



CARRAIG FHADA
SEAWEED

Foreshore Unit
Dept of Environment, Community & Local Government
Newtown Road
Wexford

17th June 2013.

Dear Sir,

Please find application for the renewal of a five year seaweed harvesting licence for Carraig Fhada Seaweed. I hope all the information is in order and should you have any queries please contact me on the numbers below.

Yours,

Damian Melvin



Comhshaoil, Pobal agus Riathas Aitiúil
Environment, Community and Local Government

APPLICATION FOR A LEASE/LICENCE/PERMISSION UNDER THE FORESHORE ACT 1933 (AS AMENDED)*

*(This form should **NOT** be used for Applications for Offshore Electricity Generating Stations)*

Please read Guidance Notes before completing this form

USE BLOCK CAPITALS IN BLACK INK

For Office Use

Application Ref. No. _____

Date of receipt _____

1. A. Name(s) of Applicant(s) in full
Damian Melvin, Curraigh Thada Seaweed.

B. Address(es) of Applicant(s) in full
Cabra, Rathlisc.
Fuskey, Co Sligo.

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Mobile _____

Fax 096 49042

E-mail info@curraighthada.com

RNI/PPS No./CRO No: _____

C. Signature of Applicant

Date: 17 June 2013

(where the signatory is an officer of a local authority or a company, the position held should be stated and the signatory's name should also be provided in block capitals).

D. Name of contact person if different from above

AS ABOVE

Address _____

Telephone _____

Mobile _____

Fax _____

E-mail _____

* Legislation Applicable: Foreshore Act, 1933 (No. 12); Foreshore (Amendment) Act, 1992 (No. 17); Fisheries and Foreshore (Amendment) Act, 1993 (No. 54); Fisheries (Amendment) Act, 2003 (No. 21); European Communities (Environmental Impact Assessment Regulations, 1989 to 1999); Foreshore (Environmental Impact Assessment) Regulations, 1990 (S.I. No. 220); Planning and Development Act 2000 (No. 30) Part X

E. Name and Address of Applicant's Legal Advisors

(Applicants are strongly advised to seek legal assistance, prior to agreeing to accept an offer of a foreshore lease/licence/permission as all are legally binding documents. Where an offer is made of a Foreshore Lease/Licence/Permission it will be done through the Applicant's Legal Advisors)

Telephone _____ Fax _____ E-mail _____

2. (A) A detailed description of the proposed works which are to be carried out on the foreshore. (Please feel free to use additional sheets, which should be signed and dated).

To hand harvest fresh seaweed.

(B) A Statement of reason for the works

To continue a family business as Carrig Fhada Seaweed

A statement of the disturbance to the foreshore, arising from these works, should be attached covering the impact on the marine environment including the impact on coastal erosion, navigation, fishing, fisheries (various species known to inhabit the area), pleasure boating and sailing, air navigation (if appropriate).

- (C) Provide the following location details in respect of the area of foreshore for which the Lease/Licence/Permission is sought

(i) Bay From Kilglass to area just south east of Coonmore Bay near Easky

(ii) County SLIGO

(iii) Geographic co-ordinates in degrees, minutes and seconds

Various

(iv) OS Map No. Discovery Series 24

(v) Size (hectares) N/A

(vi) Local Authority SLIGO COUNTY COUNCIL

3. **RECORD OF DOCUMENTS ENCLOSED WITH THIS APPLICATION**

(1)

An application for a lease or licence must be accompanied by 10 copies (15 copies if there is a possibility of significant impact on the marine environment, such as for sewerage schemes, dredging, marinas and any project requiring an EIS) of all relevant documents.

- (i) **Ordnance Survey Map (Scale of 1:10,560, ie a six inch map)**

Applicants must certify and date all maps submitted, stating the area of foreshore involved in metric measurements (i.e. hectares or square kilometres etc) with the area involved clearly delineated.



- (ii) **British Admiralty Chart (largest available scale)** ☐
- (iii) **Decision of planning authority or An Bord Pleanála under Planning Acts (Required)** ☐
Developments on the foreshore require planning permission in addition to a Foreshore Lease/Licence/Permission. All Foreshore Leases, Licences and Permissions are without prejudice to the powers of the local planning authority. Applicants should, therefore, consult initially with the local planning authority regarding their proposal.
- (iv) **Copy of licence under Section 4 of Local Government Water Pollution Act, 1977** ☐
- (v) **Environmental Impact Statement** ☐
- (vi) **Drawings of the structures to be used and/or layout** ☐
- (vii) **Copy of any correspondence with the Department of the Environment, Community and Local Government (Community and Planning Division)** ☐
- (viii) **Certified copy of Company's Memorandum and Articles of Association (Only one copy is required)** ☐
- (ix) **Certificate of Incorporation of a Limited Liability Company/ Rule Book/Constitution for a Club or Co-Operative Society as appropriate** ☐
- (x) **Other (specify) _____** ☐

(Note: It may not be necessary to include all of the above documents please refer to the accompanying "Guidance Notes".)

4. **Details of any previous Leases/Licences/Permissions received by the applicant for this or any adjoining sites (if appropriate)**

- (i) **Date of Lease/Licence/Permission** 2009 – 2013 (most recent)
- (ii) **Reference number(s)** MS51/14/122

5. **Is all or any part of the Foreshore (the subject of this application) in private ownership?** No
(This search should be carried out in the Registry of Deeds and Land Registry and copies of results, including where appropriate, folio maps should be included).

If yes, please provide details of ownership.

N/A

Have adjacent land owners, whose properties may be affected by these works been consulted?
 Please provide details/permissions as appropriate.

N/A

6. **Employment Implications (if any)**
employees and several seasonal harvesters

Carruig Fhada Seaweed will continue to employ two full time

7. **Capital cost of proposed works (€ - Euro)** N/A

8. **Do the proposed works involve the draw down of European Union or State funding?**
No

If "Yes" give details, including any time restrictions, etc. applying

9. **Do the proposed works provide for public use, restricted use or strictly private use? (give details)**

N/A

10. Are there public health/safety implications arising from the proposed works? (e.g. effluent disposal, removal of derelict or dangerous structures etc.)

No

10a. Are there public navigational safety implications arising from the proposed works?

No

1. What marine activity is there in the area?

Inshore fishing

2. How will the marine activity be affected by the proposed works?

N/A

3. What mitigating measures will be put in place?

N/A

4. How will the proposed works affect Marine Navigation in the future?

N/A

11. Will the works involve the storage and/or disposal of waste?

No

If "Yes" please give details of the type of waste and the proposed method of storage and/or disposal (including location)

**Certain developments are subject to the European Communities (Environmental Impact Assessment) Regulations, 1989 to 1999. It is the responsibility of the applicant to consult and comply with these Regulations. Where the relevant threshold in the Regulations is exceeded an application for permission under the Foreshore Acts must include an Environmental Impact Statement (EIS). Applicants are encouraged to seek the Department's opinion at the scoping stage of the EIS.*

An appraisal of the environmental effects of a development below the threshold must be submitted by the applicant to allow the Minister to decide whether it is likely to have significant effects on the environment. Where the decision is "yes" an EIS is mandatory.

In the case of developments on foreshore for, by or on behalf of a Local Authority where an EIS is required, applications should be made to An Bord Pleanála under Part XV, Planning and Development Act, 2000. 10 copies of any applications made under this Act must be sent to this Department at the time of application to An Bord Pleanála.

Note: While every effort will be made to deal promptly with applications, priority will be given to dealing with applications involving public infrastructure, public health, public use and those having employment implications.

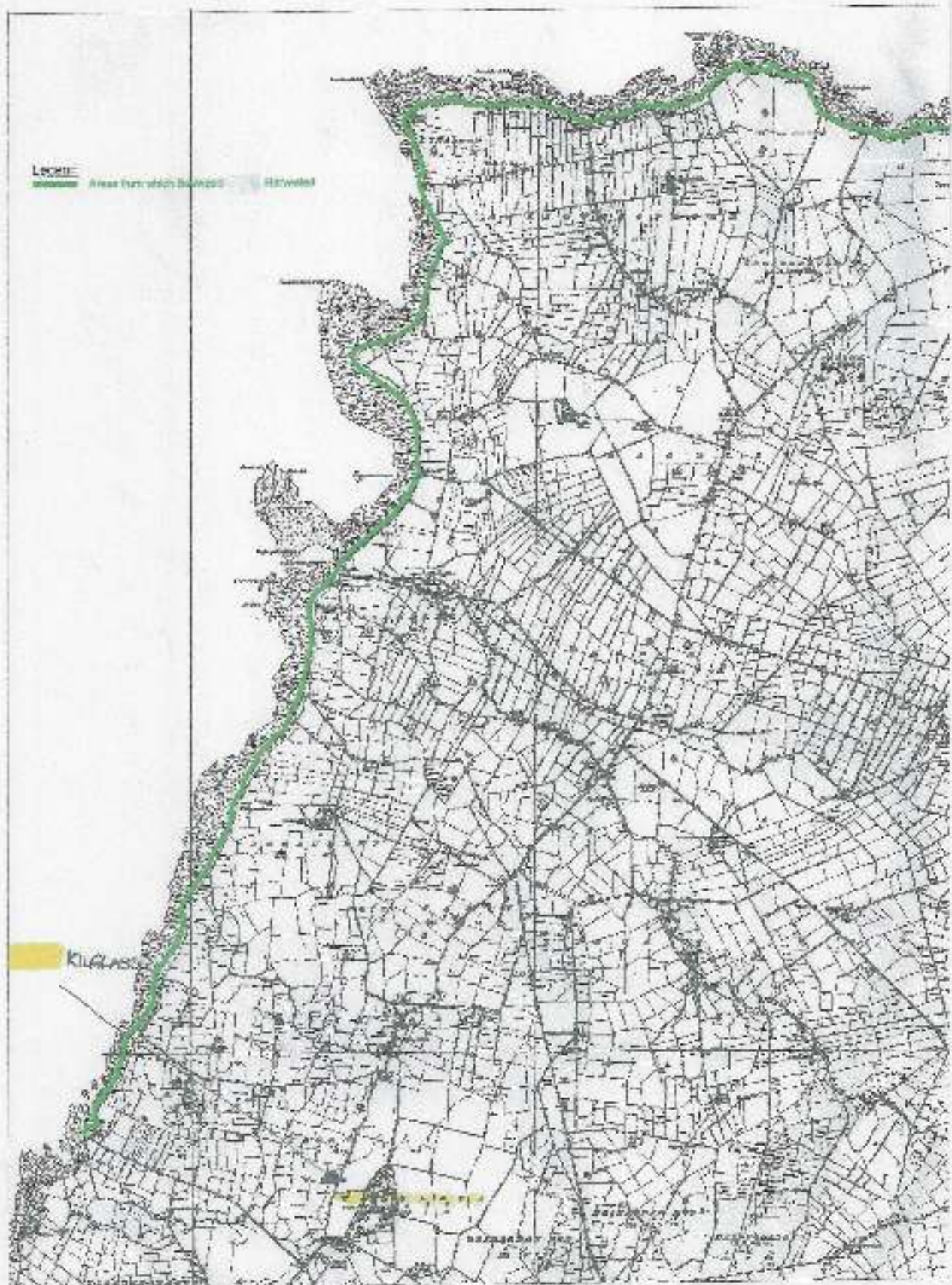
Any additional Information

Please send completed application form to:

**Foreshore Unit
Department of Environment, Community and Local Government
Newtown Road
Wexford**

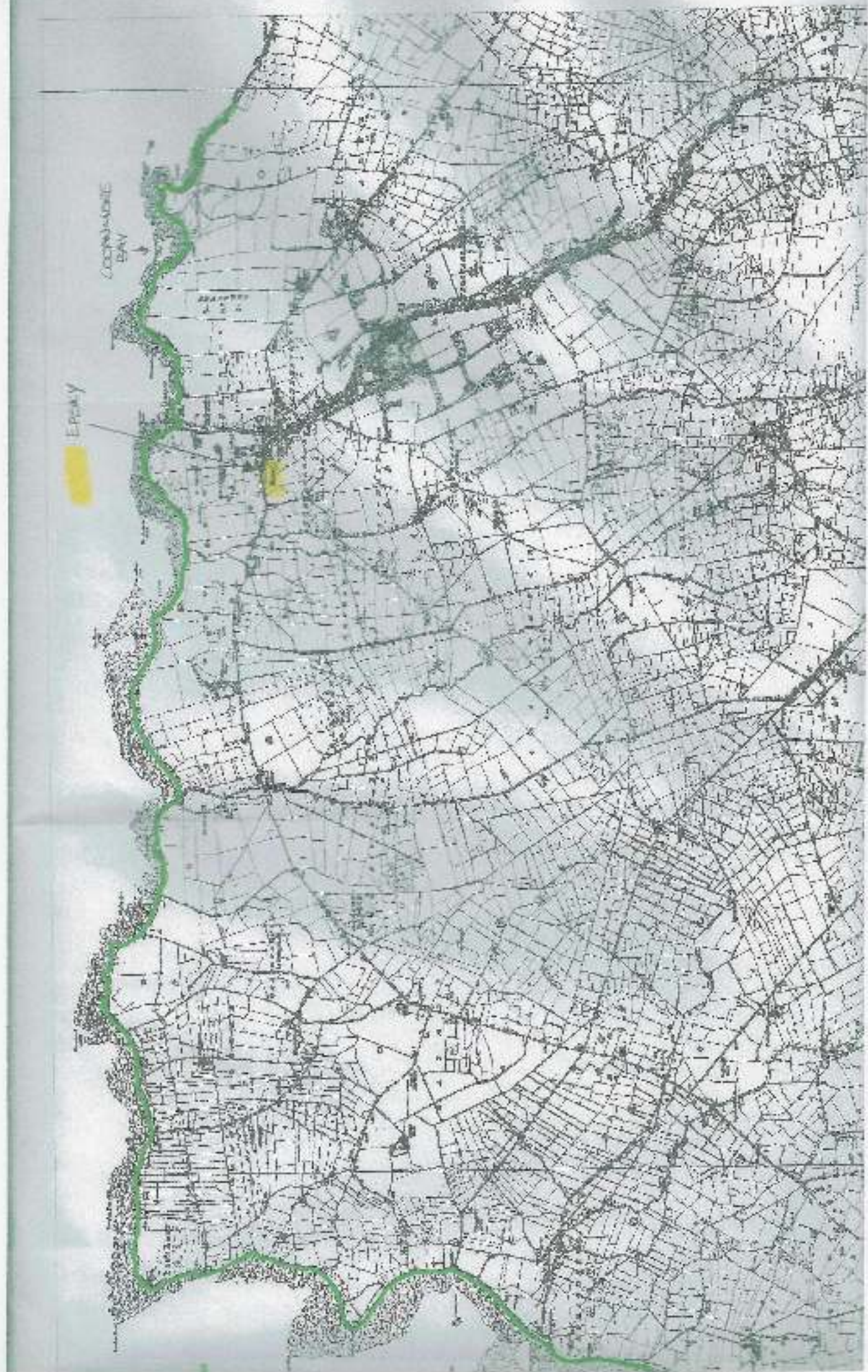
**Incorrectly completed or incomplete application forms cannot
be processed and will be returned.**

LOCATION MAP.



Reference: M66/14/122 - Forealms License for Harvesting of Seaweed by Frank Martin

LOCATION MAP.



Additional Information

1. Access & Egress

No access to the foreshore is required from landowners, nor will harvesting encroach on private land. Access and egress will be via public road of which there are 17 accessing the foreshore between Easky and Kilglass.

2. Collection Method

The seaweed will be hand harvested between the high water mark and low water mark. Harvesting will not be carried out from a boat.

3. Removal Of Harvested Material

All harvested material will be removed with the aid of agricultural tractor via public roads as indicated in 1 above. No negative impact will be caused on the foreshore during removal of the seaweed.

4. Nature Conservation

Seaweed will not be harvested from protected areas. No Special Protection Areas or Special Areas of Conservation are located in the proposed harvesting area.

5. Fishing

Harvesting will not interfere with present fishing practices in the area.

6. Schedule of species & quantities to be harvested in a Calendar Year.

Species	Maximum Tonnage
<i>Laminaria saccharina</i>	4.0
<i>Laminaria digitata</i>	4.0
<i>Alaria esculenta</i>	2.0
<i>Himanthalia elongata</i>	2.5
<i>Fucus serratus</i>	25.0
<i>Rhodomenia palmata</i>	3.0
<i>Chondus crispus</i>	3.0
<i>Gigartina stellata</i>	3.0
<i>Ulva lactuca</i>	0.5