

## Appropriate Assessment Screening Determination

In accordance with Regulation 42(1) of the European Communities (Birds and Natural Habitats) Regulations 2011 as amended, the Agency has undertaken Appropriate Assessment screening to assess, in view of best scientific knowledge and the conservation objectives of the site, if the activity, individually or in combination with other plans or projects is likely to have a significant effect on a European Sites. In this context, particular attention was paid to the European Sites listed below.

### Consent Details:

<b>Reg. No.</b>	H0366-01
<b>Applicant Name:</b>	Killycronaghan Landfill
<b>Type of Consent Sought:</b>	Certificate of Authorisation
<b>Location of Facility:</b>	Killycronaghan, Smithboro, County Monaghan.
<b>Certificate of Authorisation Application Date:</b>	15 <sup>th</sup> January 2020
<b>European Sites assessed:</b>	Upper Lough Erne NI SPA (Site Code: UK9020071)
	Upper Lough Erne NI SAC (Site Code: UK0016614)
	Lough Oughter and Associated Loughs SAC (Site Code: 000007)
	Kilroosky Lough Cluster SAC (Site Code: 001786)
	Magheraveely Marl Loughs NI SAC. (Site Code: UK0016621)
	Slieve Beagh SPA (Site code: 004167)
	Slieve Beagh NI SAC (Site Code: UK0016622)
	Slieve Beagh-Mullaghfad-Lisnaskea NI SPA (Site Code: UK9020302)
<b>Date of AA Screening Determination:</b>	23 <sup>rd</sup> March 2020

### AA Screening Determination:

That the activity is not directly connected with or necessary to the management of any European site and that it cannot be excluded, on the basis of objective information, that the activity, individually or in combination with other plans or projects, will have a significant effect on any European site and accordingly determined that an Appropriate Assessment of the activity is required.

The reason for this determination is as follows:

- There is a hydrological connection between the closed landfill and Upper Lough Erne NI SPA (Site Code: UK9020071), Upper Lough Erne NI SAC (Site Code: UK0016614) and Lough Oughter and Associated Loughs SAC (Site Code: 000007).



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