



13th February 2020

Your Ref: **AP1/2020**

Our Ref: **T12/540**

Mary O'Hara  
Secretary to the Board  
Aquaculture Licences Appeals Board  
Kilminchy Court, Dublin Road  
Portlaoise  
Co. Laois

Dear Mary

I wish to acknowledge receipt of your letter on 3<sup>rd</sup> February 2020 to Mr. Michael Creed T.D., Minister for Agriculture, Food and the Marine (and copied to Mr. John Quinlan) regarding the appeal against the decision to grant a new Aquaculture and Foreshore Licence in relation to the above file.

The following documentation refers:-

- Submission to Minister for Aquaculture Licence with draft licence(s) and reports received in relation to the application (**attached**).
- Notification of Minister's decision to the applicant, (**attached**).
- Map of sites in Trawbreaga Bay (**attached**)
- Publication Notice of the Minister's decision in the Donegal Democrat (**attached**).

Below is the hyperlink to the Department's website where the AA Report (**July 2019**) on which this application decision was made can be found:-

- the Appropriate Assessment for Trawbreaga Bay:-

<https://www.agriculture.gov.ie/media/migration/seafood/aquacultureforeshoremanagement/aquaculturelicensing/appropriateassessments/donegal/1NorthInishowenSACandTrawbreagaSPAAJuly2019Report300719.pdf>

If you require anything further please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely



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