



SITE VISIT REPORT

Purpose of Site Visit: Peat Extraction on bogs in Co. Roscommon

Site Address: Clonshask, Ballydangan Co Roscommon

Date of Visit: 27/07/23

Times of Visit: 14:00 to 14:30

Visit Criteria: Peat extraction investigation

EPA Attendees: Mick Henry and Kealan Reynolds

Organisation [REDACTED]

Summary: The purpose of the visits was to

- i) Ascertain whether peat extraction activities were been carried out by [REDACTED] or its agents on lands owned and controlled by [REDACTED] or its agents in Co Roscommon.
- ii) To determine what location the activities undertaken by the company or its agents was carried out at during recent months. The site visit commenced on lands where excavation, turning, stockpiling and removal off-site of sodpeat following extraction activity was noted.

Findings of site visit of 27/07/23: The following was noted during the visit:

- A significant quantity of large sod peat had been excavated, turned and left on the bog for drying.
- No peat harvesting machinery or equipment was noted on the peatland.
- No peat excavation was taking place during the visit.

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Signed:



Date:

31/07/23

Appendix 1



Appendix 2

Photo 1



Photo 2



Photo 3



Photo's 1, 2, & 3 above: Significant quantities of large sod peat noted to be excavated, stacked and left for drying on the peatland.
