

Project Description				
1. The description and characteristics of this afforestation project outlined in the Form 1 for EIA determination has been examined?	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>	N/A <input type="radio"/>	S/A <input type="radio"/>
Existing Land Use				
2. The existing land use outlined in the Form 1 for EIA determination has been examined?	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>	N/A <input type="radio"/>	S/A <input type="radio"/>
Cumulative effect and extent of project				
3. Is the total area of this application 50 ha or greater? (nett digitised area)	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>	N/A <input type="radio"/>	S/A <input type="radio"/>
4. Does this application, together with existing afforestation of 3 years or less within a 500 metre radius, constitute an area greater than 50 ha?	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>	<input type="text"/>	
5. Does this application, together with other Form 1 applications within 500 metres and recommended for approval but not yet planted, constitute an area 50 ha or greater	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>	<input type="text"/>	
6. What is the approximate % of forest cover at present in the applications townland?	<input type="text"/>			
7. What was the approximate % of forest cover in the applications townland(s) 5 years ago?	<input type="text"/>			
8. What is the approximate % of forest cover at present within 5 km?	<input type="text"/>			
9. What is the approximate % of forest cover 5 years ago within this 5 km buffer?	<input type="text"/>			
10. Based on the extent of forestry as outlined above, is the cumulative effect of this application likely to have a		No <input type="radio"/>	N/A <input type="radio"/>	S/A <input type="radio"/>

significant impact ?If so tick yes and describe in the Inspectors comments box below.	Yes <input type="radio"/>			
11. Is the amount and type of forest cover in this locality known to be a significant issue? If so tick yes and describe in the Inspectors comments box below.	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>	N/A <input type="radio"/>	S/A <input type="radio"/>
Water				
Does the application and its associated operations threaten the achievement of ?good ecological status? recovery objective set for the underlining waterbody or waterbodies under the WFD River Basin Management Plan?	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>		
12. What is the approximate % of forest cover currently in the underlining waterbody (or waterbodies)?	<input type="text"/>			
13. What was the approximate % of forest cover in the underlining waterbody (or waterbodies) 5 years ago?	<input type="text"/>			
14. Is the site within an area designated as potentially acid sensitive by the Forest Service? If yes, insert comment in comment box	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>	N/A <input type="radio"/>	S/A <input type="radio"/>
15. Is the site within an area designated as sensitive to fisheries?	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>	N/A <input type="radio"/>	S/A <input type="radio"/>
16. Has the proposed development been identified in the application as being greater than 10 ha and located within the catchment of a Local Authority designated water scheme?	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>	N/A <input type="radio"/>	S/A <input type="radio"/>
17. Will adherence of this proposal to the Forestry and Water Quality Guidelines, and any additional conditions attached to the approval be sufficient to prevent any potential significant impact to aquatic zones and their Q value.	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>	N/A <input type="radio"/>	S/A <input type="radio"/>
Soil				
18. Is the site likely to require more than one application of fertilizer?	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>	N/A <input type="radio"/>	S/A <input type="radio"/>
19. Is the site within an area of high nutrient sensitivity?		No <input type="radio"/>	N/A <input type="radio"/>	S/A <input type="radio"/>

	Yes <input type="radio"/>			
Protection of Fresh Water Mussel FPM				
20. Are there populations of the Fresh Water Pearl Mussel likely to be affected by the proposed development?	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>	N/A <input type="radio"/>	S/A <input type="radio"/>
Archaeology				
21. Does the area contain an archaeological site or feature with intensive public usage?	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>	N/A <input type="radio"/>	S/A <input type="radio"/>
22. Does the area contain or adjoin a listed archaeological site or monument, archaeological area, zones of archaeological amenity or World Heritage Sites?	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>	N/A <input type="radio"/>	S/A <input type="radio"/>
23. Following referral to the Forest Service Archaeologist and National Monuments Service (DoEHLG), in evaluating the scale and significance of any potential impact, the following was recommended:				
A - Adherence to the normal standards of the Forestry and Archaeology Guidelines	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>	N/A <input type="radio"/>	S/A <input type="radio"/>
B - Specific conditions regarding buffer zones etc	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>	N/A <input type="radio"/>	S/A <input type="radio"/>
C - Archaeological Monitoring during ground preparation or drainage works	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>	N/A <input type="radio"/>	S/A <input type="radio"/>
D - Archaeological Assessment	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>	N/A <input type="radio"/>	S/A <input type="radio"/>
E - EIA	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>	N/A <input type="radio"/>	S/A <input type="radio"/>
F - Refusal in part	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>	N/A <input type="radio"/>	S/A <input type="radio"/>
G - Refusal		No <input type="radio"/>	N/A <input type="radio"/>	S/A <input type="radio"/>

	Yes <input type="radio"/>			
Landscape				
24. Is this site within a prime scenic area in the County Development Plan or within an area listed in the Inventory of Outstanding Natural Landscapes or in a Landscape Conservation Area?	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>	N/A <input type="radio"/>	S/A <input type="radio"/>
25. Is this site in any other High Amenity Landscape?	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>	N/A <input type="radio"/>	S/A <input type="radio"/>
26. Were comments from the Local Authority received and examined?	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>	N/A <input type="radio"/>	S/A <input type="radio"/>
27. Were comments from the Local Authority requested?	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>	N/A <input type="radio"/>	S/A <input type="radio"/>
28. Is the forest design submitted (and any additional design improvements recommended) sufficient to prevent any significant impact on the landscape and does the design comply with the Forestry and the Landscape Guidelines?	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>	N/A <input type="radio"/>	S/A <input type="radio"/>
Designated Habitats				
Nature reserves and national parks, special protection areas and areas of conservation designated pursuant to Directive 79/409/EEC and 92/43/EEC, SACs, etc. (NB: Afforestation can not be recommended without explicit approval of NPWS). Candidate, indicative and proposed sites are also included.				
29. Is this proposed area within 3km upstream of a European or national designation including SACs, cSACs, SPAs, iSPAs, NHAs, pNHAs Nature Reserves and National Parks?	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>	N/A <input type="radio"/>	S/A <input type="radio"/>
30. Is this proposed area within a European or national designation, including SACs, cSACs, SPAs, iSPAs, NHAs, pNHAs Nature Reserves and National Parks?	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>	N/A <input type="radio"/>	S/A <input type="radio"/>
Non Designated Habitats				
31. Should this application be referred to the Forest Service Ecologist?	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>	N/A <input type="radio"/>	S/A <input type="radio"/>

Designated and non designated Habitat Recommendation

32. Following referral to the Forest Service Ecologist and/or NPWS, in evaluating the scale and significance of any potential impact, the following was recommended:

A - Adherence to Forest Service Guidelines	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>	N/A <input type="radio"/>	S/A <input type="radio"/>
B - Supplementary operational conditions	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>	N/A <input type="radio"/>	S/A <input type="radio"/>
C - Ecological Monitoring	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>	N/A <input type="radio"/>	S/A <input type="radio"/>
D - Ecological Survey and Report	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>	N/A <input type="radio"/>	S/A <input type="radio"/>
E - EIA	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>	N/A <input type="radio"/>	S/A <input type="radio"/>
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Social				
33. Does the proposed area impact on a Way-Marked Way?	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>	N/A <input type="radio"/>	S/A <input type="radio"/>
34. Does the proposed area impact on a densely populated area?	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>	N/A <input type="radio"/>	S/A <input type="radio"/>
35. Does the proposed area impact on an area commonly used by the general public for recreation?	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>	N/A <input type="radio"/>	S/A <input type="radio"/>
Accidents				

36. Is there a significant risk of accidents, having regard in particular to substances or technologies used? If so, describe in Inspectors comments box below.	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>	N/A <input type="radio"/>	S/A <input type="radio"/>
Transfrontier				
37. Is the proposed application within 3km upstream of the border with Northern Ireland?	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>	N/A <input type="radio"/>	S/A <input type="radio"/>
38. Will the proposed project be likely to have a significant transfrontier impact? If so, describe in Inspectors comments box below.	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>	N/A <input type="radio"/>	S/A <input type="radio"/>
39. Is the proposed application within 500m of the border with Northern Ireland?	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>	N/A <input type="radio"/>	S/A <input type="radio"/>
Public Participation and NGO participation				
40. Comments and issues from the general public and non-governmental bodies were received and examined?	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>	N/A <input type="radio"/>	S/A <input type="radio"/>
Determination				
Any significant potential effects identified above must be considered having regarding in particular to:				
- the extent of the impact (geographical area and size of the affected population)				
- the transfrontier nature of the impact				
EIA: On the basis of this examination this application be subject to the EIA process	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>		
- the probability of the impact				
- the duration, frequency and reversibility of the impact				
- the combined impacts and interactions				
- the magnitude and complexity of the impact				

Inspectors comments

