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Minster for Housing, Local Government and Heritage,
c/o The Manager,
Development Applications Unit,
Department of Housing, Local Government and Heritage,
Newtown Road,
Wexford
Y35 AP90

Date: 20th January 2022

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The Heritage Council,
Áras na hOidhreachta,
Church Lane,
Kilkenny
R95 X264

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An Taisce,
Tailors' Hall,
Back Lane,
Dublin
D08 X2A3

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Inland Fisheries Ireland,
Ashbourne Business Park,
Dock Road,
Limerick
V94 NPE0

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Mr. Eanna Rowe,
Waterways Ireland,
Scarriff Harbour,
Dock Road,
Drewsborough,
Scarriff,
Co. Clare.
V94 H7N1

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