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Re: Section 91 of EPA Act 1992 as amended in respect of licence application from Shanoon Resources Limited for an installation located at Shanoon Resources Limited, Garrylaun Mine, Galmoy, Kilkenny.

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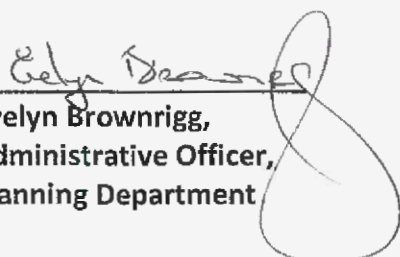
I refer to correspondence received from the Environment Protection Agency on 24th November 2021 in relation to the above-mentioned matter.

I wish to advise that planning application reference 21/568 was received by the Planning Authority on 12/08/2021.

The applicant, Shanoon Resources Limited, sought to 'develop an underground mine extension to the former Galmoy Zinc & Lead Mine. The underground extension to the mine underlies the townland of Kyle, Co. Laois and will comprise the development of underground workings including an access route to join underground mining works concurrently proposed as recommencement of mining in Co. Kilkenny under Reg. Ref. 21/599 in the Kilkenny townlands of Garrylaun, Castletown, Rathreagh, Rathpatrick, Whiteswall, Moneydamuck (Stopford), Rathbane and Waterland close to the village of Galmoy, Co. Kilkenny. An IPC licence is required in relation to the proposed development. An Environmental Impact Assessment Report (EIAR) and a Natura Impact Statement (NIS) will be submitted to the Planning Authority with the application'

Further information was requested from the applicant on 05/10/2021, as such the planning application has not yet been determined by the Planning Authority.

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Evelyn Brownrigg,
Administrative Officer,
Planning Department

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