

CHIEF EXECUTIVE ORDER
COMHAIRLE CATHRACH CHORCAÍ
CORK CITY COUNCIL

Order No:

2306/22

Subject: Determination on the requirement for Environmental Impact Assessment for the proposed N27 Kinsale Road (Airport Hill) Phase 2 Pedestrian & Cycle Scheme

Whereas

I have considered the document titled "N27 Kinsale Road (Airport Hill) Phase 2 Pedestrian & Cycle Scheme EIA Screening Report" for this project.

I am satisfied that the proposed development constitutes a sub threshold development in respect of which an Environmental Impact Assessment is not mandatory.

I have noted that the Environmental Impact Assessment Screening report contains a comprehensive analysis of the proposed development having regards to the criteria contained in Schedule 7A of the Planning and Development Regulation 2001 (as amended), the Department of Housing, Planning and Local Government document "Guidelines for Planning Authorities and An Bord Pleanála on carrying out Environmental Impact Assessment", Section 176B of the Planning and Development Act 2000 as Amended and the European Union Planning and Development) (Environmental Impact Assessment) Regulation 2018.

Therefore, having considered said reports and having regard to the criteria set out in the afore mentioned legislation, I am satisfied that the proposed development is unlikely to have an effect on the environment, including the Great Island Channel SAC (001058), Blackwater River SAC (002170) and the Cork Harbour SPA (004030), and therefore determine that an Environmental Impact Assessment would not be required.

Accordingly, the proposed development shall proceed subject to the provisions of section 179 of the Planning and Development Act 2000 as amended, and the provisions of Section 38 of the Road Traffic Act 1994.

Dated

21st

Day of

June

2022

Gerry O'Beirne
Director of Services
Infrastructure Development