#### **ROSCOMMON COUNTY COUNCIL**

PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT ACT, 2000 (as amended)

## SECTION 5 - DECLARATION ON DEVELOPMENT AND EXEMPTED DEVELOPMENT

## **NOTIFICATION OF DECISION**

## <u>REGISTERED POST</u> Angelika Forst & Wolfgang Langen,



Reference Number: DED 575

Application Received: 19<sup>th</sup> June, 2023

Location: Fallsollus, Ballaghaderreen, Co. Roscommon.

WHEREAS a question has arisen as to whether the construction of an extension of 39.55sqm to the existing building (cottage, 62.92sqm) at Fallsollus, Ballaghaderreen, Co. Roscommon is or is not development and is or is not exempted development.

AND WHEREAS Roscommon County Council, in considering this application, had regard particularly to:

- a) Sections 2, 3, 4 and 5 of the Planning and Development Acts 2000 (as amended);
- b) Articles 6 & 9 of the Planning and Development Regulations 2001 (as amended).
- c) Class 1 and Class 50 of Part 1 Article 6 Schedule 2 of the Planning and Development Regulations 2001 (as amended).
- d) The record forwarded to Roscommon County Council in accordance with subsection (6)(c) of Section 5 of the Planning and Development Acts 2000 (as amended);
- e) The planning history of the site.

AND WHEREAS Roscommon County Council has concluded that:

- (1) The proposed works constitute development as defined in the Planning and Development Act 2000 (as amended) and associated Regulations;
- (2) The proposed development consisting of the construction of an extension of 39.55sqm to the existing building (cottage, 62.92sqm) at Fallsollus, Ballaghaderreen, Co. Roscommon <u>is exempted</u> <u>development</u> as defined in the Planning and Development Act 2000 (as amended) and associated Regulations.

## **NOW THEREFORE:**

By virtue of the powers vested in me by the Local Government Acts 1925 – 2019 and Section 5(2)(a) of the Planning and Development Act 2000 (as amended) and having considered the various submissions and reports in connection with the application described above, it is hereby declared that **the construction of an extension of 39.55sqm to the existing building (cottage, 62.92sqm) at Fallsollus, Ballaghaderreen, Co. Roscommon is development and is exempted development** as defined within the Planning and Development Act 2000 (as amended) and associated Regulations.

Any person issued with a Declaration under Section 5 of the Planning and Development Act, 2000 (as amended) may, on payment to An Bord Pleanála of the prescribed fee, refer a Declaration for review within 4 weeks of the date of the issuing of the Declaration.

## ADVICE NOTE

This Declaration is based on the relevant Planning and Development Act 2000 (as amended) and the Planning and Development Regulations 2001 (as amended) at the date of issue. In the event that the Planning and Development Act 2000 (as amended) or the Planning and Development Regulations 2001 (as amended) change prior to the works being carried out this Declaration may no longer apply.

Signed on behalf of the Council:

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Senior Executive Planner, Planning.

Date: 29th September, 2023

## Planner's Report on application under Section 5 of the Planning and Development Acts 2000 (as amended)

Reference Number:	DED 575
Name and Address of Applicant:	Application for a Declaration under Section 5 of the Planning & Development Act, 2000, as amended, regarding Exempted Development to construct an extension of 39.55sqm to the existing building (cottage, 62.92sqm) at Fallsollus, Ballaghaderreen, County Roscommon
Applicant:	Angelika Forst & Wolfgang Langen
Date:	29 <sup>th</sup> September 2023

WHEREAS a question has arisen as to whether the construction of an extension of 39.55sqm to the existing building (cottage, 62.92sqm) at Fallsollus, Ballaghaderreen, County Roscommon is or is not development and is or is not exempted development.

I have considered this question, and I have had regard particularly to -

- (a) Sections 2, 3, 4 and 5 of the Planning and Development Act, 2000, as amended
- (b) Articles 6 and 9 of the Planning and Development Regulations, 2001, as amended
- (c) Class 1 and Class 50 of Part 1 Article 6 Schedule 2 of the Planning and Development Regulations, 2001, as amended
- (d) The record forwarded to Roscommon County Council in accordance with subsection (6)(c) of Section 5 of the Planning and Development Acts 2000 2011
- (e) The planning history of the site

## Site Location & Development Description

The existing cottage is located in Fallsollus, Ballaghaderreen, County Roscommon and is accessed off the L55516 Local Tertiary Road. The subject site is not in, adjoining or in close proximity to any European designated sites. The closest European designated sites are Lough Gara SPA and Callow Bog SAC, which are approximately 2.7km from the subject site.

The proposed development consists of the construction of an extension (39.55sqm) to the rear of the existing cottage (62.92sqm). As per the submitted details, the structure will be finished externally in slate (roof) and lime plastering (external walls). The existing 4.6sqm extension to the rear of the cottage will be removed.

## **Planning History**

As per the Roscommon County Council GIS, there is no recent planning history on the subject site.

#### Assessment

In accordance with the Planning and Development Act, 2000 Section 3. (1) development is defined as the following: "In this Act, "development" means, except where the context otherwise requires, the carrying out of any works on, in, over or under land or the making of any material change in the use of any structures or other land". The proposed development is considered to be the carrying out of works. Works are defined in the Act as; "works" includes any act or operation of construction, excavation, demolition, extension, alteration, repair or renewal and, in relation to a protected structure....". It is considered that said construction of an extension to the rear of the cottage constitutes development, as defined in Section 3 of the said Act.

The proposed extension to the rear of the existing cottage has been considered within the scope of Class 1 of Part 1 of Article 6 - *Exempted Development General* of the Regulations.

PART 1 - Article 6 - Exempted Development - General

Development within the curtilage of a house

Class 1

The extension of a house, by the construction or erection of an extension (including a conservatory) to the rear of the house or by the conversion for use as part of the house of any garage, store, shed or other similar structure attached to the rear or to the side of the house.

#### **Column 2 - Conditions and Limitations**

1. (a) Where the house has not been extended previously, the floor area of any such extension shall not exceed 40 square metres.

(b) Subject to paragraph (a), where the house is terraced or semi-detached, the floor area of any extension above ground level shall not exceed 12 square metres.

(c) Subject to paragraph (a), where the house is detached, the floor area of any extension above ground level shall not exceed 20 square metres.

2. (a) Where the house has been extended previously, the floor area of any such extension, taken together with the floor area of any previous extension or extensions constructed or erected after 1 October 1964, including those for which planning permission has been obtained, shall not exceed 40 square metres.

(b) Subject to paragraph (a), where the house is terraced or semi-detached and has been extended previously, the floor area of any extension above ground level taken together with the floor area of any previous extension or extensions above ground level constructed or erected after 1 October 1964, including those for which planning permission has been obtained, shall not exceed 12 square metres.

(c) Subject to paragraph (a), where the house is detached and has been extended previously, the floor area of any extension above ground level, taken together with the floor area of any previous extension or extensions above ground level constructed or erected after 1 October 1964, including those for which planning permission has been obtained, shall not exceed 20 square metres.

3. Any above ground floor extension shall be a distance of not less than 2 metres from any party boundary.

4. (a) Where the rear wall of the house does not include a gable, the height of the walls of any such extension shall not exceed the height of the rear wall of the house.

(b) Where the rear wall of the house includes a gable, the height of the walls of any such extension shall not exceed the height of the side walls of the house.

(c) The height of the highest part of the roof of any such extension shall not exceed, in the case of a flat roofed extension, the height of the eaves or parapet, as may be appropriate, or, in any other case, shall not exceed the height of the highest part of the roof of the dwelling.

5. The construction or erection of any such extension to the rear of the house shall not reduce the area of private open space, reserved exclusively for the use of the occupants of the house, to the rear of the house to less than 25 square metres.

6. (a) Any window proposed at ground level in any such extension shall not be less than 1 metre from the boundary it faces.

(b) Any window proposed above ground level in any such extension shall not be less than 11 metres from the boundary it faces.

(c) Where the house is detached and the floor area of the extension above ground level exceeds 12 square metres, any window proposed at above ground level shall not be less than 11 metres from the boundary it faces.

7. The roof of any extension shall not be used as a balcony or roof garden.

The proposed demolition of the existing extension, as indicated on the submitted details, has been considered within the scope of Class 50 of the Planning and Development Regulations, 2001 (as amended).

Description of Development	Conditions and Limitations
Class 50 (a) The demolition of a building, or buildings, within the curtilage of— (i) a house, (ii) an	1. No such building or buildings shall abut on another building in separate ownership.
<ul> <li>industrial building, (iii) a business premises, or (iv) a farmyard complex.</li> <li>(b) The demolition of part of a habitable house in connection with the provision of an extension or porch in accordance with Class 1 or 7,</li> </ul>	2. The cumulative floor area of any such building, or buildings, shall not exceed: (a) in the case of a building, or buildings within the curtilage of a house, 40 square metres, and (b) in all other cases, 100 square metres.
respectively, of this Part of this Schedule or in accordance with a permission for an extension or porch under the Act.	3. No such demolition shall be carried out to facilitate development of any class prescribed for the purposes of section 176 of the Act.

Further information was requested in order to advance the assessment of this application under Section 5 of the Planning and Development Acts 2000 (as amended). The submitted response to **point 1** of the further information letter indicates the back kitchen to be demolished was constructed later but it is unknown when. The response to **point 2** outlines how the kitchen is highlighted in green, as previously submitted. The presented details state the complete kitchen area will be demolished; no parts will be left. The submitted response to **point 3** is noted. While the presented plans are difficult to accurately interpret, the Planning Authority are satisfied that, based on the submitted annotations, the extent of the proposed extension is less than 40sqm. The submitted response to **Point 4** is noted. While the submitted further information response in this instance lacks requested detail, it is considered adequate for the Planning Authority to conclude the assessment of this application under Section 5 of the Planning and Development Acts 2000 (as amended).

The construction of an extension to the rear of the existing cottage in this case is considered to be exempted development. The proposed demolition of the existing extension, as indicated on the submitted details, is exempted development within the scope of Class 50 of the Planning and Development Regulations, 2001 (as amended).

With Regard to Article 9 (1)(a) of the Planning and Development Regulations, it is reasonable to conclude that on the basis of the information available, it is considered that the proposed development individually and in combination with other plans or projects would not be likely to have a significant effect on any European site and that the need for EIA or AA does not apply with respect to the current referral case.

I am satisfied that an Environmental Impact Statement or Appropriate Assessment are not required. It should be noted that any development for which Environmental Impact Assessment or Appropriate Assessment is required shall not be exempted development unless specifically exempted in regulations where there is provision in other legislation for the carrying out of EIA or AA. In addition, the restrictions on exemption Art 9 (1)(a) (viiB) exclude development which would otherwise be exempted development under these regulations where an AA is required.

## Recommendation

WHEREAS a question has arisen as to whether the construction of an extension of 39.55sqm to existing building (cottage, 62.92sqm) at Fallsollus, Ballaghaderreen, County Roscommon is or is not development and is or is not exempted development.

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- Class 1 and Class 50 of Part 1 Article 6 Schedule 2 of the Planning and Development Regulations, 2001, as amended
- (A) The record forwarded to Roscommon County Council in accordance with subsection (6)(c) of Section 5 of the Planning and Development Acts 2000 2011
- (c) ) The planning history of the site

## AND WHEREAS I have concluded that

a) The works are development.

- b) The construction of an extension to the rear of the existing cottage (39.55sqm) is exempted development.
- c) The proposed development individually and in combination with other plans or projects would not be likely to have a significant effect on any European site and that the requirement for AA or EIAR does not apply with respect to the current case.

and I recommend that a declaration to that effect should be issued to the applicant.

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Signed:

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**Assistant Planner** 

Date: 29th September 2023

# Sprin Kelly

From: Sent: To: Subject: Attachments: Customer Service Thursday 28 September 2023 09:42 Planning Department FW: KG23278 Site Plan 1-500 with Dimensions.pdf KG23278 Site Plan 1-500 with Dimensions.pdf

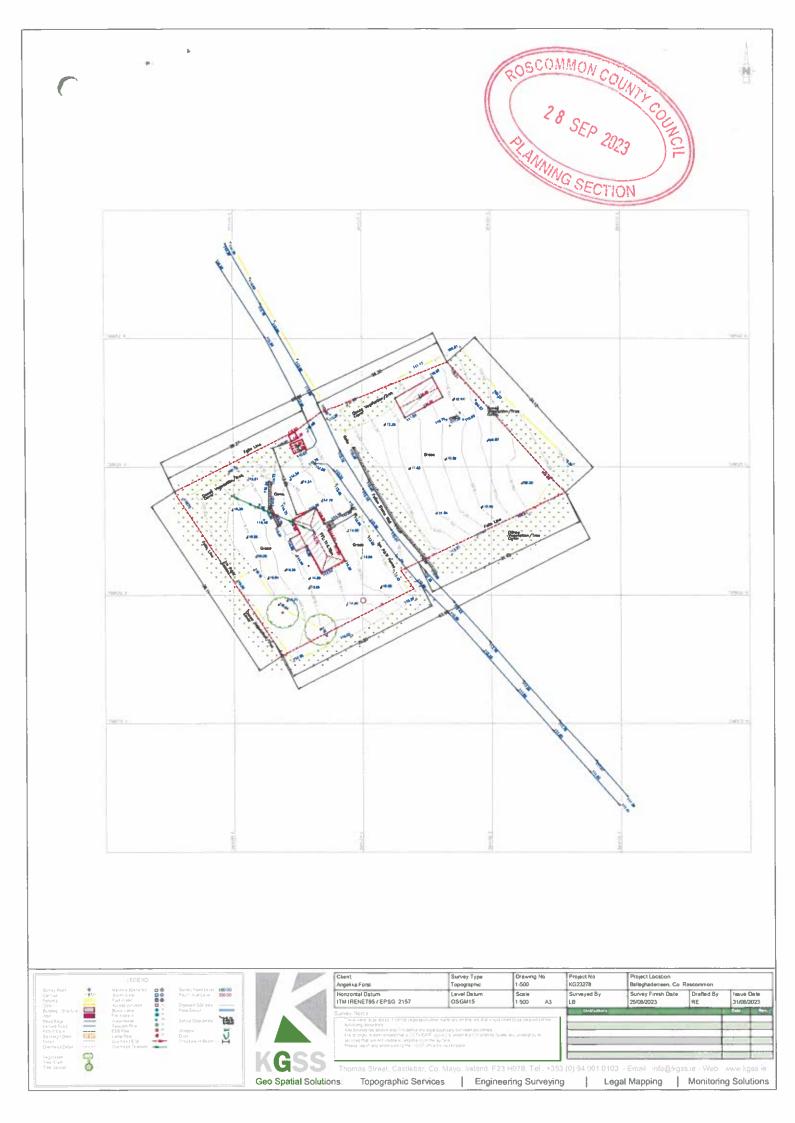
From: Angelique Angel Sent: Thursday 28 September 2023 09:22 To: Customer Service <customerservice@roscommoncoco.ie> Subject: KG23278 Site Plan 1-500 with Dimensions.pdf



To whom it may concern,

Attached you will find a Map 1:500 included dimensions Please attach it to my application DED575 Kind regards Angelika Forst Please note that I may be sending this email outside

Please note that I may be sending this email outside your working hours and I do not expect a response or action outside your own working hours



## Valerie Mangan

From: Sent: To: Cc: Subject: Attachments: Valerie Mangan Monday 18 September 2023 10:11 Jennifer Foy Tracy Davis Emailing: DED 575FI RECD DED 575FI RECD.pdf

Hi Jennifer,

Copy of F.I. received on 11th September, 2023 in respect of DED 575, for your information and attention,

Regards,

Valerie.

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From: Sent: To: Subject: Attachments: Valerie Mangan Monday 11 September 2023 10:08 Sharon Kelly FW: Aplication response DED575 KG23278 Floor Plan.pdf; KG23278 Topo.pdf; KG23278 Topo Ortho.pdf

Sharon,

This will need to be recorded and printed.

Thanks,

Valerie.

From: Tracy Davis <TDavis@roscommoncoco.ie> Sent: Monday 11 September 2023 09:45 To: Valerie Mangan <VMangan@roscommoncoco.ie> Subject: FW: Aplication response DED575

From: Geraldine Farry <<u>GFarry@roscommoncoco.ie</u>> Sent: Monday 11 September 2023 09:39 To: Planning Department <<u>Planning@roscommoncoco.ie</u>> Subject: FW: Aplication response DED575

**Dear All** 

The attached appears to be for the Planning Office.

Regards Ger

From: Customer Service <<u>customerservice@roscommoncoco.ie</u>> Sent: Monday 11 September 2023 09:24 To: Housing Department <<u>Housing@roscommoncoco.ie</u>> Subject: FW: Aplication response DED575

From: Angelique Angel Sent: Saturday 9 September 2023 16:52 To: Customer Service <<u>customerservice@roscommoncoco.ie</u>> Subject: Re: Aplication response DED575

To whom it may concern, In response of your letter from the 06.07.23 (see attached)



I will answer the questions in order for application DED575

The kitchen is high lighted in green (already in your file)

3) the plan is attached

4) I contacted a Land souvior and attached all the plans he send me with measurements

b)and c) the complete kitchen aera will be demolished no parts will be left.

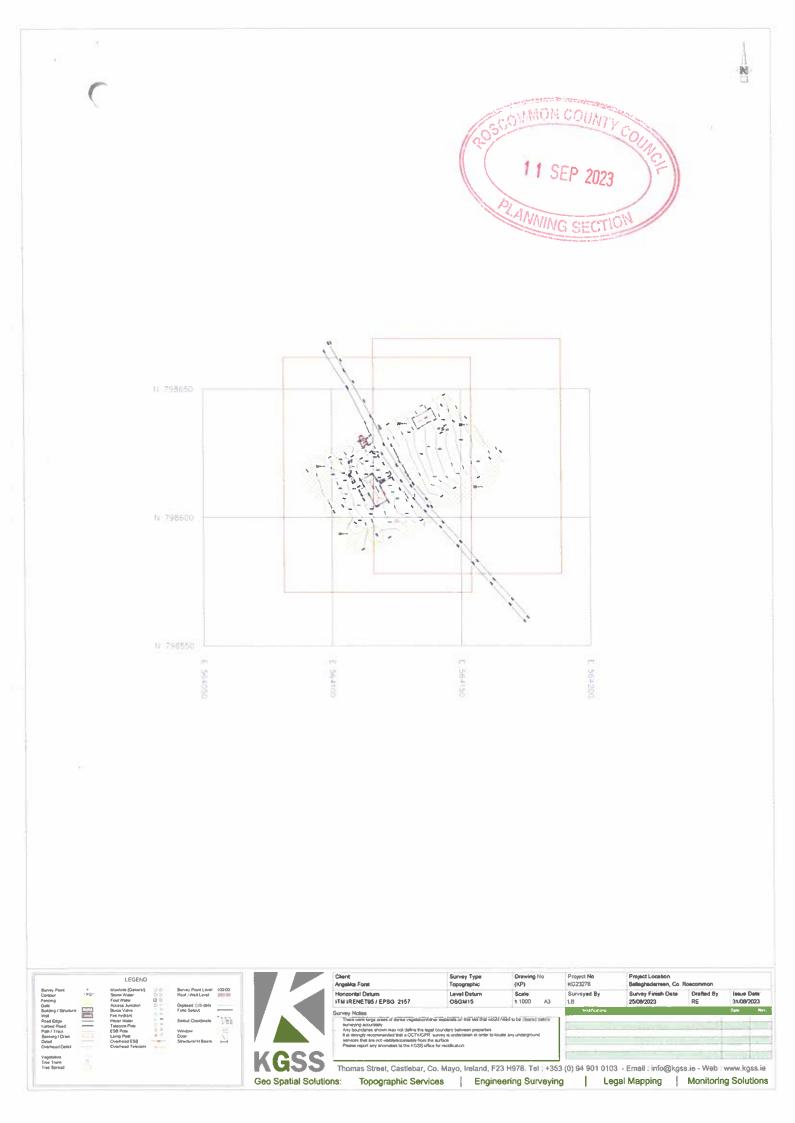
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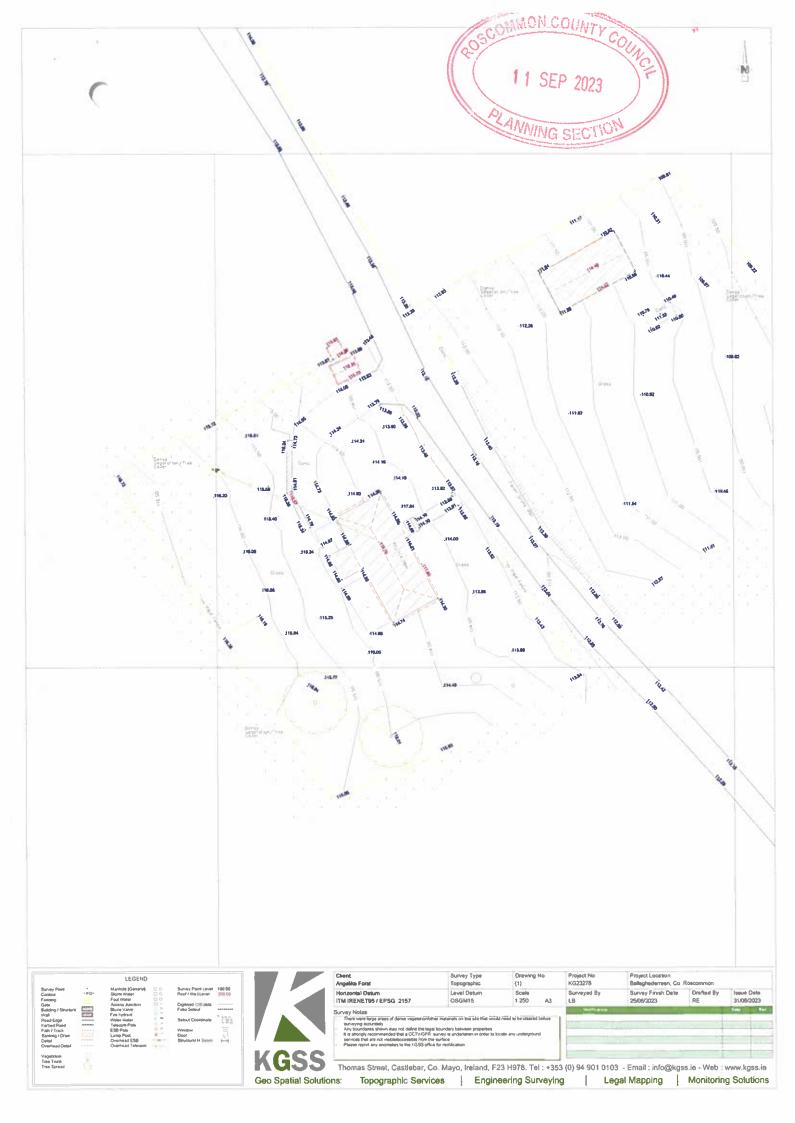
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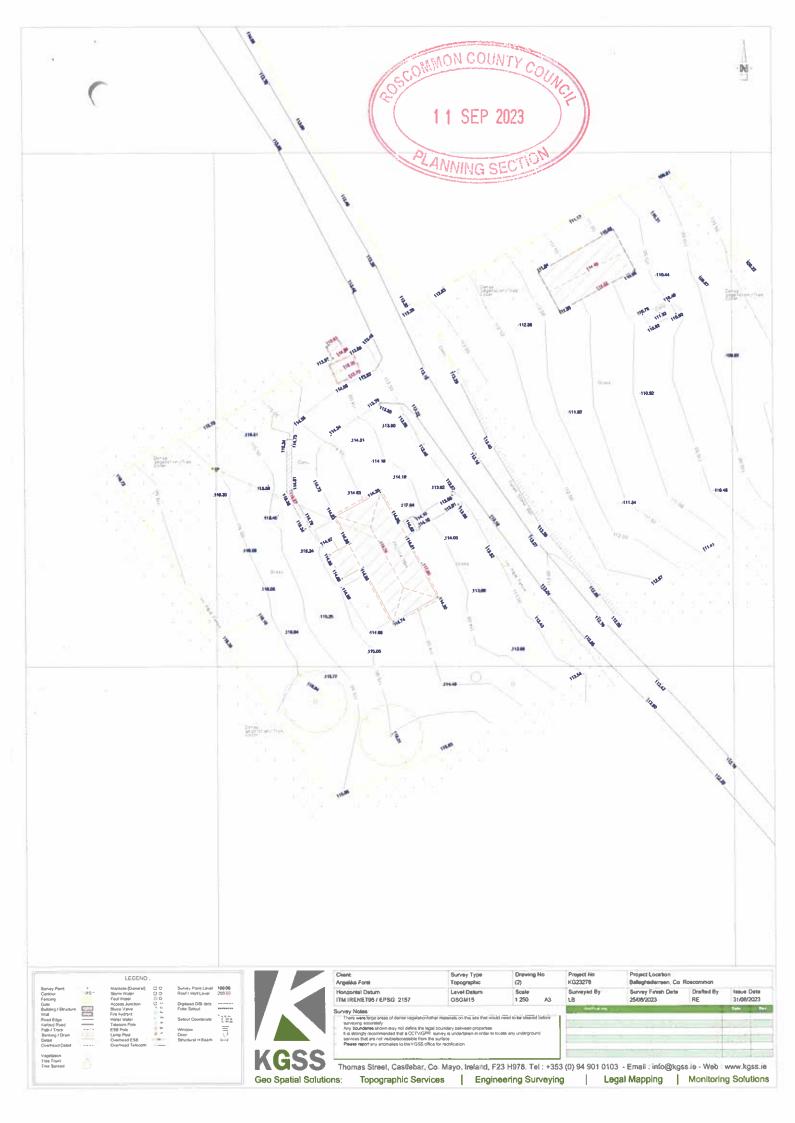
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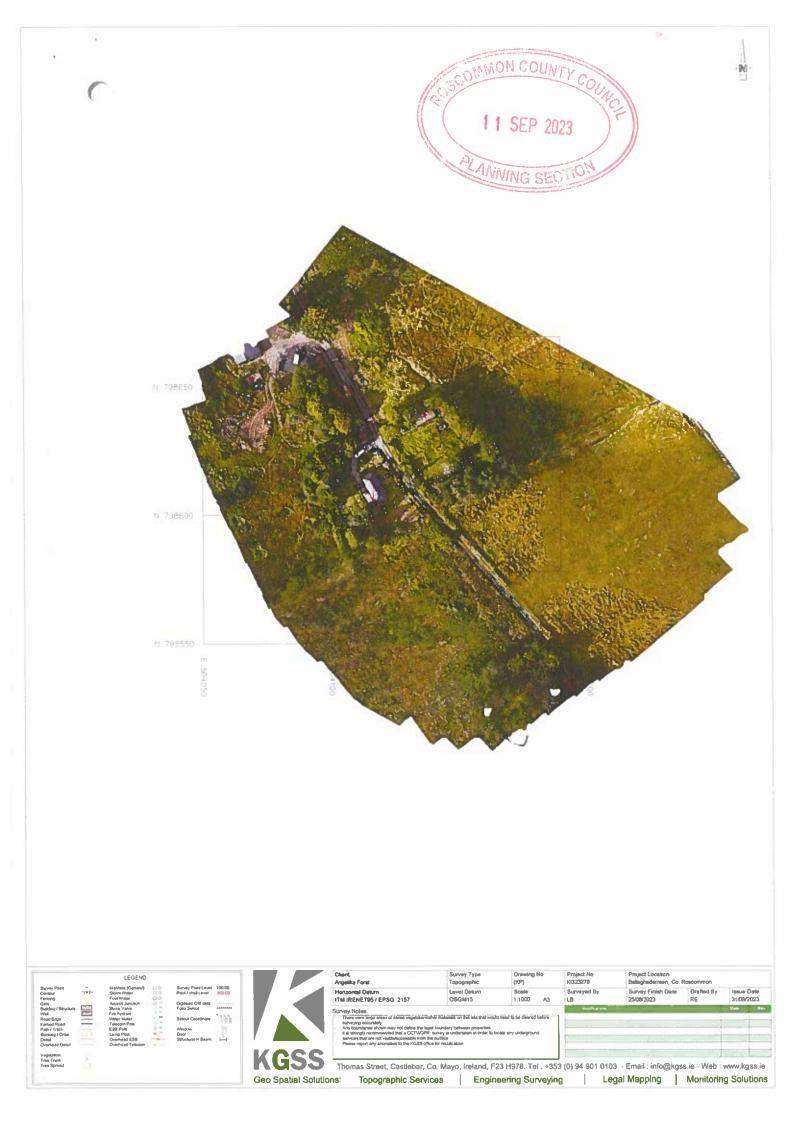








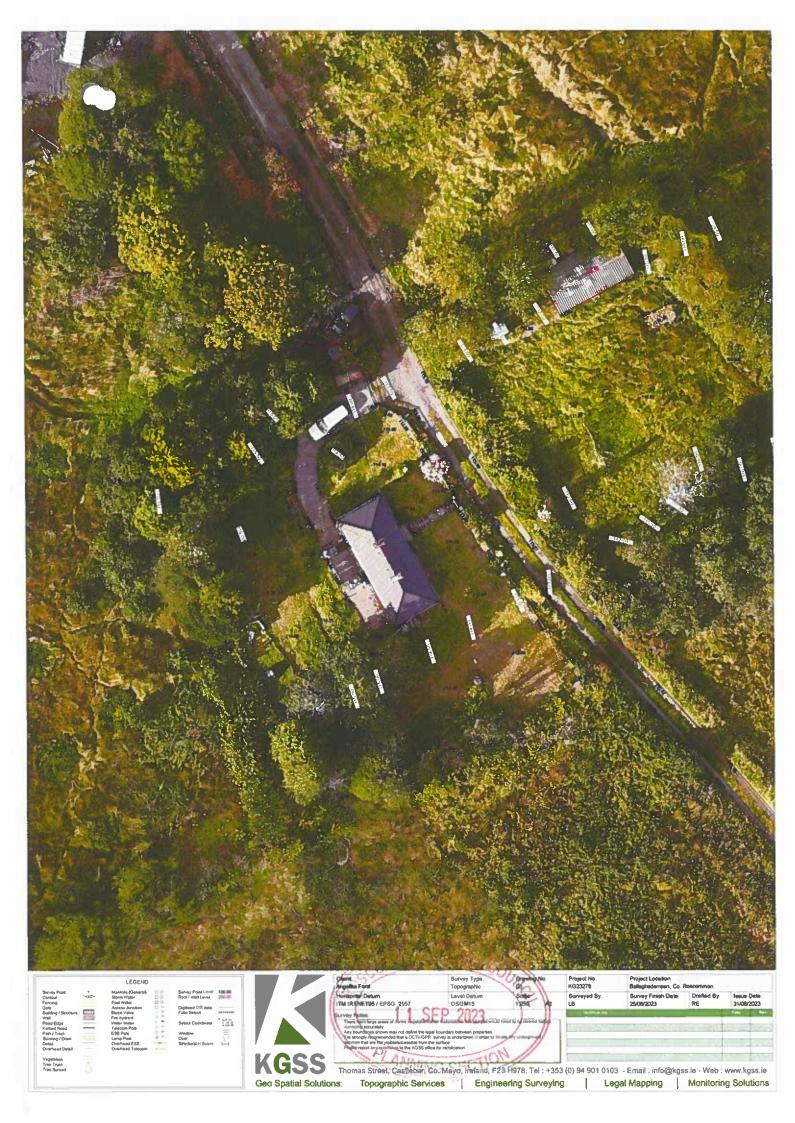






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<u>REGISTERED POST</u> Angelika Forst & Wolfgang Langen,



Date: 12/07/2023 Ref: DED 575

Re:	Application for a Declaration under Section 5 of the Planning & Development Act 2000
	(as amended), regarding Exempted Development.
Development:	To construct an extension of 39.55sq.m. to existing building (cottage, 62.92sq.m.) at
	Fallsollus, Ballaghaderreen, Co. Roscommon, F45 XD86.

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I refer to the above matter and in particular to planning layout map received from Angelika Forst on 10<sup>th</sup> July, 2023. I am returning the map herewith for your attention.

Please note that the said map, which is not scaled adequately, does not constitute a full response to the request for Further Information dated 6<sup>th</sup> July, 2023.

Please note that this application may not progress until a <u>single</u> response has been received in respect of <u>all</u> <u>items</u>.

Consideration of the application is being deferred pending compliance with the request for Further Information dated 6<sup>th</sup> July, 2023.

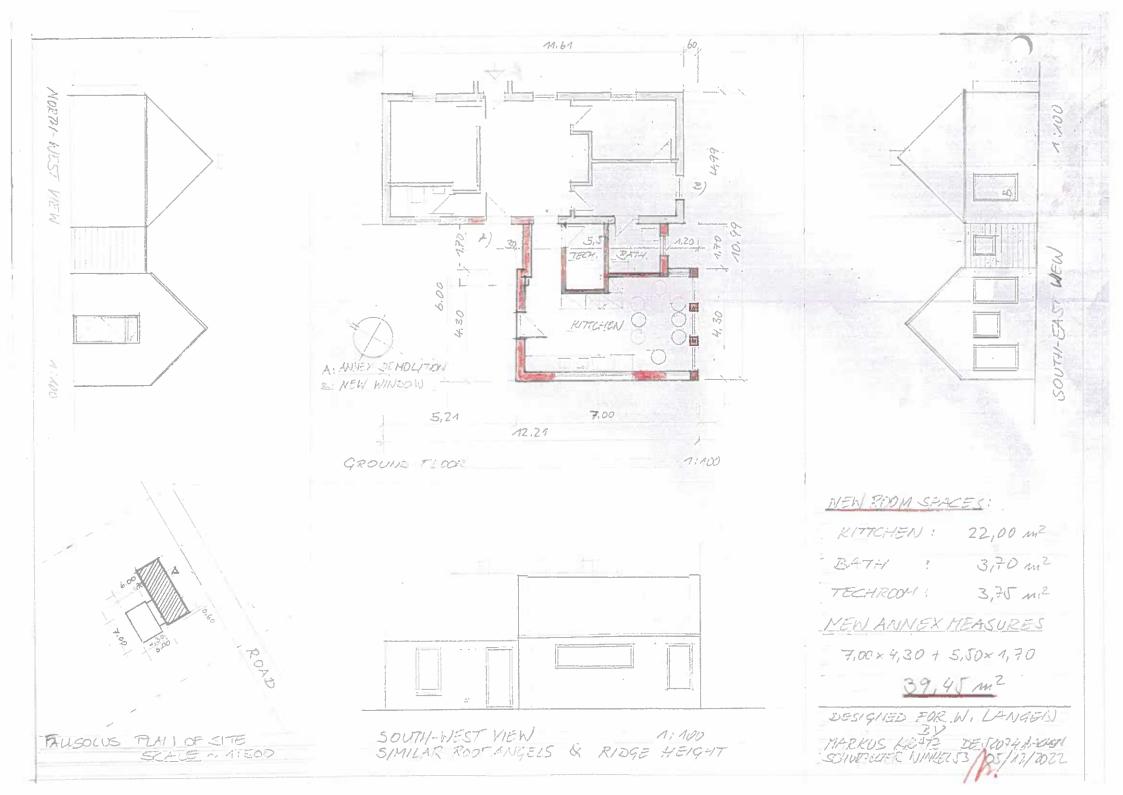
Note: Replies to this communication must be by way of original documents.

Note: Please note your Planning Reference No. is **DED 575.** This should be quoted in all correspondence and telephone queries.

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Senior Executive Planner, Planning.



## **Michaela Fallon**

From: Sent: To: Subject: Attachments: Geraldine Farry Monday 10 July 2023 12:16 Planning Department FW: Aplication response DED575 20230710\_111457.jpg; 20230710\_110259.jpg

Dear All

This appears to be correspondance for Planning.

Regards Ger

From: Customer Service <customerservice@roscommoncoco.ie> Sent: Monday 10 July 2023 12:07 To: Housing Department <Housing@roscommoncoco.ie> Subject: FW: Aplication response DED575

From: Angelique Angel Sent: Monday 10 July 2023 11:55 To: Customer Service <<u>customerservice@roscommoncoco.ie</u>> Subject: Aplication response DED575



To whom it may concern,

In response of your letter from the 06.07.23 (see attached)

I will answer the questions in order for application DED575

1) the kitchen was constructed the same time the house was built in 1964 as my neighbor

who was a previous owner confirmed to me.

2) see the two plans attached

The kitchen is high lighted in green

3) I will bring in the original plan today

4) I contacted a land souvior to get all the exact measurements to all borders for you a) and d)

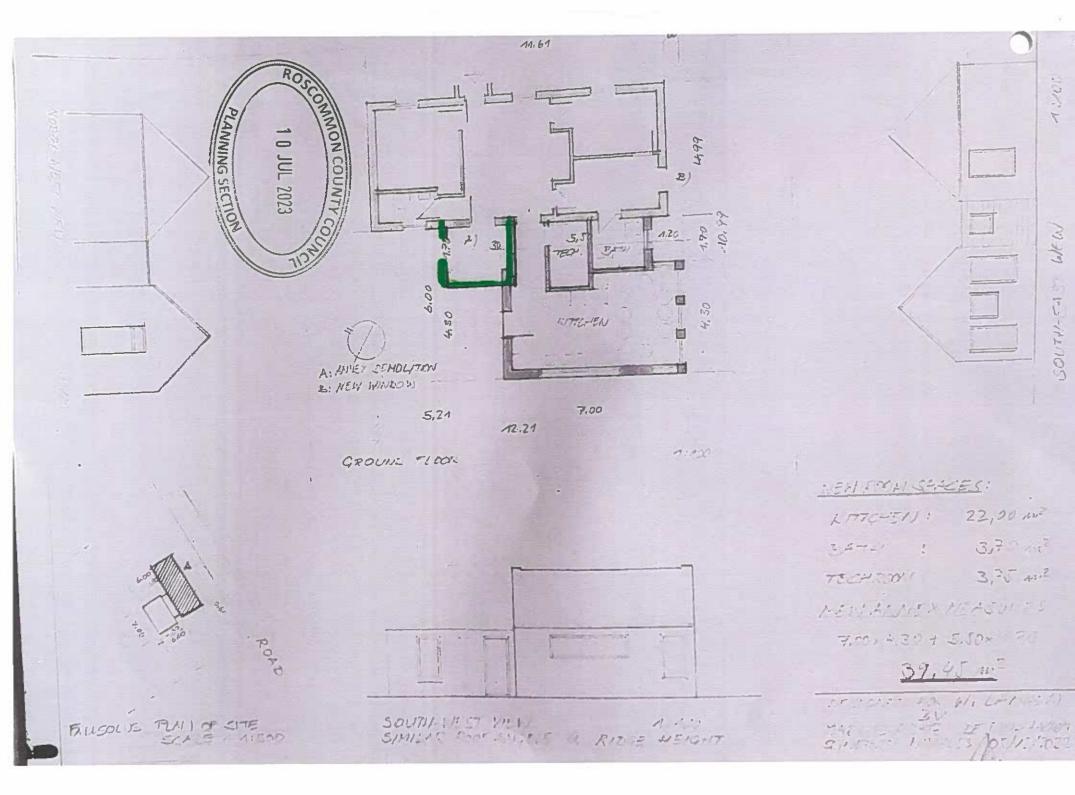
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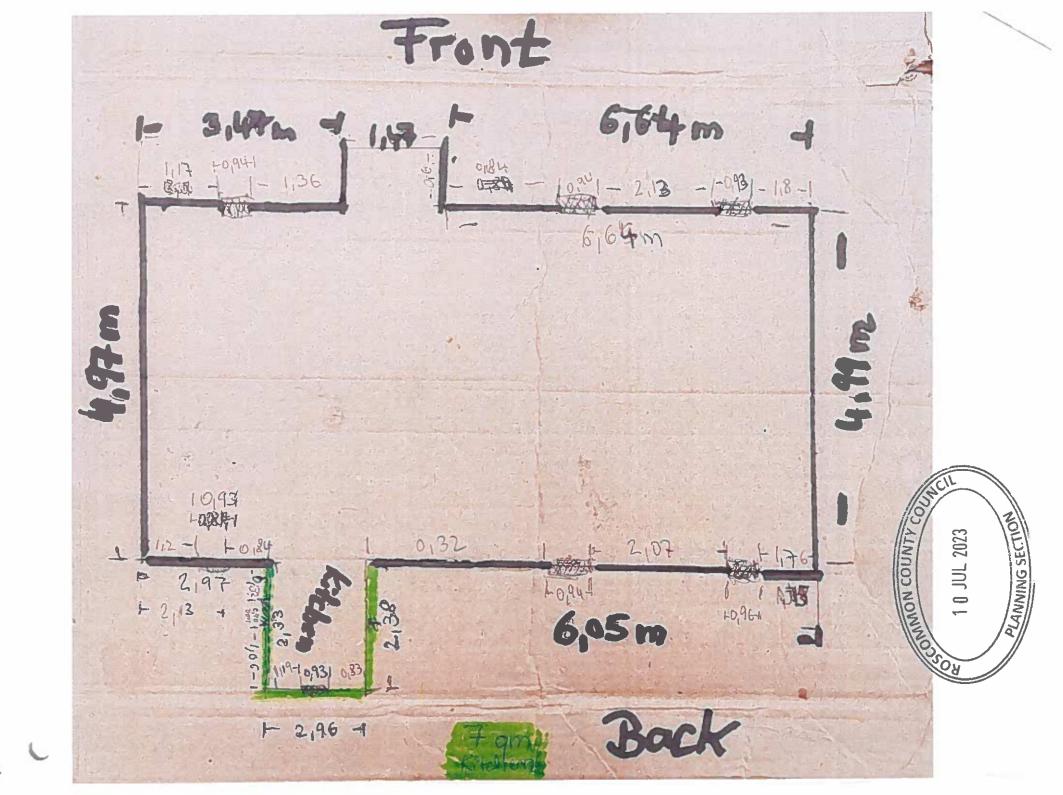
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Kind regards

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**Comhairle Contae Ros Comáin** Roscommon County Council



Angelika Forst & Wolfgang Langen,



Date: 06/07/2023 Planning Reference: DED 575

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A Chara,

Further to your application received on the 19<sup>th</sup> June, 2023 and in order for the Planning Authority to determine as to whether works a question has arisen as to whether works to construct an extension of 39.55sqm to the existing building (cottage, 62.92sqm) at Fallsollus, Ballaghaderreen, County Roscommon is or is not development or is or is not exempted development, you are requested to submit the following further information:

- 1. You have indicated on the application form that you intend demolishing the back kitchen which exists on site. You are requested to indicate when this kitchen was constructed.
- 2. You are requested to provide the exact area of this kitchen, to annotate it in a different colour on the ground floor plan as an area to be demolished, and to clearly indicate if it is to be demolished in its entirety or whether some element will be retained, as you have indicated a flat roofed element in your side elevation plan.
- 3. You have provided a copy only of the scaled plans for the proposed development. You are requested to provide the original copy of the 1:100 scaled plan in order for the Planning Authority is accurately measure the extent of the extension.
- 4. There appears to be some discrepancy between the areas indicated in the application form and the figure document which you have provided. In order for the Planning Authority to determine whether the proposed development does constitute exempted development you are requested to provide the following figures:

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- (a) Area of existing cottage
- (b) Area of back kitchen to be demolished
- (c) Any area of back kitchen to be retained (if any)
- (d) Area of extension to the dwelling





Consideration of your application is being deferred pending compliance with this request for further information. When replying please quote Planning Reference Number **DED 575**.

Note: Replies to this communication must be by way of original documents.

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Senior Executive Planner, Planning.

# Senior Executive Planner Addendum Report for application under Section 5 of the Planning and Development Act 2000-2015

Reference Number:	DED 575
Re:	Application for a Declaration under Section 5 of the Planning and Development Act 2000, as amended, regarding Exempted Development to construct an extension of 39.55sqm to the existing building (cottage 62.92sqm) at Fallsollus, Ballaghaderreen, County Roscommon
Name and Address of Appli	cants: Angelika Forst and Wolfgang Langen
Date:	5 <sup>th</sup> July 2023
Date:	5 <sup>th</sup> July 2023

## Planning Assessment

It appears that the dwelling has previously been extended to the rear to provide a back kitchen. This has been indicated on the application form but not annotated on the plans. The application form indicates that its area is 4.6m<sup>2</sup> but this does not tally with the figures provided in the page submitted of areas. It is also not clear whether it will be demolished in its entirety or whether some of it will be retained as the elevation drawing appears to indicate a flat roofed element connecting to a hipped roof extension to the rear.

The drawings provided are not to scale but appear to be a copy of one which is to scale. In order to accurately determine the size of the area to be extended a scaled drawing needs to be provided. The floor plan also needs to clearly highlight the area to be demolished in a contrasting colour.

The document indicating the figures relating to various areas is confusing and does not appear to correlate with the application form or the ground floor plan. From the ground floor plan it appears that the area of the existing cottage is 57.82m<sup>2</sup> and the area of the extension is 44.25m<sup>2</sup> which would make it larger than what is exempted under Class 1 of Part 1 Schedule 2 of the Planning and Development Regulations 2001 as amended. The application form and/or ground floor plans need to provide the following figures:

- 1. Area of existing cottage
- 2. Area of back kitchen to be demolished
- 3. Any area of back kitchen to be retained (if any)
- 4. Area of extension to the dwelling

## Recommendation

It is recommended that the following *further information* is sought concerning the proposed development:

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You are requested to provide the exact area of this kitchen, to annotate it in a different colour on the ground floor plan as an area to be demolished, and to clearly indicate if it is to be demolished in its entirety or whether some element will be retained, as you have indicated a flat roofed element in your side elevation plan.

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Signed

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**Senior Executive Planner** 

Date: 5th July 2023

## Planner's Report on application under Section 5 of the Planning and Development Acts 2000 - 2011

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Applicant:	Angelika Forst & Wolfgang Langen
Date:	30 <sup>th</sup> June 2023

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#### Assessment

In accordance with the Planning and Development Act, 2000 Section 3. (1) development is defined as the following: "In this Act, "development" means, except where the context otherwise requires, the carrying out of any works on, in, over or under land or the making of any material change in the use of any structures or other land". The proposed development is considered to be the carrying out of works. Works are defined in the Act as; "works" includes any act or operation of construction, excavation, demolition, extension, alteration, repair or renewal and, in relation to a protected structure....". It is considered that said construction of an extension to the rear of the cottage constitutes development, as defined in Section 3 of the said Act.

The proposed extension to the rear of the existing cottage has been considered within the scope of Class 1 of Part 1 of Article 6 - *Exempted Development General* of the Regulations.

PART 1 - Article 6 - Exempted Development - General

Development within the curtilage of a house

Class 1

The extension of a house, by the construction or erection of an extension (including a conservatory) to the rear of the house or by the conversion for use as part of the house of any garage, store, shed or other similar structure attached to the rear or to the side of the house.

**Column 2 - Conditions and Limitations** 

1. (a) Where the house has not been extended previously, the floor area of any such extension shall not exceed 40 square metres.

(b) Subject to paragraph (a), where the house is terraced or semi-detached, the floor area of any extension above ground level shall not exceed 12 square metres.

(c) Subject to paragraph (a), where the house is detached, the floor area of any extension above ground level shall not exceed 20 square metres.

2. (a) Where the house has been extended previously, the floor area of any such extension, taken together with the floor area of any previous extension or extensions constructed or erected after 1 October 1964, including those for which planning permission has been obtained, shall not exceed 40 square metres.

(b) Subject to paragraph (a), where the house is terraced or semi-detached and has been extended previously, the floor area of any extension above ground level taken together with the floor area of any previous extension or extensions above ground level constructed or erected after 1 October 1964, including those for which planning permission has been obtained, shall not exceed 12 square metres.

(c) Subject to paragraph (a), where the house is detached and has been extended previously, the floor area of any extension above ground level, taken together with the floor area of any previous extension or extensions above ground level constructed or erected after 1 October 1964, including those for which planning permission has been obtained, shall not exceed 20 square metres.

3. Any above ground floor extension shall be a distance of not less than 2 metres from any party boundary.

4. (a) Where the rear wall of the house does not include a gable, the height of the walls of any such extension shall not exceed the height of the rear wall of the house.

(b) Where the rear wall of the house includes a gable, the height of the walls of any such extension shall not exceed the height of the side walls of the house.

(c) The height of the highest part of the roof of any such extension shall not exceed, in the case of a flat roofed extension, the height of the eaves or parapet, as may be appropriate, or, in any other case, shall not exceed the height of the highest part of the roof of the dwelling.

5. The construction or erection of any such extension to the rear of the house shall not reduce the area of private open space, reserved exclusively for the use of the occupants of the house, to the rear of the house to less than 25 square metres.

6. (a) Any window proposed at ground level in any such extension shall not be less than 1 metre from the boundary it faces.

(b) Any window proposed above ground level in any such extension shall not be less than 11 metres from the boundary it faces.

(c) Where the house is detached and the floor area of the extension above ground level exceeds 12 square metres, any window proposed at above ground level shall not be less than 11 metres from the boundary it faces.

7. The roof of any extension shall not be used as a balcony or roof garden.

The construction of an extension to the rear of the existing cottage in this case is considered to be exempted development.

The proposed demolition of the existing extension, as indicated on the submitted details, is exempted development within the scope of Class 50 of the Planning and Development Regulations, 2001 (as amended).

Description of Development	Conditions and Limitations
<ul> <li>Class 50</li> <li>(a) The demolition of a building, or buildings, within the curtilage of— (i) a house, (ii) an industrial building, (iii) a business premises, or (iv) a farmyard complex.</li> <li>(b) The demolition of part of a habitable house in connection with the provision of an extension or porch in accordance with Class 1 or 7, respectively, of this Part of this Schedule or in accordance with a permission for an extension or porch under the Act.</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>No such building or buildings shall abut on another building in separate ownership.</li> <li>The cumulative floor area of any such building, or buildings, shall not exceed: (a) in the case of a building, or buildings within the curtilage of a house, 40 square metres, and (b) in all other cases, 100 square metres.</li> <li>No such demolition shall be carried out to facilitate development of any class prescribed for the purposes of section 176 of the Act.</li> </ol>

With Regard to Article 9 (1)(a) of the Planning and Development Regulations, it is reasonable to conclude that on the basis of the information available, it is considered that the proposed development individually and in combination with other plans or projects would not be likely to have a significant effect on any European site and that the need for EIA or AA does not apply with respect to the current referral case.

I am satisfied that an Environmental Impact Statement or Appropriate Assessment are not required. It should be noted that any development for which Environmental Impact Assessment or Appropriate Assessment is required shall not be exempted development unless specifically exempted in regulations where there is provision in other legislation for the carrying out of EIA or AA. In addition, the restrictions on exemption Art 9 (1)(a) (viiB) exclude development which would otherwise be exempted development under these regulations where an AA is required.

## Recommendation

WHEREAS a question has arisen as to whether the construction of an extension of 39.55sqm to existing building (cottage, 62.92sqm) at Fallsollus, Ballaghaderreen, County Roscommon is or is not development and is or is not exempted development.

I have considered this question, and I have had regard particularly to -

- (f) Sections 2, 3, 4 and 5 of the Planning and Development Act, 2000, as amended
- (g) Articles 6 and 9 of the Planning and Development Regulations, 2001, as amended
- (h) Class 1 and Class 50 of Part 1 Article 6 Schedule 2 of the Planning and Development Regulations, 2001, as amended
- (i) The record forwarded to Roscommon County Council in accordance with subsection (6)(c) of Section 5 of the Planning and Development Acts 2000 – 2011
- The planning history of the site (i) –

## AND WHEREAS I have concluded that

- a) The works are development.
- b) The construction of an extension to the rear of the existing cottage is exempted development.
- c) The proposed development individually and in combination with other plans or projects would not be likely to have a significant effect on any European site and that the requirement for AA or EIAR does not apply with respect to the current case.

Y and I recommend that a declaration to that effect should be issued to the applicant.

Jamifer Foy

Signed:

Date: 30th June 2023

Assistant Planner

See SEP addendum document

DED 575

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**Comhairle Contae Ros Comáin** Roscommon County Council



Angelika Forst & Wolfgang Langen,



Date: 26<sup>th</sup> June, 2023. Planning Reference: DED 575

 Re:
 Application for a Declaration under Section 5 of the Planning & Development Act 2000 (as amended), regarding Exempted Development.

 Development:
 To construct an extension of 39.55sq.m. to existing building (cottage, 62.92sq.m.) at Fallsollus, Ballaghaderreen, Co. Roscommon, F45 XD86.

A Chara,

I wish to acknowledge receipt of your application received on the 19<sup>th</sup> June, 2023, for a Declaration under Section 5 of the Planning & Development Act 2000 (as amended), regarding Exempted Development along with the appropriate fee in the sum of €80.00, Receipt No. L01/0/223305 dated 19<sup>th</sup> June, 2023 refers, receipt enclosed herewith.

Note: Please note your Planning Reference No. is DED 575. This should be quoted in all correspondence and telephone queries.

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Administrative Officer, Planning.









Áras an Chontae, Roscommon, Co. Roscommon.

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# **Roscommon County Council**

Application for a Declaration under Section 5 of the Planning & Development Act 2000, regarding <u>Exempted Development</u>

Name:	Angelika TORST , Wolfgang LANGEN (where the
Address:	Angelika TORST i Wolfgang LANGEN (where the Fall sollins Balla ghadertion of Co. Roscommon
Name & Address of Agent:	
Nature of Proposed Works	EXTENSION of existing Builing Cottage (62,012 gin) existing) Extension (39,55 planned) sing attachmend
Location (Townland & O.S No.)	Firs XD 86 Ballashadereen Co. Roscommen (338A) Bround Theor ()
Floor Area	ground Theor () (28P)
Height above ground level	Ca. 3m depends on the foundation
Total area of private open space remaining after completion of this development	102,012 sqm
Roofing Material (Slates, Tiles, other) (Specify)	Wood Frame Slate and
Proposed external walling (plaster, stonework, brick or other finish, giving colour)	Hemp Blocks "Hetal France dime Plastering," Damp proof
Is proposed works located at front/rear/side of existing house.	rear of Building

## **Roscommon County Council**

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Has an application been made previously for this site	
If yes give ref. number (include full details of existing extension, if any)	
Existing use of land or structure	Concrete Terrace : Kitoren (4,6 m²) will be removed
Proposed use of land or structure	Extension => Kitchan; diving room service room; extended Bectroom
Distance of proposed building line from edge of roadway	11 m
Does the proposed development involve the provision of a piped	yes for the new Kitchen and service room can be connected to the existing water supply ded kitch
water supply Does the proposed development involve the provision of sanitary facilities	•

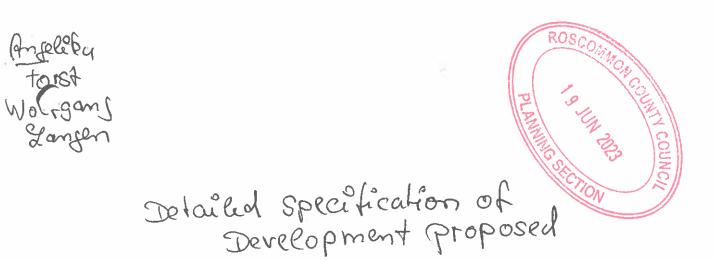
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Signature: Date:

Forst. 19/06/23

Note: This application must be accompanied by:-

- (a) €80 fee
- (b) Site Location map to a scale of 1:2500 clearly identifying the location
- (c) Site Layout plan to the scale of 1:500 indicating exact location of proposed development
- (d) Detailed specification of development proposed



Kitchen replacement old Kitchen Building removed new Kitchen as planned see plan and washing madune extended ledgoom

- dining toom



# Fallsolus, County Roscommon

Extension of Cottage

Existing ground area:			
11,61 m x 4,98 m	= 57,82 sqm		
+ 2,64 m x 2,31 m	= 5,10 sqm		
Total ground area	= 62,92 sqm		
Max. extension <	40,00 sqm		
Max. after extension	102,92 sqm		

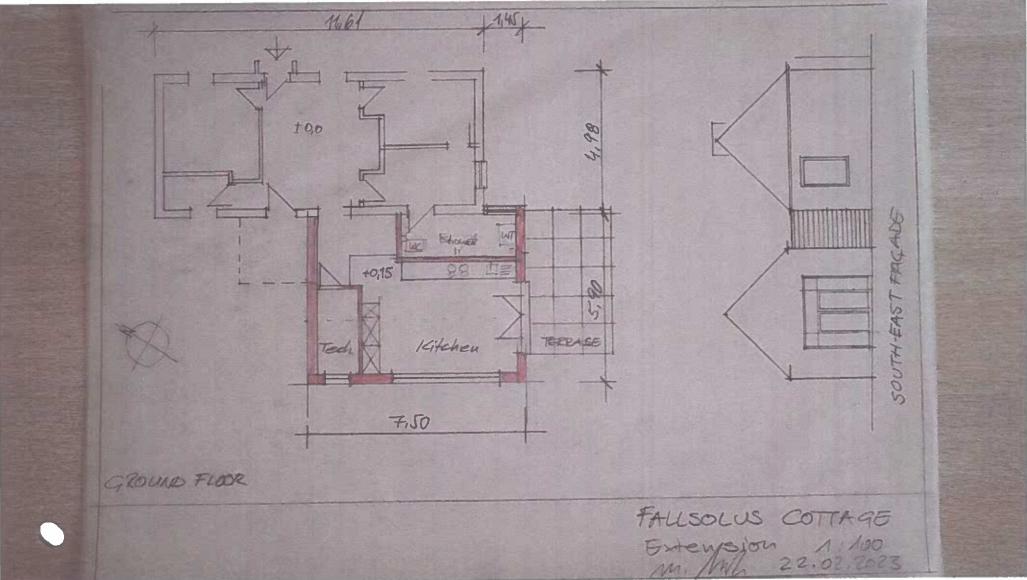
Ground area as planned:

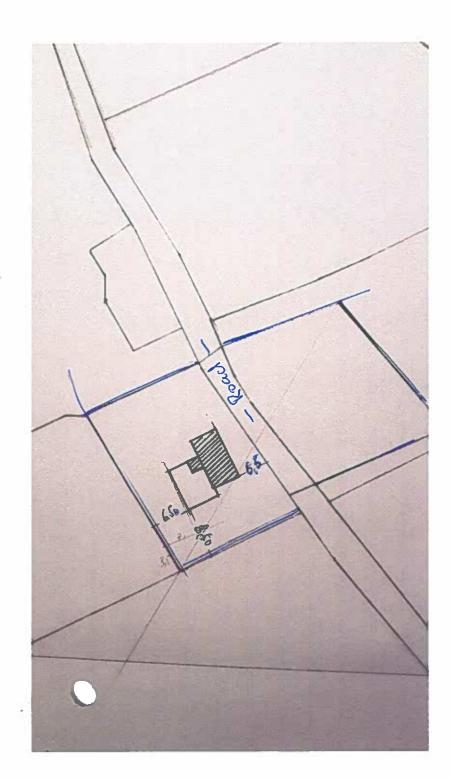
New Total ground area	=	102,47 sqm < 102,92 sq
+ 1,30 m x 0,30 m	=	<u>0,40 sqm</u>
+ 7,50 m x 5,90 m	=	44,25 sqm
11,61 m x 4,98 m	=	57,82 sqm

The planned extension (39,55 sqm ) does not exceed 40 sqm.

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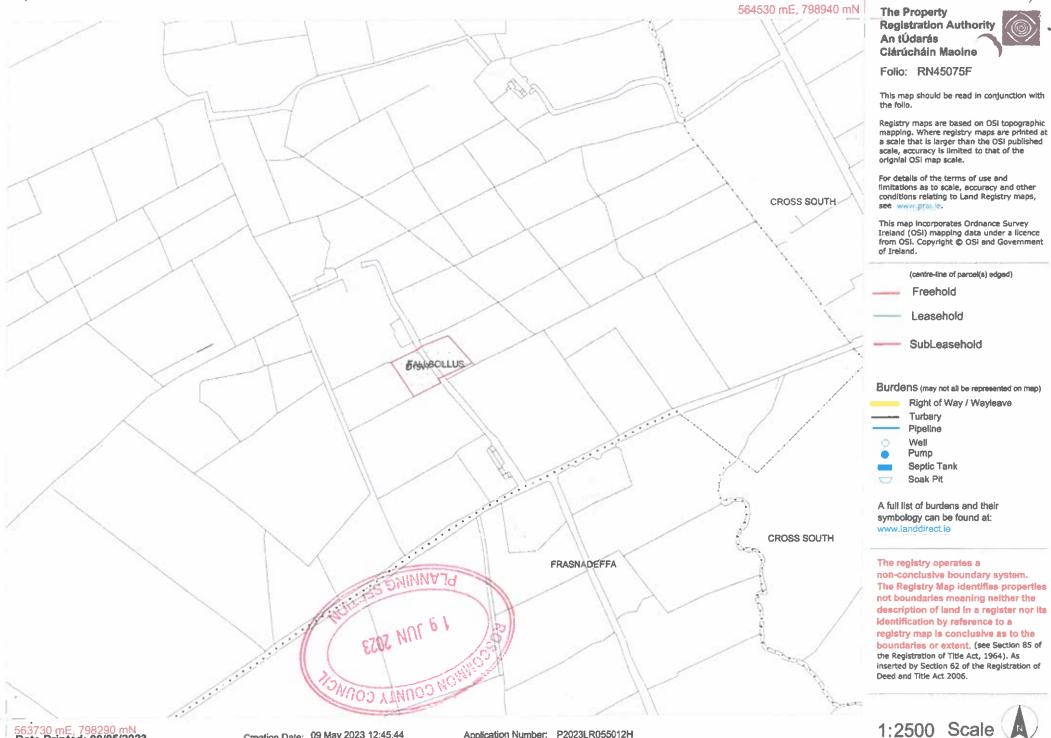








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ANGELIKA FORST & WOLFGANG LANGEN

PLANNING APPLICATION FEES 80.00 GOODS 80.00 VAT Exempt/Non-vatable DED 575

Total

80.00 EUR

Tendered Credit/Debit Card 80.00 7598

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