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27 September 2024

Our Ref: AP34/2019 Site Ref: T03/30E

Re: Appeal by Birdwatch Ireland against the decision of the Minister for Agriculture, Food and the Marine in relation to an Aquaculture Licence to T.L Mussels Ltd for the bottom cultivation of mussels on Site T03/30E on the foreshore at Wexford Harbour.

Dear Ms Duggan

I refer to previous correspondence of 13 March 2024 in which the Board indicated that it anticipated this Appeal would be determined by 30 September 2024.

The Aquaculture Licences Appeals Board again reviewed this timescale for the determination of this Appeal at its meeting on 26 September 2024 and has formed the view that it will not be in a position to determine this Appeal within that timeframe as the Board need to consider final legal and technical advice, which is awaited.

In light of this, 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 2024.

Yours sincerely

Margaret Carton Secretary to ALAB



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Re: Appeal against decisions of the Minister for Agriculture, Food and the Marine in relation to an Aquaculture Licence to TL Mussels Limited for the bottom cultivation of mussels on Sites

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Mr. Charlie McConalogue TD Minister for Agriculture, Food and the Marine Agriculture House Kildare Street Dublin 2

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Re: Appeal against the decision of the Minister for Agriculture, Food and the Marine in relation to an Aquaculture Licence to T.L Mussels Ltd for the bottom cultivation of mussels at site ref T03/030E on the foreshore at Wexford Harbour

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