



SITE VISIT REPORT

Purpose of Site Visit: Tipperary Peat Extraction

Site Address: Arragh Beg Bog, Arragh Beg County Tipperary

Date of Visit: 20/03/24

Times of Visit: 1100 to 1135

Visit Criteria: Peat extraction investigation

EPA Attendees: Simon Buckley

Organisation: [REDACTED].

Summary: The purpose of the visit was to

- i) Ascertain whether peat extraction activities were being carried out by the above or its agents on lands owned and controlled by the above or its agents in Co Tipperary.
- ii) The site visit commenced on lands (that were the subject of previous correspondence from the Agency) where extraction of peat on a commercial scale was noted.

Findings of site visit of 20/03/24: The following was noted during the visit:

- No peat extraction was taking place at the time of the visit.
- Peat harvesting machinery and equipment was noted to be parked on the Western side of the peatland and at the loading area .
- Some large sod peat was noted to be left stacked on the Eastern side of the peatland.

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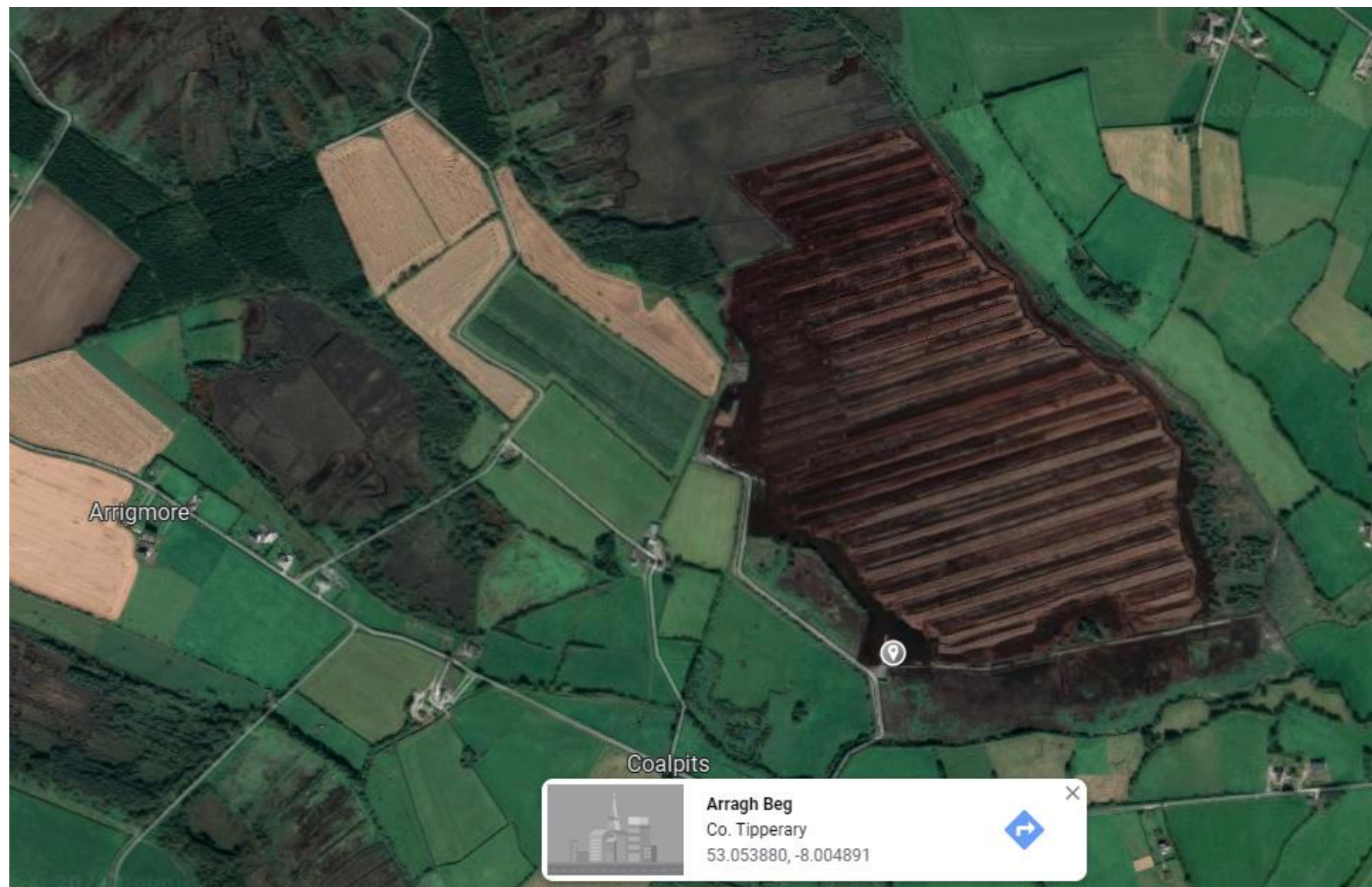
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Appendix 1



Appendix 2



Photo 1: General overview of the peatland.



Photo 2: Photo showing remaining large sod peat left on the peatland.



Photo 3: Machinery noted to be parked on the westerns side of the peatland.
