

An Bord Achomhairc Um Cheadúnais Dobharshaothraithe Aquaculture Licences Appeals Board



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

14 January 2021

Our Ref: AP4/2019
Site Ref: T12/396

Re: Appeal against the decision of the Minister for Agriculture, Food and the Marine to refuse to grant an Aquaculture and Foreshore Licence to Donegal Oceandeeep Oysters Ltd. & Donegal Oysters Ltd. for the cultivation of Pacific Oysters using bags and trestles on the foreshore in Mount Charles Eddrim area of Donegal Bay, Co. Donegal Site ref T12/396

Dear Minister,

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The Aquaculture Licences Appeals Board ("the Board") has concluded its determination of the above appeal and has determined, pursuant to section 40(4)(b) of the Fisheries (Amendment) Act 1997, (as amended) to grant an Aquaculture Licence with variation to Donegal Oceandeeep Oysters Ltd. & Donegal Oysters Ltd. for the cultivation of Pacific Oysters using bags and trestles on the inter-tidal foreshore in Donegal Bay, Co. Donegal Site ref T12/396.

The applicant had been requested to provide an amended copy of the longline layout based on the reduced site. A copy of the Board's Licence dated 31 December 2020 is enclosed with this letter.

Yours sincerely,

Mary O'Hara
Secretary to the Board

Cc Mr John Quinlan, DAFM, Clonakilty