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# **Planning Application Accompanied by an Environmental Statement Publicity of Public Inquiry**

**The Planning (Environmental Impact Assessment)  
Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2015 (Regulation 23)**

**Armagh City, Banbridge & Craigavon District Council  
Mid Ulster District Council**

**Antrim & Newtownabbey Borough Council**

**Lisburn & Castlereagh City Council**

**Application No:** LA03/2017/0310/F

**PAC Ref No:** 2017/C004

**Location:** Lough Neagh, within the Mid Ulster District Council, Antrim and Newtownabbey Borough Council, Armagh Banbridge and Craigavon Borough Council and Lisburn and Castlereagh Council Areas

**Proposal:** Extraction, transportation and working of sand and gravel from Lough Neagh. Sand and gravel to be extracted from within two distinct areas totalling some 3.1km<sup>2</sup>, in the north-west of Lough Neagh situated approximately east of Traad Point, north of Stanierds Point, west of Doss Point and south of Ballyronan and the ancillary deposition of silt and fine material.

The Public Inquiry into the planning application for the extraction of sand from Lough Neagh will open at 10.00 am on Wednesday 20 June 2018 in Park House, 87/91 Great Victoria Street, Belfast BT2 7AG. It will continue as necessary on the following day or days.

Copies of any information provided for the purposes of this Inquiry may be inspected and, where practicable, copied at Department for Infrastructure Strategic Planning Division, Clarence Court, 10-18 Adelaide Street, Belfast, BT2 8GB (Tel: 0300 200 7830) during normal office hours. It is advisable to make an appointment before calling at the office. Please note that Statements of Case from all parties will be available after 27 April 2018 and Rebuttal Statements will be available after 21 May 2018

Please quote the application number in all correspondence.