



# Comhairle Contae Mhuineacháin Monaghan County Council

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25<sup>th</sup> June 2025

A Chara,

**Re: Planning Compliance Submission for Condition 7 ABP Reference 02.VA0017 – North-South 400 kV Interconnector Project**

I refer to the details submitted to the Planning Authority on the 30<sup>th</sup> April 2025 regarding condition 7 of the order issued by An Bord Pleanála under Reference 02.VA0017.

In respect of the above, I wish to advise that the details submitted on 30<sup>th</sup> April 2025 are not sufficient to enable the planning authority to agree to the discharge of condition 7 at this juncture. In particular, the following details were not submitted:-

1. Scaled plans and elevations of the following structures proposed to be placed on the site:-
  - a. prefab staff offices
  - b. portable toilets
  - c. nut and bolt store
  - d. waste collection area
  - e. refuelling area including any tanks or dispensing equipment
  - f. land standards / posts, indicating specific heights at specific locations
2. Clarification if racking or shelving (or indeed any other structure) is proposed to be placed on the site in the areas on the submitted site layout marked:-
  - a. pole storage
  - b. hardware and general materials storage
  - c. steel members storage
  - d. conductor drums
  - e. intermediate towers
  - f. 30 degree angle towers
  - g. 60 degree angle towers
  - h. 90 degree angle towers
  - i. wheel washand scaled plans and elevations of all structures proposed to be erected on these areas.
3. Plans indicating the pallisade fencing and entrance gates painted dark green powder coated to match the colour of the fence posts and to assist in the integration of the fencing in the interests of visual amenity.

Fáilteann an tUdarás Áitiúil roimh chomhfhreagras i nGaeilge.

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4. Clarification of the maximum height of the palisade fencing above the ground level either side of the entrance gates. It is noted that it could be up to 6 metres in height above the ground levels at this location.
5. Images of the appearance of the proposed acoustic fence/sound barrier and silt barriers.
6. Clarification of what the structure indicated to the right of the proposed entrance gates is on the “proposed elevation along road L4700” (drawing 24051-MW-ZZ-ZZ-DR-C-D102), submission of scaled plans of same, and an indication its position on the site layout.
7. A site layout indicating details of landscaping along the northwestern, southwestern and southeastern boundaries of the site to facilitate the visual screening of the site and the structures proposed to be placed on it, particularly where the hedgerow is required to be removed to facilitate the provision of the required visibility splays. The details of landscaping should include types, heights, location and numbers of trees and hedgerows to be planted, and the timescale to do so as the first planting season following commencement of the works.
8. A site layout indicating the area where during the operation of the site, it is proposed to stock pile the stripped material for reuse in the restoration process. Details would also be required of the maximum heights of stock piled material. It is noted on drawing PE6897-D422-039-002-000 that it is stated that stripped material that is to be stockpiled on site will be used in the restoration process.
9. Clarification of the proposal to reinstate the roadside wall on the restoration site layout plan (drawing PE6897-D422-039-002-000) and details of same.

Consequently, the planning authority cannot discharge this condition.

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