## **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 proposed activity, individually or in combination with other plans or projects is likely to have a significant effect on European Site. In this context, particular attention was paid to the European Sites listed below.

## **Consent Details:**

Reg. No.	W0307-01
Applicant Name:	Roadstone Limited
Type of Consent Sought:	Waste
Location of facility:	Castleredmond, Midleton, Cork,
	D24PKK2
Licence Application Date:	18 <sup>th</sup> December 2019
European Site(s) assessed:	Cork Harbour SPA (Site Code: 004030)
	Great Island Channel SAC (Site Code:
	001058)
Date of AA Screening Determination:	11 <sup>th</sup> June 2020

## AA Screening Determination:

That the proposed 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 proposed 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 proposed activity is required, and for this reason determined to require the applicant to submit a Natura Impact Statement.

This determination has been made based on the following:

• There is potential hydrological connectivity via groundwater to Cork Harbour SPA (Site Code: 004030) and Great Island Channel SAC (Site Code: 001058).

Date: <u>11<sup>th</sup> June 2020</u>

Inspector Name Office of Environmental Sustainability