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Fingal Development Plan 2017-2023 Appropriate Assessment Determination under Part XAB of the Planning and Development Act, 2000 (as amended)

Fingal County Council has prepared the Fingal Development Plan 2017-2023 in accordance with the requirements of the Planning and Development Act, 2000 (as amended). Fingal County Council, as the competent authority, has undertaken an Appropriate Assessment of the said Plan pursuant to the requirements of Part XAB of the Planning and Development Act 2000 (as amended) taking into account, as appropriate, the matters set out in Section 177V(2) of the said Act in carrying out the Appropriate Assessment.

This document is a determination by the competent authority under Section 177V of the Planning and Development Act, 2000 (as amended).

Having regard to:

- The Natura Impact Report (NIR) dated 14th March 2017, prepared by RPS on behalf of Fingal County Council, and the detailed assessment of likely impacts and mitigation measures therein;
- The incorporation of all mitigation measures as outlined in the NIR within the Fingal Development Plan 2017-2023, in order to avoid likely significant effects on European Sites; and
- The fact that all plans and projects arising from the Fingal Development Plan 2017-2023 shall be required to conform to the policy measures, including mitigation measures, detailed in the NIR and set out in the said Plan;

Fingal County Council has determined, pursuant to Section 177V of the Planning and Development Act 2000 (as amended), taking into account all matters relevant and subject to the full and proper implementation of the mitigation measures outlined in the NIR, that the Fingal Development Plan 2017-2023 will not adversely affect the integrity of any European Site.

The Fingal Development Plan 2017-2023 was adopted on 16th February 2017.

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