

EIAR LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

AA	Appropriate Assessment
AADT	Annual Average Daily Traffic
AC	Annexed Community
ACP	An Coimisiún Pleanála
ADCL	Archaeological Diving Company Ltd
ADCP	Acoustic Doppler Current Profiler
ADD	Acoustic Deterrent Device
AEP	Annual Exceedance Probability
АН	Amenity and heritage features
AIS	Automatic Identification System
ALARP	As Low As Reasonably Practicable
AMOC	Atlantic Meridional Overturning Circulation
AMP	Archaeology Management Plan
ANC	Association of Noise Consultants
AOP	Air Over Pressure
AQLV	Air Quality Limit Value
AQMP	Air Quality Management Plan
AQUAFACT	AQUAFACT International Services Ltd.
ASC	Aquaculture Stewardship Council
ASCOBAMS	Agreement on the Conservation of Small Cetaceans of the Baltic, North East Atlantic, Irish and North Seas
AtoN	Aids to Navigation
BCI	Biodiversity Climate Impact
ВСР	Border Control Post
BEng	Bachelor of Engineering
ВН	Borehole
BIA	Biologically Important Area
BIM	Bord Iascaigh Mhara
BSI	British Standard Institute
ВТО	British Trust for Ornithology
BWI	BirdWatch Ireland
CAP	Climate Action Plan
CAP25	Climate Action Plan 2025
СВ	Coastal Breakwater
CCRA	Climate Change Risk Assessment
CD	Chartered Datum
CDP	County Development Plan
CEF	Connecting Europe Funding











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DHLGH	Department of Housing, Local Government and Heritage
DMAP	Designated Maritime Area Plan
DMP	Dust Management Plan
DMRB	Design Manual for Roads and Bridges
DT	Disturbance Threshold
DWW	Domestic Waste Water
EC	European Commission
ECMWF	European Centre for Medium-Range Weather Forecasts
ECoW	Ecological Clerk of Work
ED	Electoral Division
EEC	Eastern Economic Corridor
EEZ	Exclusive Economic Zone
EGD	European Green Deal
EIA	Environmental Impact Assessment
EIAR	Environmental Impact Assessment Report
ELC	European Landscape Convention
EMODnet	European Marine Observation and Data Network
EPA	Environmental Protection Agency
EPBD	Energy Performance of Buildings Directive
EQS	Environmental Quality Standards
ESB	Electrical Supply Board
ESD	Effort Sharing Decision
ESR	Effort Sharing Regulation
ESREL	European, Safety and Reliability Conference
ETA	Estimated Time of Arrival
ETS	Emissions Trading System
EU	European Union
EUROBATS	Agreement on the Conservation of Populations of European Bats
EWC	European Waste Code
FCS	Favourable Conservation Status
FLO	Fisheries Liaison Officer
FMMS	Fisheries Management and Mitigation Strategy
FRA	Fisheries Restricted Area
FSA	Formal Safety Assessment
GBS	Gravity Based Structures
GDG	Gavin & Doherty Geosolutions
GGBS	Ground Granulated Blast furnace Slag
GHA	Geological Heritage Area
GHG	Greenhouse Gas











GHGA	Greenhouse Gas Emissions Assessment
GI	Geotechnical Investigations
GIA	Glacial Isostatic Adjustment
GIS	Geological Survey Ireland
GLVIA	Guidelines for Landscape and Visual Impact Assessment
GPP	Guidance for Pollution Prevention
GPR	Ground Penetrating Radar
GSI	Geological Survey Ireland
GW	Gigawatt
GWB	Groundwater Body
GWDTE	Groundwater Dependent Terrestrial Ecosystem
GWS	Ground Water Scheme
HAT	Highest Astronomical Tide
HDip	Higher Diploma
HDV	Heavy Duty Vehicle
HEFS	High-End Future Scenario
HGV	Heavy Goods Vehicle
HLV	Heavy Lift Vessels
HMWB	Heavily Modified Waterbody
HNS	Hazardous and Noxious Substances
HRA	Habitats Regulations Assessment
HRA	Health Risk Assessment
HSI	Historic Shipwreck Inventory
HVO	Hydrotreated Vegetable Oil
IAIA	International Association for Impact Assessment
IAQM	Institute of Air Quality Management
IBA	Important Bird and Biodiversity Area
ICES	International Council for the Exploration of the Sea
ICG-C	Intercessional Correspondence Group on Cumulative Effects
ICHEC	Irish Centre for High End Computing
ICMS	International Council on Monuments and Sites
ICW	Intracoastal Waterway
ICWWS	Irish Coastal Wave and Water Level Modelling Study
ΙÉ	Iarnród Éireann
IEMA	Institute of Environmental Management & Assessment
IFI	Inland Fisheries Ireland
IGSL	Irish Geotechnical Services Limited
IMDO	Irish Maritime Development Office
IMO	International Maritime Organisation
INFOMAR	Integrated Mapping for the Sustainable Development of Ireland's Marine Resource











INIS	Invasive Non-Indigenous Species
INNS	Invasive Non-Native Species
IPCC	Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change
IRCG	Irish Coastguard
IS&EFPO	Irish South & East Fish Producers Organisation
ISO	International Organization for Standardization
ISPS Code	International Ship and Port Facility Security Code
ISWFPO	Irish South & West Fish Producers Organisation
IT	Interim Target
ITM	Irish Transverse Mercator
IUCN	International Union for Conservation of Nature
IWDG	Irish Whale and Dolphin Group
I-WeBS	Irish Wetland Bird Survey
JNCC	Joint Nature Conservation Committee
KER	Key Ecological Receptor
KFO	Killybegs Fishermen's Organisation
КРН	Kilometres Per Hour
KV	Key Views
LCU	Landscape Character Units
LCV	Local Community views
LED	Light Emitting Diode
LOA	Length Overall
LoLo	Lift-on Lift-off
LPS	Local Positioning System
LULUCF	Land Use, Land-use Change and Forestry
MAC	Marine Area Consent
MAP Act	Maritime Area Planning Act 2021, as amended
MARA	Maritime Area Regulatory Authority
MarESA	Marine Evidence-based Sensitivity Assessment
MARIE	Marine Atlantic Regions of Ireland and Europe
MARPOL	International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships
mCD	metres Chart Datum
MCIB	Marine Casualty Investigation Board
MERC	MERC Consultants
MFI	Mobilisation Frequency Index
MI	Marine Institute
MIOA	member of the Institute of Acoustics
MMO	Marine Mammal Observer
MNC	Marine Stewardship Council
MNCR	Marine Nature Conservation Review











MoU	Memorandum of Understanding
MPA	Marine Protected Area
MR	Major Routes
MRFS	Mid-Range Future Scenario
MSC	Marine Stewardship Council
MSFD	Marine Strategy Framework Directive
MSO	Marine Survey Office
Mt CO2e	Million Tonnes of Carbon Dioxide Equivalent
MW	Megawatt(s)
MZ	Monitored Zone
NAF	National Adaption Framework
NBAP	National Biodiversity Action Plan
NBDC	National Biodiversity Data Centre
NCCRA	National Climate Change Risk Assessment
NDC	Nationally Determined Contributions
NDP	National Development Plan
NECP	National Energy and Climate Plan
NFCS	National Framework for Climate Services
NHA	National Heritage Area
NIAH	National Inventory of Architectural Heritage
NIEA	Northern Ireland Environment Agency
NIFA	National Inshore Fishermen's Association
NIS	Natura Impact Statement
nm	Nautical miles
NMPF	National Marine Planning Framework
NMS	National Monuments Services
NO ₂	Nitrogen Dioxide
NOD	Nicholas O'Dwyer Limited
NPF	National Planning Framework
NPO	National Policy Objectives
NPP	National Ports Policy
NPWS	National Parks and Wildlife Service
NRA	National Roads Authority
NRMM	Non-Road Mobile Machinery
NS	National Status
NSA	Nutrient Sensitive Area
NSL	Noise Sensitive Locations
NSO	National Strategic Outcomes
NTA	National Transport Authority
NtM	Notice to Mariners











NTS	Non-Technical Summary
NTU	Notional Turbidity Unit
NVMP	Noise and Vibration Management Plan
O&M	Operations and Maintenance
оСЕМР	Outline Construction Environmental Management Plan
ODPM	Office of Deputy Prime Minister
OMPP	Overarching Marine Planning Policies
OPW	Office of Public Works
ORE	Offshore Renewable Energy
OREDP	Offshore Renewable Energy Development Plan
ORESS	Offshore Renewable Electricity Support Scheme
OSI	Ordinance Survey Ireland
OSPAR	Oslo—Paris Convention for the Protection of the Marine Environment of the North-East Atlantic
OSRP	Oil Spill Response Plan
OWF	Offshore Wind Farm
PAS	Publicly Available Specification
PCU	Passenger Car Unit
PDB	Proposed Development Boundary
PE	Population Equivalent
PfG	Programme for Government
PGL	Project Geosciences Limited
PhD	Doctor of Philosophy
PINS	UK Planning Inspectorate
PM	Particulate Matter
pNHA	Proposed National Heritage Area
PPE	Personal Protection Equipment
PPV	Peak Particle Velocity
PRA	Preliminary Roost Assessment
PTS	permanent threshold shift
QI	Qualifying Interests
QRA	Quantitative Risk Assessment
RAMS	Risk Assessment Method Statement
RBMP	River Basin Management Plan
RCP	Representative Concentration Pathways
REAR	Rosslare Europort Access Road
RED	Renewable Energy Directive
REM	Road Emissions Model
RFI	Request for Information
RIGS	Regionally Important Geodiversity Site
RMP	Record of Monuments and Places











RNLI	Royal National Lifeboat Institution
ROPax	Roll-On, Roll-Off Passenger
RoRo	Roll-On, Roll-Off
RP	Return Period
RPO	Regional Policy Objective
RPS	Record of Protected Structures
RSA	Road Safety Authority
RSES	Regional Spatial and Economic Strategy
S/LIA	Seascape / Landscape Impact Assessment
SAC	Special Area of Conservation
SAM	Static Acoustic Monitoring
SAR	Search and Rescue
SBH	Small Boat Harbour
SBOA	Small Boat Harbour Owners Association
SC	Subcatchment
SC- DMAP	South Coast Designated Maritime Area Plan
SCA	Seascape Character Areas
SCI	Site of Community Importance
SCT	Seascape Character Types
SEA	Strategic Environmental Assessment
SFPA	Sea-Fisheries Protection Authority
SI	Statutory Instrument
SIS	Soil Information System
SLVIA	Seascape / Landscape Visual Impact Assessment
SMI	Sediment Mobilisation Index
SMPP	Sectoral Marine Planning Policies
SMR	Sites and Monuments Record
SNCB	Statutory Nature Conservation Body
SOLAS	Safety of Life at Sea
SOP	Standing Operating Procedures
SOV	Service Operation Vessels
SPA	Special Protection Areas
SPL	Sound Pressure Level
S-P-R	Source–Pathway–Receptor model
SPZ	Source Protection Zone
SR/SV	Scenic Routes and Views
SSC	Suspended Sediment Concentration
SSCF	Small-Scale Coastal Fleet
SSSI	Site of Special Scientific Interest
SST	Sea Surface Temperatures











STECF	Scientific, Technical and Economic Committee for Fisheries
tCO2e	tonnes of carbon dioxide equivalent
TEN-T	Trans-European Transport Network
TII	Transport Infrastructure Ireland
TMP	Traffic Management Plan
TSHD	Trailer Suction Hopper Dredger
TTS	Temporary Threshold Shift
UAU	Underwater Archaeology Unit
UÉ	Uisce Éireann
UKHA	UK Highways Agency
UKTAG	UK Technical Advisory Group
UNCLOS	United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea
UNECE	United Nations Economic Commission for Europe
UNFCCC	United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change
VDI	Verein Deutscher Ingenieure
VHF	Very High Frequency
VIA	Visual Impact Assessment
VP	Vantage Point
VRP	Viewshed Reference Points
VTS	Vessel Traffic Services
WBS	Wetland Bird Survey (UK)
WCC	Wexford County Council
WFD	Water Framework Directive
WHO	World Health Organisation
WMO	World Meteorological Organisation
WMP	Waste Management Plan
WTE	Whole Time Equivalent
WWTP	Wastewater Treatment Plan
Zol	Zone of Influence
ZTV	Zone of Theoretic Visibility



















