An Bord Achomhairc Um Cheadúnais Dobharshaothraithe Aquaculture Licences Appeals Board



Ms Catherine McManus Bradán Fanad Teo t/a Marine Harvest Ireland, Kindrum, Fanad, Letterkenny, Co. Donegal

4 November 2018

Our Ref: AP2/1-14/2015 Site Ref: TO5/555 Shot Head, Bantry Bay, Co Cork

Re: Appeal against the decision by the Minister for Agriculture, Food and the Marine to the conditions/grant of Aquaculture Licence to Bradán Fanad Teo t/a Marine Harvest Ireland, Kindrum, Fanad, Letterkenny, Co. Donegal on site Ref: T05/555 for the cultivation of Atlantic Salmon; Salmo Salar on a site on the foreshore at Shot Head, Bantry Bay, Co Cork

Dear Ms McManus

I refer to the Supplementary Environmental Impact Assessment (**the Supplemental EIS**) submitted by you on 16 April 2018 in response to the Aquaculture Licences Appeals Board (**ALAB**) Notice dated 20 December 2017 issued pursuant to Section 47 of the Fisheries (Amendment) Act, 1997 (as amended).

ALAB now require you to undertake the following:

- You shall arrange for the publication of public notices concerning the Supplemental EIS not later than two weeks after the date hereof. Such notices shall be published in the same newspapers in which the notification of the Environmental Impact Statement prepared in connection with the proposed aquaculture to which the Supplemental EIS relates were originally published, that is The Examiner, The Kerryman, and the Southern Star. The format of the public notices shall be as specified in the Appendix to this Notice.
- 2. You shall, within one week of the dates or dates of publication of each notice, send ALAB a complete copy of the newspaper/s in which the notices were published.
- 3. You shall make copies of the Supplemental EIS available:

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- a. for inspection by interested persons at the address and for the period specified in the attached notice; and
- b. for purchase by such interested persons from you for a fee not exceeding the reasonable cost of making a copy.
- 4. You shall:
 - not later than two weeks after the date hereof, provide copies of the Supplemental EIS to the bodies listed in Regulation 10(1) of Aquaculture (Licence Application) Regulations 1998 and 2018;
 - b. inform them in writing of their right to make submissions or observations to ALAB within 8 weeks of being provided with a copy of the Supplemental EIS; and,
 - c. provide ALAB with copies of all such notifications.

Yours sincerely

Mary O'HCRQ Mary O'Hara

Mary O'Hara Secretary to the Board

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APPENDIX

Form of Notice for Publication

PUBLIC NOTICE

PUBLICATION OF A SUPPLEMENTAL ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENT IN CONNECTION WITH THE APPEAL OF AN APPLICATION FOR AN AQUACULTURE LICENCE UNDER THE FISHERIES (AMENDMENT) ACT, 1997 (NO. 23)(AS AMENDED) AND APPLICATION FOR A FORESHORE LICENCE UNDER THE FORESHORE ACT, 1933 (NO. 12)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Bradán Fanad Teoranta t/a Marine Harvest Ireland, Kindrum, Fanad, Letterkenny, County Donegal ("the Applicant"), applied to the Minister for Agriculture, Food and the Marine ("the Minister") for permission to cultivate salmon (salmo salar) using circular net pens, on the foreshore at Shot Head, Bantry Bay, County Cork. The Minister decided to grant the aquaculture and foreshore licences applied for. That decision was appealed to the Aquaculture Licences Appeals Board ("ALAB") and those Appeals are currently under consideration by ALAB.

During the course of the Appeals, ALAB required that a Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement be prepared on behalf of the Applicant, in respect of certain additional aspects of this proposed aquaculture. A copy of this Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement may be inspected free of charge at the Garda Station, Bantry, County Cork, (open 24 hours) for a period of 8 weeks from the date of publication of this notice or purchased from the Applicant at a cost of [\leq 20] per copy during the same period. The Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement is also available on www.alab.ie

Any person may, during the period of 8 weeks from the date of publication of this notice, make written submissions or observations to ALAB in relation to the Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement. Any such submissions or observations should be furnished in writing to Aquaculture Licences Appeals Board, Kilminchy Court, Dublin Road, Portlaoise, County Laois, R32 DTW5 or by email to info@alab.ie quoting reference AP2/1-14/2015 and should:

- (a) state the name and address of the person by whom it is made,
- (b) state the grounds for the submission or observation and any considerations and arguments on which it is based, and
- (c) be accompanied by any documents, particulars or other information which the person making the submission or observation considers necessary or appropriate.

All submissions or observations received on foot of this public notice procedure will be made available to the applicant for comment and will also be made generally available for inspection by the public.

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