

**COMHAIRLE CONTAE BAILE ÁTHA CLIATH THEAS**  
**South Dublin County Council**  
**Record of Executive Business and Chief Executive's Orders**

Planning and Development Act 2000 (as amended)  
 Planning and Development Regulations, 2001 (as amended)

**Proposed Public Realm Improvement and Landscape Scheme – Tallaght, Dublin 24**

**Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Screening Determination**

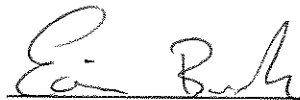
Pursuant to the requirements of the above, South Dublin County Council is proposing to carry out a public realm improvement and landscape scheme at Belgard Square North and on South Dublin County Council lands to the south and north of Belgard Square North, Tallaght, Dublin 24.

It is intended to place the plans and particulars for the proposed development on public display in accordance with the requirements of the Part XI of the Planning and Development Act 2000 (as amended) and Part 8 of the Planning and Development Regulations 2001 (as amended).

Having regard to EIA Directive 2011/92/EU as amended by Directive 2014/52/EU (the EIA Directive), and (inter alia) the European Commission's *Environmental Impact Assessment of Projects, Guidance on Screening (Directive 2011/92/EU as amended by 2014/52/EU)*, screening of the development for EIA was carried out in July 2020 by BMA Planning and Development Consultants, Taney Hall, Eglinton Terrace, Dundrum, Dublin 14, D14C7F7.

The Screening has been carried out to determine whether the Project is a class set out in Annex I or II of the EIA Directive (transposed into Schedule 5 (Part 1 and 2) of the Planning and Development Regulations 2001, as amended) and, if the project is not subject to a mandatory EIA, the likelihood of having significant effects on the environment under the criteria included in Annex III of the EIA Directive (transposed into Irish Law in Schedule 7 of the Planning and Development Regulations 2001, as amended) in order determine whether a sub-threshold development should be subject to EIA.

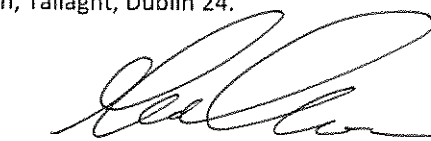
The EIA Screening Report has identified that EIA is not mandatory, and the proposal has been assessed in accordance with the criteria for sub-threshold development. The EIA Screening concludes that the nature of the proposed development is not considered to have likely significant effects on the environment (direct or indirect) and there is no requirement for an EIA.



Senior Planner

**Order:** That South Dublin County Council as the Competent Authority having considered the EIA Screening Report prepared by BMA Planning and Development Consultants, makes a determination that, when viewed individually and cumulatively, an Environmental Impact Assessment will not be required to accompany the proposal for a landscape and public realm improvement scheme at Belgard Square North and on South Dublin County Council lands to the south and north of Belgard Square North, Tallaght, Dublin 24.

23 July 2020  
 Date



Director Land Use Planning and Transportation