EIA Screening Determination

In accordance with Section 83(2A) of the EPA Act 1992, as amended, the Agency has, as part of its consideration of the Industrial Emissions licence application review referenced below, determined whether the application should be made subject to an Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) as respects the matters that come within the functions of the Agency. The determination, and the reasons for the determination, are detailed below.

Licence Application Details:

Reg No.	P0606-04
Applicant Name:	SSE Generation Ireland Limited (Great Island)
Location of installation:	Great Island Generating Station, Campile, New Ross, Wexford, Y34KC62
Licence Application Date:	29 September 2020
Date of EIA Screening Determination:	28 January 2021

EIA Screening Determination:

EIA, as respects the matters that come within the functions of the Agency, <u>is required</u> for the activity to which the above licence application relates due to the following reasons:

The activity exceeds the following threshold in Part 1 of Schedule 5 of the Planning and Development Regulations 2001 as amended: 2(a) A thermal power station or other combustion installation with a heat output of 300 megawatts or more.

Submissions on a licence application can be made before the Proposed Determination is issued. Information on the public participation process is available on the Agency's website at www.epa.ie.

Date: 28 January 2021

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