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## APPLICATION FOR A LICENCE UNDER <u>SECTION 3.3</u> OF THE FORESHORE ACT 1933 (AS AMENDED)

- This form should only be used where applying for activities that owing to their nature, duration, or otherwise, are of a trivial character.
- Please complete the form electronically. Type details in the boxes provided, space will expand as you type
- The relevant enclosures checklist should also be completed
- Tá an leagan Gaeilge den fhoirm seo ar fáil ar iarratas.

## BEFORE FILLING OUT THIS FORM PLEASE READ THE DECLARATION AND CONSENT ON PAGE 5:

# IT IS IMPORTANT TO NOTE THAT A CHANGE IN APPLICANT NAME WILL REQUIRE A NEW APPLICATION.

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### **Applicant Name and Address:**

Full Name of Applicant (not Agent): John Renos
Company/Organisation: N/A
Address: Camp End Road, Weybridge, Surrey, KT13 ONR
Eircode:
N/A

#### **Applicant Contact Details:**

Phone No:	As per agent
E-mail addre	ess: As per agent

#### Agent (if any) Address/Contact Details:

Person/Agent acting on behalf of the Applicant:
AGENT:
Company
Company:
Address:
Eircode:
Phone No:
E-mail address:

### Part 1: Proposal Details (please refer to guidance notes, and attach additional documents as required)

1.1	Type of proposal		]
	Short Duration Event e.g. Tag Rugby		
	Single Mooring		
	Other Trivial Activity - Please Specify	✓	
Ве	nthic Sampling		_

### 1.2 Description of proposed works/activity/event:

Proposed benthic surveys in the vicinity of Horse Island, Co. Cork. The purpose of the benthic survey is to provide the information required for a future ecological assessment of a subsea electrical connection from Rossbrin to Horse Island, Co. Cork. Sampling will be carried out within a section of the subtidal within Horse Island Channel and the intertidal at a point to the east of Rossbrin cove and the pier at Horse Island.

It is proposed that a maximum of eight (8) subtidal grab samples are collected using a Day Grab with a sampling area of 0.01 m<sub>2</sub>. Samples will be collected from an appropriately licenced survey vessel (RIB licenced under its appropriate class) capable of operating in very shallow water.

Three (3) intertidal core stations will be selected on the intertidal sediment areas to the east of Rossbrin point and a further 3 stations will be sampled at Horse Island Pier. At each station 5 x 0.01m<sub>2</sub> cores will be taken to a depth of 20cm (by hand) for benthic faunal analysis at 1mm mesh size. The samples will be preserved, off site, in buffered 4% w/v formaldehyde solution for subsequent transport and analysis at an NMBAQC certified laboratory. A subsample of the grab contents (approx. 100g) will be retained for granulometric analysis.

Sampling will be confined to the area shown in the attached maps (prepared by Declan Daly Civil Engineer, numbered 1-3).

# Indicative timing of the works/activity: (i) Start date (ii) Duration (iii) Any other information relevant to timing.

(i)Start date: Seasonal, anticipated to commence May 2022.

(ii)Sampling will be carried out over a maximum of 2 days during daylight hours.

AA Screening report enclosed.

1.4	Might the proposed works restrict public use/enjoyment of the foreshore? Provide details.
1.5	Has the applicant held or does the applicant hold any previous Foreshore Licences, Leases or applications over the area sought or over any other area including pending applications? (Give details including Department's file reference number(s)).
	No

Part 2: Proposed Site (Attach additional documents as required)

County: Cork				
Location name and nearest townland name: Rossbrin and Horse Islan				
Geographic co-ordinates of the area under application in degrand seconds WGS84 for offshore developments and where the also be identified on the Ordnance Survey map and /or is cont the seashore/mainland, specify Ordnance Survey map no and National Grid co-ordinates.				
	al grab sam	pling co-ordir	nates	
Subtidal Grabs				
FID	Easting	Northing	Lat	Long
0	497872	531363	51°31'32.203"N	9°28'18.49"W
1	497944	531197	51°31'27.107"N	9°28'14.892"W
2	497791	530975	51°31'19.447"N	9°28'22.199"W
3	497909	530736	51°31'11.82"N	9°28'15.544"W
4	497745	530508	51°31'4.573"N	9°28'24.008"W
5	497984	530922	51°31'17.712"N	9°28'12.529"W
6	497731	530745	51°31'11.982"N	9°28'25.392"W
7	497942	530551	51°31'5.99"N	9°28'13.525"W
	dal core loc	ation co-ordir	nates	
Intertid al Cores				
FID	Easting	Northing	Lat	Long
0	497807	531357	51°31'31.974"N	9°28'22.031"W
1	497807	531337	51°31'31.667"N	9°28'22.005"W
2	497816	531341	51°31'31.474"N	9°28'21.586"W
3	497783	530333	51°30'58.847"N	9°28'22.206"W
4	497793	530333	51°30'58.77"N	9°28'21.752"W
•	.5,,,55	530316	51°30'58.257"N	9°28'22.357"W

2.4	Please indicate the size of the Foreshore area $(Ha^2)$ or $(M2)$ or $(KM2)$ .  Area 19.3ha
2.5	If offshore please indicate distance from shore (Km): The maximum distance from the shore is c. 590m to nearest point of the shore to the south of Rossbrin, and c. 200m to the nearest point of the shore of Horse Island.
2.6	Is any of the foreshore in the proposed site in private ownership? If yes please provide documentary evidence of same (e.g. folio).  No
2.7	Any other site details considered relevant:
	No

Part 3: Environmental Considerations (Attach additional documents as required and mark under the R column)

	Environmental legislative requirements	Yes	No	R
3.1	Is the area within or adjacent to a NHA, pNHA, SAC, SPA, or National Park?	<b>✓</b>		✓
	<b>Specify site code(s).</b> Roaringwater Bay and Islands SAC and pNHA (Site code: 000101)			
	http://webgis.npws.ie/npwsviewer/			
3.2	Describe any other projects or plans for the area, anticipated or developed, that in combination with this proposal, may have a significant effect on a Natura 2000 site: Please list with planning reference numbers (where available).		✓	
	None identified			
3.3	Will the proposal have any potential environmental impacts? If yes, please describe.		✓	✓
	None identified. Screening for Appropriate Assessment and environmental impact have been carried out and are enclosed.			
3.4	Are you proposing any measures to mitigate the potential environmental impacts? If yes, please describe.		✓	

3.5	Are there public health/safety implications arising from the proposed works? (e.g. effluent disposal, removal of derelict or dangerous structures etc.) If yes, please describe.	<b>√</b>	
3.6	Will the works involve the storage and/or disposal of waste? If "Yes" please give details of the type of waste and the proposed method of storage and/or disposal (including location).	<b>√</b>	
3.7	Other Environmental Considerations? If yes, please specify.	<b>✓</b>	

Part 4: Fishing/Aquaculture considerations (Attach additional documents as required and mark under the R column)

		Yes	No	R
4.1	Is the proposal located in proximity to any of the following:		<b>✓</b>	
4.2	Are there other potential impacts of the proposal on fishing/aquaculture in the area? If yes, please describe.		✓	
	A review of current foreshore licence applications and Cork County Council's online planning system (accessed 28.11.2021) did not indicate any additional projects or plans with the potential to give rise to cumulative impacts together with the proposed benthic sampling			
4.3	Are there any measures proposed to mitigate potential impacts on fisheries or aquaculture? If yes, please describe.		<b>✓</b>	

#### **Declaration and Consent:**

The details provided here are correct to the best of my knowledge.

I understand that no works will be commenced, by me or my agents on the proposed site, without the prior written consent of the Minister.

By submitting this application form, I agree that the details provided (with personal contact details redacted) are to be published on the Department of Housing website and also that the full information provided including contact details are to be processed and retained by the Department of Housing, Local Government and Heritage and shared with all appropriate Prescribed Bodies (as part of the Prescribed Bodies Consultation process) in furtherance of consideration for a foreshore Consent under the Foreshore Act 1933 (and Foreshore Amendment Act 2011).

I give consent to the Minister and his servants to copy this application and to make (a redacted) copy available for inspection and copying by the public. This consent relates to this application, to any further information, or submission provided by me or on my behalf and to the publication of the licence document.

Signature of Applicant (or his or her Agent):
Name of above Signatory (block letters):
Emer Sexton
Position Held:
Senior Environmental Consultant
Date:11 <sup>th</sup> March 2022

### Return completed applications to:

Foreshore Section
Department of Housing, Local Government and Heritage
Newtown Road
Wexford
Y35 AP90

Enquiries to: Foreshore@housing.gov.ie (Other contact details to be included in

Guidance materials)

Email a copy of application documents: <a href="mailto:Foreshore@housing.gov.ie">Foreshore@housing.gov.ie</a>

### **Enclosures Checklist (Short Duration Events only)**

One hard copy of every document is required unless otherwise stated. Electronic versions of documentation must also be provided in searchable PDF format (no single file to be greater than 30mb) so that the Department can make them available on its website.

Item No.	Description	No. of copies Required	
1	Application Form. With original signature	1	✓
2	Mapping (see guidelines document) (i) Site Location map (ii)Foreshore Lease/licence map	1 3	✓
3	A letter from An Garda Síochána confirming that they have no objection to the event taking place	1	N/A
4	A Letter from the Local Authority confirming that they have no objection to the event taking place	1	N/A
5	A letter from the Local Authority stating whether an Event Licence is required and if so, that the Event Licence has been granted	1	N/A
6	A copy Insurance Certificate showing that adequate insurance is in place for the short Duration Event with indemnities in the names of the Minister and Department for Finance and the Minister and Department for Housing, Planning and Local Government noted thereon.	1	N/A
7	Property-related owner permissions/wayleaves etc.	1	N/A
8	Other - Please specify	1	✓