

**An Bord Achomharc Um Cheadúnais Dobharshaothraithe
Aquaculture Licences Appeals Board**



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

20 December 2022

Our Ref: AP1/2019
Site Ref: T6/202

Re: Appeal against the notice of Ministerial decision of the Minister for Agriculture, Food and the Marine under the Provisions of Section 68(1) and Section 19(a)4 of the Fisheries (Amendment) Act 1997, in respect of entitlement to continue Aquaculture Operations under the provisions of S19(a)4 of the Act for the Culture of Salmon in cages at a site east of Deenish Island, Ballinskelligs Bay, Co Kerry, T06/202 held by Silver King Seafoods Ltd, a wholly owned company of Comhlucht Iascaireachta Fanad Teoranta (MOWI Ireland), Fanad Fisheries, Kindrum, Fanad, Letterkenny Co Donegal

Dear Minister,

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The Aquaculture Licences Appeals Board again reviewed this timescale for the determination of this Appeal at its meeting on 15 December 2022 and has formed the view it will not be in position to determine this Appeal by 30 December 2022, due to the complexity of the matters which require to be determined as part of this appeal and due to the necessity of the Board to obtain Technical Advice.

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 30 September 2023.

Yours sincerely

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