>CURRENT ASSETS</b>          |       |               |               |
| Prepayment                     |       | 317           | 3,841         |
| Bank                           |       | 40,980        | 51,120        |
|                                |       | <u>41,297</u> | <u>54,961</u> |
| <b>CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>     |       |               |               |
| Creditors                      |       | (40,187)      | (41,273)      |
|                                |       | <u>1,110</u>  | <u>13,688</u> |
| <b>Net Current Assets</b>      |       | <u>1,110</u>  | <u>13,688</u> |
| <b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>            |       | <u>2,807</u>  | <u>19,791</u> |
| <b>REPRESENTED BY:-</b>        |       |               |               |
| Capital Account                | 5     | 1,697         | 6,103         |
| Income and expenditure account |       | 1,110         | 13,688        |
|                                |       | <u>2,807</u>  | <u>19,791</u> |

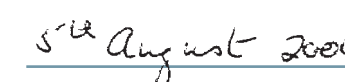
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SECRETARY



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# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 2003

## 1. GENERAL

The Board is funded by an Oireachtas grant through the Department of Communications, Marine and Natural Resources.

## 2. DISCLOSURE OF INTEREST

In the normal course of business the Board may review an appeal case in which the Board members are employed or otherwise have an interest. The Board adopted procedures in accordance with guidelines issued by the Department of Finance in relation to the disclosure of interest by Bord Members and these procedures have been adhered to during the year.

## 3. TAXATION

No provision has to be made for taxation in the Financial Statements.

## 4. FIXED ASSETS

|  | Computer<br>Equipment<br>€ | Office<br>Equipment<br>€ | Total<br>€ |
|--|----------------------------|--------------------------|------------|
| Cost at 1st January 2003                             | 42,974                     | 37,224                   | 80,198     |
| Additions  | -                          | 342                      | 342        |
|  | <hr/>                      | <hr/>                    | <hr/>      |
| Cost at 31st December 2003                           | 42,974                     | 37,566                   | 80,540     |
|  | <hr/>                      | <hr/>                    | <hr/>      |
| <b>DEPRECIATION</b>                                  |                            |                          |            |
| Balance at 1st January 2003                          | 37,109                     | 36,986                   | 74,095     |
| Charge for the Year                                  | 4,396                      | 352                      | 4,748      |
|  | <hr/>                      | <hr/>                    | <hr/>      |
| Accumulated Depreciation<br>As at 31st December 2003 | 41,505                     | 37,338                   | 78,843     |
|  | <hr/>                      | <hr/>                    | <hr/>      |
| <b>NET BOOK AMOUNT</b>                               |                            |                          |            |
| As at 31st December 2003                             | 1,469                      | 228                      | 1,697      |
|  | <hr/>                      | <hr/>                    | <hr/>      |
| As at 31st December 2002                             | 5,865                      | 237                      | 6,103      |
|  | <hr/>                      | <hr/>                    | <hr/>      |

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 2003

## 5. CAPITAL ACCOUNT

|  | 2003    |         | 2002     |          |
|--|---------|---------|----------|----------|
|  | €       | €       | €        | €        |
| Balance at 1st January 2003                        |         | 6,103   |          | 27,223   |
| Transfer from/(to) Income and Expenditure Account: |         |         |          |          |
| - Funds allocated to acquire fixed assets          | 342     |         | 4,363    | 4,363    |
| - Amortisation in line with depreciation           | (4,748) | (4,406) | (25,483) | (21,120) |
|  |         | <hr/>   |          | <hr/>    |
| <b>BALANCE AT 31st December 2003</b>               |         | 1,697   |          | 6,103    |
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## 6. APPROVAL OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The Financial Statements were approved by the Board on 5th April 2004.



# AN BORD ACHOMHARC UM CHEADÚNAIS DOBHARSHAOTHRAITHE

## TUARASCÁIL BHLIANTÚIL 2003



# AN BORD ACHOMHARC UM CHEADÚNAIS DOBHARSHAOTHRAITHE

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# RÁITEAS AN CHATHAOIRLIGH

## don Aire Cumarsáide, Mara agus Acmhainní Nádurtha.



Conleth Bradley  
Chairman

Tá áthas orm, sa chéad bhliain dom i mo Chathaoirleach ar An mBord Achomhairc um Cheadúnaís Dobharshaothraithe, mo Ráiteas a bheith anseo, i 6ú Tuarascáil Bhliantúil an Bhoird.

Cheap an Rialtas i mo Chathaoirleach mé do thréimhse cúig bliana ag tosú ar an 17 Iúil 2003. Tháinig mé i gcomharbacht, mar Chathaoirleach, ar an Uasal Conor Maguire A.S. a bhí ina Chathaoirleach ar an mBord ó Bunaíodh é i Meitheamh 1998. Gabhaim buíochas leis an Uasal Maguire as a chuid seirbhíse agus as a thiomantas mórluacha don mBord le linn dó a bheith in oifig.

Is mian liom chomh maith buíochas a ghabháil leis an Dr. Richard Fitzgerald, an tUasal Jim Killeen agus an tUasal Martin Howley ar tháinig deireadh lena dtéarmaí in oifig ag deireadh an Mheithimh 2003. D'fheidhmíodar sin, agus an Cathaoirleach atá ag imeacht uainn, ag tráth dúshlánach a d'éiligh mórchuid ama orthu mar gheall ar an líon mór achomharc a tháinig faoi bhráid an Bhoird tar éis a bhunaithe. Ag cur san áireamh gur Bhord páirtaímsire é an Bord is fianaise ar thiomantas na ndaoine ar fad a bhain leis an líon cinnte a deineadh sna blianta tosaigh.

Fearaim fáilte roimh ár gcuid nuabhall Boird, an tUasal Mario Minehane, an tUasal. Seán Murphy agus an tUasal Lorcán Ó Cinnéide a cheap an tAire Stáit Cumarsáide, Mara agus Acmhainní Nádurtha do thréimhse bliana ón 4 Nollaig 2003. Creidim go roinnfidh siad a mórthaithí agus a dtiomantas ar an mBord sa bhliain atá romhainn amach.

Déarfadh mé focal gairid anois ar imeachtaí an Bhoird sa Bhliain 2003. Tháinig laghdú eile fós ar líon na n-achomharc a fuair an Bord. Tá sonraí maidir leis na hAchomhairc a fuarthas tugtha ar leathanach 7 den tuarascáil seo.

Go achomair, fuarthas 7 n-achomharc a bhain le 2 chinneadh ceadúnaithe ag an Aireacht. Bhí 10 n-achomharc eile ann áfach, ag fanacht ar chinneadh ó 2002. D'fhág sin go raibh 17 cinneadh le déanamh. Tá áthas orm a thuairisciú nach raibh ach achomharc amháin ag fanacht ar chinneadh faoi dheireadh 2003. Tá sonraí i dtaobh na gcinnte a deineadh i 2003 tugtha ar leathanaigh 11 agus 12 den tuarascáil seo.

Mar Chathaoirleach, is mian liom aitheantas a thabhairt do obair bhaill an Bhoird agus buíochas a ghabháil leo agus leis an Rúnaíocht as a dtacaíocht leanúnach iontaofa i gcaitheamh na bliana.

CONLETH BRADLEY  
CATHAOIRLEACH

30 MÁRTA 2004

# BAILL AN BHOIRD AGUS EOLAS GINEARÁLTA

## CATHAOIRLEACH

\* AN tUAS. CONLETH BRADLEY

## LEASCHATHAOIRLEACH

+ DR ANN QUINN, BSc., PhD., MIPI., FCI Arb.

## GNÁTHBHAILL

+ AN tUAS. MICHAEL HARTE, B.Oid.

+ MRS MARY NOLAN

# An tUAS. R MARIO MINEHANE

# An tUAS. SEÁN MURPHY

# An tUAS. LORCÁN Ó CINNÉIDE

\* Ceaptha ag an Rialtas do thréimhse cúig bliana, ag tosú ar an 17 Iúil 2003 in áit an Uasail. Conor Maguire A.S. a bhí ina Chathaoirleach agus gur tháinig deireadh lena thréimhse in oifig ar an 29 Meitheamh 2003.

+ Athcheaptha ag an Aire Stáit sa Roinn Cumarsáide, Mara agus Acmhainní Nádurtha, an tUasal John Browne, T.D., do thréimhse bliana ag tosú ar an 17 Iúil 2003.

# Ceaptha ag an Aire Stáit sa Roinn Cumarsáide, Mara agus Acmhainní Nádurtha don tréimhse ó 4 Nollaig 2003 go dtí 31 Nollaig 2004 in áit an Dr. Richard Fitzgerald, an tUas. Jim Killeen agus an tUas. Martin Howley, baill a bhí ag imeacht as ar deireadh a dtréimhsí in oifig ar an 29 Meitheamh 2003.

## RÚNAÍ

MS ANN KISSANE

## OIFIG CHLÁRAITHE

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An 3ú Urlár  
Sráid Holles  
Baile Átha Cliath 2

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An Dr Ann Quinn  
Leas-Chathaoirleach



Michael Harte  
Ball



Mario Minehane  
Ball



Seán Murphy  
Ball



Mary Nolan  
Ball



Lorcán Ó Cinnéide  
Ball

## AN BORD ACHOMHAIRC UM CHEADÚNAIS DOBHARSHAOTHRAITHE

Tá roinnt eolais ghinearálta anseo thíos maidir leis an mBord Achomhairc um Cheadúnais Dobharshaothraithe. D'fhonn léirithiscint a fháil ar oibriúchán an phróisis achomhairc chomh maith leis an gcóras ceadúnúcháin, ba chóir féachaint ar an Acht lascaireachta (Leasú) 1997, ar an Acht lascaireachta agus Urthrá (Leasú), 1998, ar na Rialacháin um Dhobharshaothrú (Iarratas Ceadúnúcháin), 1998 agus ar an reachtaíocht is déanaí, an tAcht lascaireachta (Leasú), 2001.

### BUNÚ AN BHOIRD

Bunaíodh an Bord Achomhairc um Cheadúnais Dobharshaothraithe ar an 17 Meitheamh 1998 faoi Alt 22 den Acht lascaireachta (Leasú), 1997. Tá Baill uile an Bhoird ag feidhmiú ar bhonn páirtaimaire.

### FEIDHM

Is feidhm don mBord bheith ina údarás neamhspleách le cinnte a dhéanamh ar achomhairc in aghaidh cinnte an Aire Cumarsáide, Mara agus Acmhainní Nádurtha maidir le hiarratais ar cheadúnais um dhobharshaothrú. Is féidir le duine éagóraithe ag cinneadh an Aire maidir le hiarratas ceadúnúcháin, nó maidir le cúlghairm nó leasú ar cheadúnas um dhobharshaothrú, achomharc a dhéanamh laistigh de mhí ó fhoilsiú (i gcás chinnte) nó ó fhógairt (i gcás cúlghairme/leasaithe).

### STÁDAS

Comhlacht neamhspleách is ea an Bord lena cistíocht féin a sholáthraíonn an tOireachtas faoi Alt 36 den Acht.

### BALLRAÍOCHT AN BHOIRD

Mar a fhorálar faoi Alt 23 den Acht lascaireachta (Leasú), 1997, tá Cathaoirleach agus seisear Ball eile ar an mBord. Cheap an Rialtas an Cathaoirleach, an tUasal Conleth Bradley, abhcóide cleachtais do thréimhse de chúig bliana ag tosú ar an 17 Iúil 2003.

Tá an Leas-Chathaoirleach, an Dr. Ann Quinn, ar an mBord ón 12 Samhain 2001 i leith agus tá sí athcheaptha ag an Aire Stáit Cumarsáide, Mara agus Acmhainní Nádurtha, an tUasal John Browne, T.D., do thréimhse bliana ag tosú ar an 17 Iúil 2003.

## AN BORD ACHOMHAIRC UM CHEADÚNAIS DOBHARSHAOTHRAITHE

Tá Mrs Mary Nolan agus an tUasal Michael Harte ar an mBord ó bunaíodh é. Ceapadh do thréimhse trí bliana iad i dtosach báire agus athcheapadh in aghaidh na bliana ó sin iad. Dhein an tAire Stáit Cumarsáide, Mara agus Acmhainní Nádúrtha a n-athcheaptha is déanaí do thréimhse bliana ag tosú ar an 17 Iúil 2003.

Cheap an tAire Stáit Cumarsáide, Mara agus Acmhainní Nádúrtha, an tUasal John Browne, T.D., an triúr ball eile, an tUasal Mr. Mario Minehane, an tUasal. Seán Murphy agus an tUasal Lorcán Ó Cinnéide, don thréimhse ón 4 Nollaig 2003 go dtí an 31 Nollaig 2004.

### COMHDHÉANAMH AN BHOIRD

Ag teacht le hAlt 23(3) den Acht, dhein an tAire Mara agus Acmhainní Nádúrtha Rialacháin ag forordú ballraíochta do dhá cheann ar a laghad de eagraíochtaí ionadacha ar na grúpaí seo a leanas:

- (a) eagraíochtaí atá ag gabháil do chothú forbartha ar dhobharshaothrú nó atá ionadach ar dhaoine atá ag gabháil do ghnó forbartha ar dhobharshaothrú;
- (b) eagraíochtaí atá ag gabháil do chaomhnú, forbairt agus cosaint iascaireachtaí fiáine;
- (c) eagraíochtaí ionadacha ar dhaoine a mbaineann a ngairmeacha nó a slite beatha le pleanáil agus forbairt fhisiciúil;
- (d) eagraíochtaí ionadacha ar dhaoine atá ag gabháil do chosaint agus chaomhnú an chomhshaoil agus taitneamhachtaí;
- (e) eagraíochtaí ionadacha ar dhaoine atá ag gabháil do chothú na forbartha eacnamaíochta coitinn agus
- (f) eagraíochtaí ionadacha ar dhaoine atá ag gabháil do chothú forbartha pobail.

### FREAGRACHTAÍ

Mar atá anseo thíos atá príomhfhreagrachtaí agus chumhachtaí an Bhoird:

Faoi Alt 40(4) den Acht, ar fáil achomharc don mBord, agus ar choinníoll nach ndéantar tarraingt siar air, is féidir leis an mBord cinneadh a dhéanamh faoin achomharc trí

- (a) deimhniú a dhéanamh ar chinneadh nó gníomhaíocht an Aire, nó

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(b) cinneadh a dhéanamh faoin iarratas ar cheadúnas amhail is gur don mBord a cuireadh an t-iarratas i dtosach báire, nó

(c) maidir le cúlghairm nó leasú cheadúnais, a chinneadh féin a chur in áit chinnte an Aire.;

Faoi Alt 43 agus 44 den Acht, ní mór don mBord cóip den bhfógra achomhairc a chur chuig an Aire agus chuig gach páirtí eile leasmhar san achomharc.;

Faoi Alt 46 den Acht, is féidir leis an mBord aighneachtaí nó tuairimí a fháil ó pháirtithe nó ó dhaoine eile a chuir aighneachtaí nó tuairimí faoi bhráid an Bhoird roimhe sin maidir leis an achomharc más dóigh leis an mBord agus sna cúinsí áirithe sin, gur chun leasa an cheartais é é sin a dhéanamh.

Faoi Alt 47 den Acht, is féidir leis an mBord éileamh a dhéanamh ar dhoiciméid, sonraí nó eolas eile a cheapann sé a bheith riachtanach chun críche cinnte ar achomharc;

Faoi Alt 49 den Acht, tá díscréid iomlán ag an mBord éisteacht ó bhéal a thionól ar achomharc;

Faoi Alt 56 den Acht, déanfaidh an Bord deimhin de go bpléitear le hachomhairc agus go ndéantar cinnte ina dtaobh a thapúla agus is féidir agus go nglactar gach céim chuí le ghlacadh le moill gan ghá.

### COMHAIRLEACHA AGUS COMHAIRLEOIRÍ

Faoi Alt 35 den Acht, is féidir leis an mBord cibé comhairleacha agus comhairleoirí is dóigh leis a bheith riachtanach chun a chuid feidhmeanna a chomhlíonadh a fhostú. Íocfaidh an Bord táillí dlite leo sin as airgead a sholáthraíonn an tOireachtas. Níor fhostaigh an Bord aon comhairleacha ná comhairleoirí i rith 2003.

### RÚNAÍOCHT

Faoi Alt 32 den Acht, beidh oifigeach de chuid an Aire atá ina státseirbhíseach bunaithe agus atá ar iasacht ag an mBord chun na críche sin, ar bhonn lánaimsire nó páirtaimesire, ina Rúnaí ag an mBord.



# IMEACHTAÍ AN BHOIRD I 2003

# 03

## ACHOMHAIRC FAIGHTE

I 2003, fuair an Bord Board 7 achomharc san iomlán, rud ab ionann agus laghdú de 46% ar líon na n-achomharc a fuarthas i 2002.

Chomh maith leis na seacht n-achomharc a fuarthas i 2003, áfach, bhí 10 n-achomharc fós le cinneadh ó 2002, rud ab ionann agus 17 achomharc ar fad le cinneadh a dhéanamh orthu. Bhain na 7 achomharc a fuarthas le 2 chinneadh ceadúnais Aireachta as iomlán de 38 1 cinneadh Aireachta a deineadh i 2003 agus a bhí inachomharctha.

Bhain na seacht n-achomharc ar fad a fuarthas i 2003 le deonadh ceadúnas do shaothrú bradán.

## ATHBHREITHNIÚ BREITHIÚNACH

Ag teacht le hAlt 73 den Acht lascaireachta (Leasú), 1997, is féidir le duine iarratas a chur isteach ar athbhreithniú breithiúnach ar chinnte an Bhoird mar iarratas ar athbhreithniú breithiúnach, ar choinníoll go ndéantar é laistigh de thrí mhí ag tosú ar an dáta ar ar deineadh an cinneadh.

Mar a leanas atá iarratais ar athbhreithnithe breithiúnacha os comhair na gcúirteanna faoi láthair:

- 1) Iarratas a deineadh in Aibreán 2001 maidir le cinneadh Boird dár dáta 21 Eanáir 2001 maidir le ceadúnas um dhobharshaothrú a dheonadh ar Bannow Bay Fisheries, Clifton, Bóthar Thobar an Spá, Loch Garman chun oisirí a shaothrú i gCuan an Bhainbh, Contae Loch Garman. Tá cead achomhairc tugtha don iarratasóir ar dhá fhoras de na sé fhoras atá sa Ráiteas chun Iarratas ar Athbhreithniú Breithiúnach a Fhorasú. Tá an chúis seo liostaithe chun éisteachta ar an 12 Márta 2004.
- 2) Iarratas a deineadh i Mí na Samhna 2002 maidir le trí chinneadh Boird ar an 19 Lúnasa 2002 ag diúltú ceadúnais um dhobharshaothrú a dheonadh do shaothrú bradán i gCuan Chill Chiaráin, Co na Gaillimhe do na hiarratasóirí seo a leanas:
  - a) An tUasal Dónal Mac Con Iomaire, An Táin, Casla, Co. na Gaillimhe, do Shuíomh Uimh. 129A;
  - b) Iascaigh Muicineach Teo, f/ch Frank Coen & Co., Bóthar na Trá, Co. na Gaillimhe, do Shuíomh Uimh. 126B agus do Shuíomh Uimh. 126C agus
  - c) Muir Gheal Teo., Leitir Móir, Co. na Gaillimhe, do Shuíomh Uimh. 105D agus do Shuíomh Uimh. 105E.

Tá an chúis seo ag fanacht le dáta a bheith sannaithe chun éisteachta.

# IMEACHTAÍ AN BHOIRD I 2003

<sup>1</sup> Nóta: Chuaigh an spriocdháta in éag in Eanáir / Feabhra 2004 chun achomhairc a fháil in aghaidh 21 chinneadh Aire maidir le ceadúnais a glacadh i mí na Nollag 2003. Tá roinnt achomharc faighte in aghaidh na gcinntí sin.

## ACHOIMRE NA gCINNTE

Dhein an Bord 16 cinneadh ar fad i 2003.

Dob ionann sin agus 2 cheadúnas um dhobharshaothrú a dheonadh le coinníollacha leasaithe, ceann maidir le bradáin agus ceann maidir le muiríní. Thacaigh an Bord le 6 achomharc trí dhiúltú ceadúnas a cheadú do shaothrú bradán. I gcás achomhairc amháin in aghaidh chinneadh an Aire diúltú ceadúnas a cheadú chun diúilicíní a shaothrú dhearbhaigh an Bord cinneadh an Aire.

I gcaitheamh 2003, cheadúnaigh an Bord achar 22.6 ha., ar fad do bhradáin. Ceadúnaíodh tonnáiste de 1,000 tona ag méadú thar 10 mbliana go dtí 3,800. Ceadúnaíodh achar iomlán de 471.33 ha., do mhuiríní.

## SONRAÍ AR ACHOMHAIRC A FUARTHAS AGUS NA gCINNTE A DEINEADH I 2003

Faoi Alt 40(4) den Acht lascaireachta (Leasú), 1997, tá an rogha ag an mBord, agus achomhairc á gcinneadh:

- (i) Cinneadh an Aire ceadúnas a dheonadh nó a dhiúltú a dheimhniú nó
- (ii) cinneadh agus eisiúint a dhéanamh ar a cheadúnas féin um dhobharshaothrú amhail is gur don mBord a cuireadh an t-iarratas i dtosach báire.

Nuair a chinn an Bord gur theastaigh uaidh téarmaí nó coinníollacha cheadúnais a dheonaigh an tAire, dhein sé amhlaidh trína cheadúnas féin, le téarmaí agus coinníollacha breise, a eisiúint.

Ag teacht lena bhfuil thuas, cuimsíonn an t-eolas sna leathanaigh seo thíos -

- a) Miondealú ar chinnte an Bhoird do na blianta 1999 go dtí 2003, an dá bhliain sin san áireamh;
- b) Léarscáil ag léiriú láithreacha na suíomh achomharctha agus achoimre eolais agus
- c) Tábla ag léiriú torthaí na gcinnte a dhein an Bord ar achomhairc i 2003 ag cur san áireamh ábhar an achomhairc, sonraí i dtaobh na nAchomharcóirí agus toradh agus dáta cinnte gach cinneadh achomhairc.

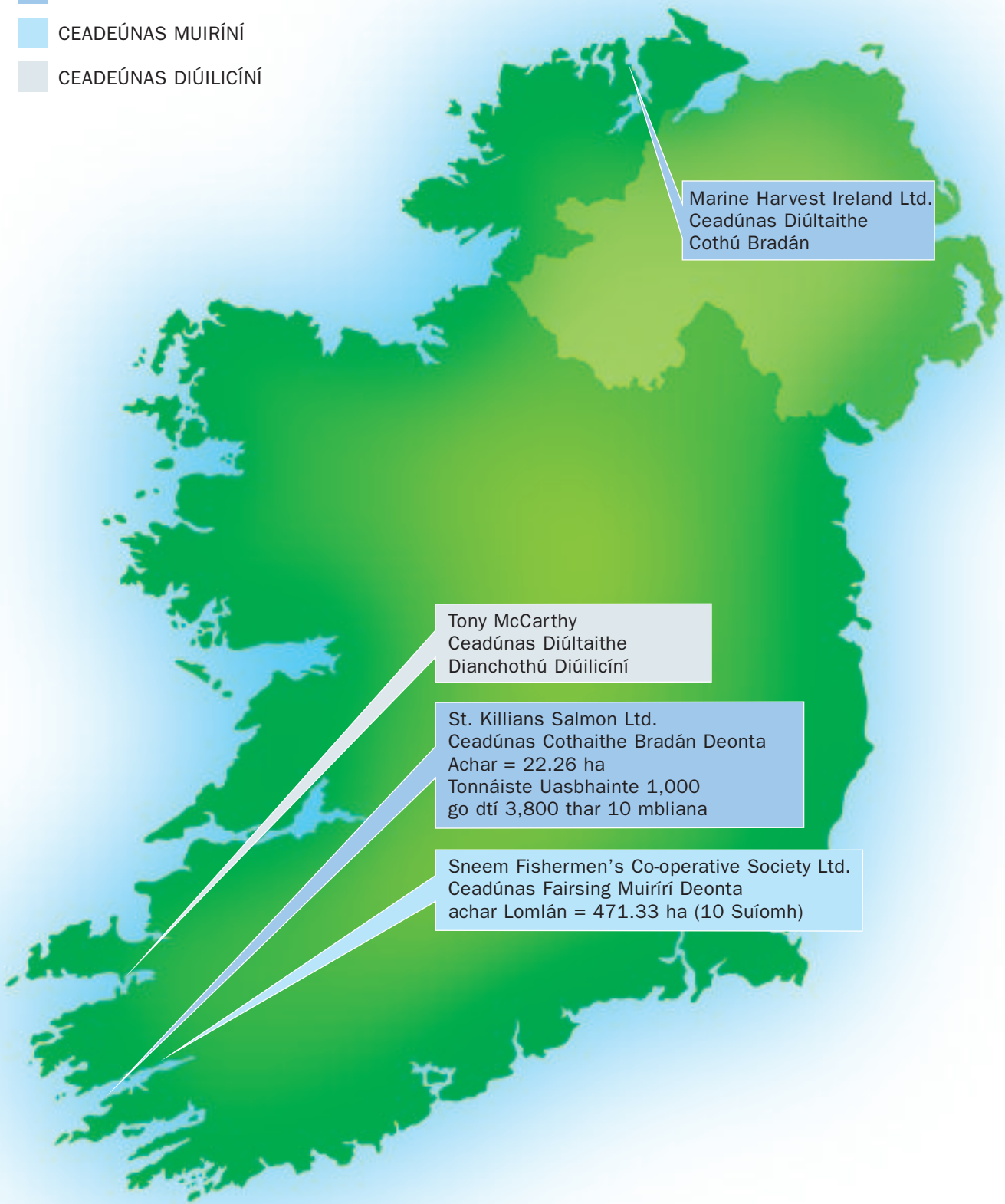
AN BORD ACHOMHAIRC UM  
CHEADÚNAIS DOBHARSHAOTHRAITHE

MIONDEALÚ AR  
CHINNTE AN BHOIRD  
1999 - 2003

| BLIAIN | ACHOMHAIRC<br>FAIGHTE | AIS -<br>TARRAINGTHE | MEASTA<br>NEAMHBHAILÍ | CINNTE<br>AN BHOIRD | CHEADÚNAIS<br>DEONTA | CINNEADH AN<br>AIRE<br>DEIMHNITHE | ACHOMHAIRC<br>TACAITHE |
|--------|-----------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|----------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------|
| 1999   | 88                    | 0                    | 2                     | 25                  | 16                   | 7                                 | 0                      |
| 2000   | 38                    | 0                    | 2                     | 83                  | 37                   | 5                                 | 2                      |
| 2001   | 76                    | 30                   | 1                     | 38                  | 14                   | 1                                 | 1                      |
| 2002   | 13                    | 3                    | 2                     | 29                  | 24                   | 0                                 | 2                      |
| 2003   | 7                     | 0                    | 0                     | 162                 | 2                    | 1                                 | 6                      |

CINNTE AN BHOIRD  
2003

- CEADEÚNAS BRADÁN
- CEADEÚNAS MUIRÍNÍ
- CEADEÚNAS DIÚILICÍNÍ



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| ÁBHAR AN ACHOMHAIRC  | ACHOMHARCÓIRÍ  | CINNEADH AN BHOIRD AGUS DÁTA                |
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| Cinneadh an Aire Stáit sa Roinn Cumarsáide, Mara agus Acmhainní Nádurtha, ceadúnas um dhobharshaothrú do shaothrú bradán a dheonadh ar shuíomh amháin ag an Dún, An Ribhéar, Co. Chorcaí, do <b>ST KILLIANS SALMON LTD</b> , Baile Uí Shé, An Daingean, Co Chiarraí.   | <p><b>SAVE OUR SEA TROUT</b>, f/ch Peter Mantle, Iascaireacht An Líonáin, Co. na Gaillimhe.</p> <p><b>BORD IASCAIREACHTA RÉIGIÚIN AN OIR-DHEISCIRT</b>, 1 Ardán Ó Niadh, Sráid Massey, Maigh Chromtha, Co. Chorcaí.</p> <p><b>AN PRÍOMH-BHORD IASCAIGH</b>, Baile na nGabhann, Bóithrín Móibhí, Glas Naíon, Baile Átha Cliath 9.</p> <p><b>WATERVILLE FISHERIES DEVELOPMENT</b>, Máistir Gaoithe, Cill Airne, Co. Chiarraí.</p> <p><b>AN TAISCE</b>, Halla na dTáilliúirí, Back Lane, Baile Átha Cliath 8.</p> <p><b>WESTPOINT SHELLFISH LTD &amp; KENMARE RIVER USERS LTD</b>, Dhá Dhrom, Béarra, Co. Chorcaí.</p> <p><b>HENRY COWPER</b>, Annefield, Baile an Chuarsaigh, Co. Loch Garman.</p> | <p>CEADÚNAS A DHEONADH</p> <p>20/1/2003</p> |
| Cinneadh an Aire Stáit sa Roinn Cumarsáide, Mara agus Acmhainní Nádurtha, ceadúnas um dhobharshaothrú do shaothrú muiríní ar dheich suíomh ar an urthrá laistigh den Ribhéar, Co Chiarraí do <b>SNEEM FISHERMEN'S CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETY LTD.</b> , An tSean Scoil, Bóthar na Scoile, Cill Orglain, Co Chiarraí. | <p><b>BEARA INSHORE FISHERMAN'S ASSOCIATION</b>, f/ch Brian Polly, Dhá Dhrom, Béarra, Co. Chorcaí.</p> <p><b>DENIS HEALY</b>, Cathair Garbh, Baile Chaisleáin Bhéarra, Co. Chorcaí.</p>  | <p>CEADÚNAS A DHEONADH</p> <p>7/4/2003</p>  |

# CINNTE AR ACHOMHAIRC I 2003

| ÁBHAR AN ACHOMHAIRC   | ACHOMHARCÓIRÍ  | CINNEADH AN BHOIRD AGUS DÁTA               |
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| Cinneadh an Aire Stáit sa Roinn Cumarsáide, Mara agus Acmhainní Nádurtha, ceadúnas um dhobharshaothrú do shaothrú diúilicíní ar chuailí bouchot ar an urthrá i Loch na dTrá gCaol, Co Chiarraí a dhiúltú do <b>TONY McCARTHY</b> , an Cromán Íochtarach, Cill Orglain, Co Chiarraí.   | <b>TONY McCARTHY</b> , An Cromán Íochtarach, Cill Orglain, Co. Chiarraí.   | <p>CEADÚNAS A DHIÚLTÚ</p> <p>6/5/2003</p>  |
| Cinneadh an Aire Stáit sa Roinn Cumarsáide, Mara agus Acmhainní Nádurtha, ceadúnas um dhobharshaothrú do shaothrú bradán ag suíomh amháin ag Dúnán Mór, Loch Súilí, Co Dhún na nGall do <b>MARINE HARVEST IRELAND</b> , Cinn Droim, OP an Chaisil, Leitir Ceanainn, Co Dhún na nGall. | <p><b>AN TAISCE</b>, Réigiún an I.Th. An Ghléib, na Muilte Nua, Leitir Ceanainn, Co. Dhún na nGall.</p> <p><b>JOHN MICHAEL MULCAHY</b>, Teach Cheathrú Bleadhach, Port an tSalainn, Co. Dhún na nGall.</p> <p><b>BUNCRANA ANGLERS ASSOCIATION</b>, Ionad Iascaigh, Lána an Chaisleáin, Bun Cranncha, Co. Dhún na nGall.</p> <p><b>BERNARD J EASTWOOD</b>, Carrablagh, Port an tSalainn, Co. Dhún na nGall.</p> <p><b>LOUGH SWILLY PRESERVATION GROUP</b>, Cruachán, Ráth Mealtáin, Co. Dhún na nGall.</p> <p><b>DERMOT BROWNE</b>, An Ghráinnseach, Inis Cuileantrai, Co. Dhún na nGall.</p> | <p>CEADÚNAS A DHIÚLTÚ</p> <p>8/12/2003</p> |

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