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## **BY EMAIL**

Dear Sir/Madam

RE: DALRADIAN CONJOINED INQUIRY

The Commission acceded to your request for a suspension of the Dalradian Conjoined Public Inquiry (2021/C005-7, 2021WHR01-02, 2021/DR001, 2024/WHR01-02) to facilitate the undertaking of transboundary consultation by the Department. It had been anticipated that you would provide the Commission with an update regarding the status of the transboundary consultation by 11 March 2025 to enable a revised timetable to be set at a mid-inquiry meeting.

It would appear from the correspondence that has been shared with the Commission, that the Department will not be in a position to progress with the inquiry by 26 March 2025 due to the ongoing nature of the transboundary consultation. We therefore ask that the Department confirm as to <u>when</u> it will be in a position to allow matters to progress. A response to this letter is requested by close of play on 14 March 2025 in order that the Commission can forward plan accordingly.

Yours faithfully

**Programme Officer**