



Kildare County Council

M7 Osberstown Interchange & R407 Sallins Bypass Scheme 2013

Errata to Environmental Impact Statement and Appropriate Assessment Screening Report

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Chapter 6: Agronomy

- Table 6.5 – column 3, row 7, “Imperceptible” should be replaced with “Slight (possible Imperceptible)”
- Section 6.6.1 – 4th line “10%” should be replaced with “8%”
- Appendix A6.2 – Farm 109 – last sentence on page “agricultural use” should be replaced with “non-agricultural use”

Chapter 8 Archaeology and Cultural Heritage

8.1 Page 8.17: First paragraph, ‘BH 9’, should read ‘CH 9’

Chapter 15: Soils and Geology

15.5.1.4 Earthworks

Importation of materials from outside site will be minimised, in-so-far as possible, by ensuring that materials arising within the site area are used to the greatest extent possible. Where necessary, naturally occurring materials will be processed to reduce moisture content and/or improve grading in order to maximise suitability for use. Inevitably, materials will be encountered which cannot reasonably be processed into **unsuitable** (*in place of unstable*) fill material. These materials are generally suitable for other activities such as landscaping within the site area. Any surplus material remaining which cannot be incorporated into the works will be disposed of off-site at suitably licenced tips.

Chapter 16: Hydrogeology

In Table 16.12, The Regionally Important Aquifer was assigned a ranking of Very High, this should be High. The magnitude of the impact was assigned as Small adverse, however as no dewatering will be required in the bedrock aquifer due to the shallow nature of the cuts, the magnitude of the impact should be Negligible. The resultant change to the Significance of the impact is to reduce it to an Imperceptible impact.

The Locally Important Aquifer was assigned a ranking of High, however this should be Medium. The magnitude of the impact was assigned as Small adverse, however as no dewatering will be required in the bedrock aquifer due to the shallow nature of the cuts, the magnitude of the impact should be Negligible. The resultant change to the Significance of the impact is to reduce it to an Imperceptible impact.

Also in Table 16.12, the significance rating for the potential water quality impacts on the Regionally Important aquifer during the construction phase should have been classified as ‘Moderate/Slight’ rather than ‘Significant/Moderate’.

The significance rating for the potential water quality impacts on the Locally Important aquifer during the construction phase should have been classified as ‘Imperceptible’ rather than ‘Moderate/Slight’.

Chapter 19: Non-agricultural properties

- revision to Table 19.4, see below updated table

Revised Table 19.4: Non-agricultural Properties affected by Acquisition of part of Holding

Motorway Order / CPO No.	Townland	Area of Property (ha)	Description	Nature of Impact		Level of Impact	Compensation
				Description of Landtake	Land to be acquired (ha)		
101	Castlesize	0.678	House garden	Acquired	0.0665	Moderate	To be agreed by a valuer at a later stage
107	Osberstown	0.265	House garden	Acquired	0.0045	Moderate	To be agreed by a valuer at a later stage
113	Sallins	7.22	Part of public road, zoned land, planning permission for parking spaces	Acquired	0.927	Moderate	To be agreed by a valuer at a later stage, relocate parking spaces
127	Osberstown	3.16	Zoned land	Acquired	0.019	Imperceptible	To be agreed by a valuer at a later stage
128	Osberstown	11.89	Zoned land	Acquired	0.430	Imperceptible	To be agreed by a valuer at a later stage

AA screening report

- Section 1.2: Refers to Article 43 of SI 477/2001, should refer to Article 42.
- Refers to 'this screening report and Natura Impact Statement for Appropriate Assessment... The reference to Natura Impact Statement should be removed to read 'this screening report for Appropriate Assessment...'

- **Table 1 Natura 2000 sites within 10km of the proposed scheme**

Site code	Site name	Approx. Distance km	Qualifying interests (Those with an asterisk are Priority habitats)
002331	Mouds Bog SAC	5	* Active raised bogs Degraded raised bogs still capable of natural regeneration Depressions on peat substrates of the Rhynchosporion
000396	Pollardstown Fen SAC	5	Vertigo geyeri Vertigo angustior Vertigo moulinsiana Calcareous fens with Cladium mariscus and species of the Caricion davallianae Petrifying springs with tufa formation (Cratoneurion) Alkaline fens

Revised Table 1 Natura 2000 sites within 10km of the proposed scheme

Site code	Site name	Approx. Distance km	Qualifying interests (Those with an asterisk are Priority habitats)
002331	Mouds Bog SAC	7.28	* Active raised bogs Degraded raised bogs still capable of natural regeneration Depressions on peat substrates of the Rhynchosporion
000396	Pollardstown Fen SAC	11.4	Vertigo geyeri Vertigo angustior Vertigo moulinsiana

			Calcareous fens with <i>Cladium mariscus</i> and species of the <i>Caricion davallianae</i> Petrifying springs with tufa formation (<i>Cratoneurion</i>) Alkaline fens
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- Section 2.3.1, second paragraph states *the proposed scheme is located approximately 5km from the nearest Natura 2000 sites (Mouds Bog SAC and Pollardstown Fen SAC)*. This should read: *the proposed scheme is located approximately 7.28km from the Mouds Bog SAC Natura 2000 site and 11.4km from the Pollardstown Fen SAC Natura 2000 site.*
- Section 2.3.2, 1st paragraph states that the *distance between the scheme and the nearest designated sites, Mouds Bog SAC and Pollardstown Fen SAC, is 5km*. This should read *distance between the scheme and Mouds Bog SAC is 7.28km and the distance to Pollardstown Fen SAC is 11.4km.*