

**AQUACULTURE AND FORESHORE LICENSING APPLICATION FORM, for purposes
of FISHERIES (AMENDMENT) ACT, 1997 and FORESHORE ACT, 1933**

*Accompanying Guidance Notes should be read
before completing this form.*

Note: Details provided in Parts 1 and 2 will be
made available for public inspection.
Details provided in Part 3 are confidential and are
not for public disclosure.

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Application Ref. No. T12/446

Date of receipt, (Dept. of Agriculture, Fisheries & Food)



PART 1: PRELIMINARY DETAILS

Name(s) of Applicant(s) in full:

1.A DONEGAL AQUACULTURE SERVICES LTD

1.B

Address(es) of Applicant(s) in full:

1.A ROSSYLONEAW
DONEGAL TOWN
CO. DONEGAL

1.B

RSL/PPS No./CRO No:

Tel:

Fax:

1.C TYPE OF APPLICATION

Indicate the relevant type of application:

Insert X in relevant box

-(i) Aquaculture Licence

-(ii) Trial Licence

-(iii) Review of Aquaculture Licence

-(iv) Renewal of Aquaculture Licence

-(v) Foreshore Licence

(This Application Form is valid for each type of application.)

1.D TYPE OF AQUACULTURE

Indicate the relevant type of application:

-(i) Land-based

-(ii) Marine-based

-Shellfish

(iii) - extensive

(iv) - intensive

-(v) Finfish

1.E DOCUMENTS ENCLOSED WITH THIS APPLICATION

The following documents are enclosed with this application:

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

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(2) - British Admiralty Chart (largest available scale)

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(3) - Decision of planning authority under Planning Acts

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(4) - Copy of licence under Section 4 of Local Government
Water Pollution) Act, 1977

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(5) - Environmental Impact Statement

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(6) - Drawing of the structures to be used and/or the layout of the farm **OBLIGATORY**

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(7) - Water Quality Analysis Report (required for Land-based sites only)

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(8) - Application Fee **OBLIGATORY**

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(9) - Other (specify):

PART 2: DETAILS RELATING TO PROPOSED AQUACULTURE PROJECT

2.A Employment, Qualifications, Experience, Etc.

(i) Details of Applicant's qualifications and experience in aquaculture: Applicants have/
Holds NAT. CERT Aquaculture, Diploma Marine Science
Holds Business Degree, twenty five years experience.

(ii) Other relevant experience (courses attended, etc): growing oysters + clams
in Donegal Bay since 1989. One of the first farmers
to establish in the country.

(iii) Details of projected employment creation during first four years of proposed development: _____
4 fulltime

(iv) Projected employment (number of persons):

Year 1:	<u>1</u>	Year 2:	<u>2</u>	Year 3:	<u>3</u>	Year 4:	<u>4</u>
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2.B Aquaculture Site Details

Indicate type of site:

- (i) Land-based
- (ii) Marine-based

<input type="checkbox"/>
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2.C Land-Based Site

(To be completed if appropriate)

(i) State species to be farmed: _____

N/A

(ii) State proposed system of culture e.g., pond, raceway, circular tank or other method: _____

(iii) Full address of proposed site including Townland and County: _____

N/A

(iv) Tonnage to be produced:

Year 1:		Year 2:		Year 3:		Year 4:	
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(v) Proposed source of stock: _____

N/A

(vi) Name of river(s) supplying site with water: _____

(vii) Estimate drought flow in gallons per minute: _____

N/A

(viii) Is there a fall of 1.5 metres in the water level at this site or can this be obtained by damming the river without giving rise to flooding of your own or neighbour's land upstream of the site? _____

N/A

(ix) Area of proposed site (hectares): _____

N/A

(x) Details of services available on the site e.g., main road access, electricity: _____

N/A

(xi) Are there at present any possible sources of pollution upstream of the site, e.g. discharge from sewerage plant, farmyard, sheep dip facility, silage effluent, quarry, sandpit or factory?

YES ☐ NO ☐

(xii) If yes, supply details: _____

N/A

Land-based Site (continued)

2.D The following must be supplied:

- (i) Sketch of the layout of the site in relation to the river(s), road(s) and buildings;
- (ii) Water quality Analysis Report, which should be drawn up in accordance with the parameters set out in Annex C of the Guidance Notes.

2.E The following conditions must be met in order to allow for consideration of licensing of land-based aquaculture:

- (i) the buildings and equipment must be put in place to the Department's satisfaction; and
- (i) the operation must comply with Local Authority requirements.

2.F Marine-based Site(s)

(To be completed if appropriate)

Location - (i) Bay: Donegal Bay

- (ii) County: Donegal

(iii) OS Map No: 99

(iv) Size (hectares): 9

(v) Species (to be specified): Crassostrea gigas. (non native)

- Aquatic Plant(s)

- Any form of aquatic food suitable for the nutrition of fish

(vi) Method of culture (e.g., nets, ropes, tanks, trestles, etc.)

truckle + bags.

(vii) Drawings of structures to be used in method of culture should be enclosed. ✓

(viii) If cages or tanks are proposed, state:

- (a) Number: N/A

- (b) Type and shape: N/A

- (c) Cubic Capacity: N/A

- (d) Depth: N/A

(ix) Proposed specific site locations (with reasons): N/A

(x) Describe proposed purification facilities to be used, where appropriate:

N/A

Marine-based Site(s) (continued)

2.G Give details of any special requirements relating to the health of the proposed project and the wider matters of public health and safety: _____

Will be classified as sample by SFPA as per
our existing farm.

2.H Tonnage to be produced:

<u>Species</u> (To state)	<u>Year 1:</u>	<u>Year 2:</u>	<u>Year 3:</u>	<u>Year 4:</u>
<u>Crassostrea gigas</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>150t</u>	<u>150t</u>
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

2.I Reasons for selection of site(s): _____

Sheltered, hard substrate with good mix of fresh/salt
water characteristics adjacent to existing site. Able to
use existing access route for partial access.

**Note: The proposed access route to the site(s) from public road across tidal foreshore area
Must be indicated on the OS map accompanying the application.**

2.J Environmental Impact Statement (EIS).

A copy of an EIS, if required, should be enclosed with the application. The EIS should contain the information specified in Annex B of the Guidance Notes.

Appropriate assessment complete for bay and oyster farming

2.K Trial Licence.

(To be completed if appropriate)

Describe experimental or investigative nature of the proposed project: _____

[Use separate page if required – to be signed and dated]

B. MARKETING (continued)

3. Will the product be processed or packaged?

YES

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NO

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4. If yes, give details: _____

I/We hereby declare the information provided in Parts 1, 2 and 3 above to be true to the best of my/our knowledge. I/We enclose an application fee* of € _____ with this application.

Signature(s) of Applicant(s):

James H. Reid

James Reid

Date:

8 / November / 2011

*Preferred method of payment is by cheque or bank draft. The fee should be made payable to the Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food.

This form should be forwarded, with the required documents and application fee, to:

Aquaculture Licensing
Coastal Zone Management Division
Department of Agriculture, Fisheries & Food
Building C, West Cork Technology Park, Clonakilty, Co. Cork

1 NO. SITE AT DONEGAL BAY CO.DONEGAL

Co-ordinates & Area

Site T12/446A (6.072 Ha)

The area seaward of the high water mark and enclosed by a line drawn from Irish National Grid Reference point

189068, 376977 to Irish National Grid Reference point
189128, 376977 to Irish National Grid Reference point
189147, 376292 to Irish National Grid Reference point
189093, 376202 to Irish National Grid Reference point
188970, 376063 to Irish National Grid Reference point
188935, 376182 to Irish National Grid Reference point
189087, 376292 to the first mentioned point.



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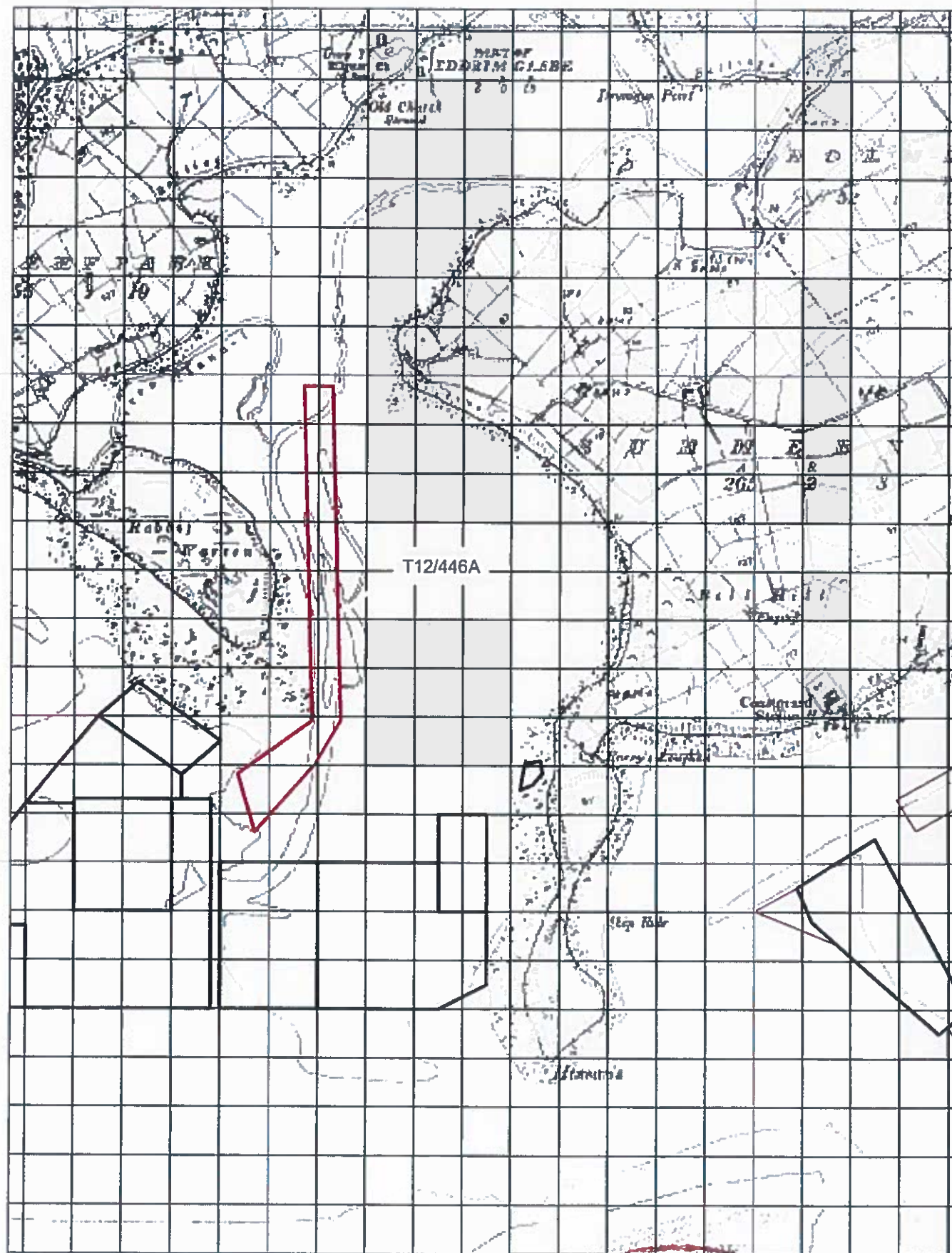
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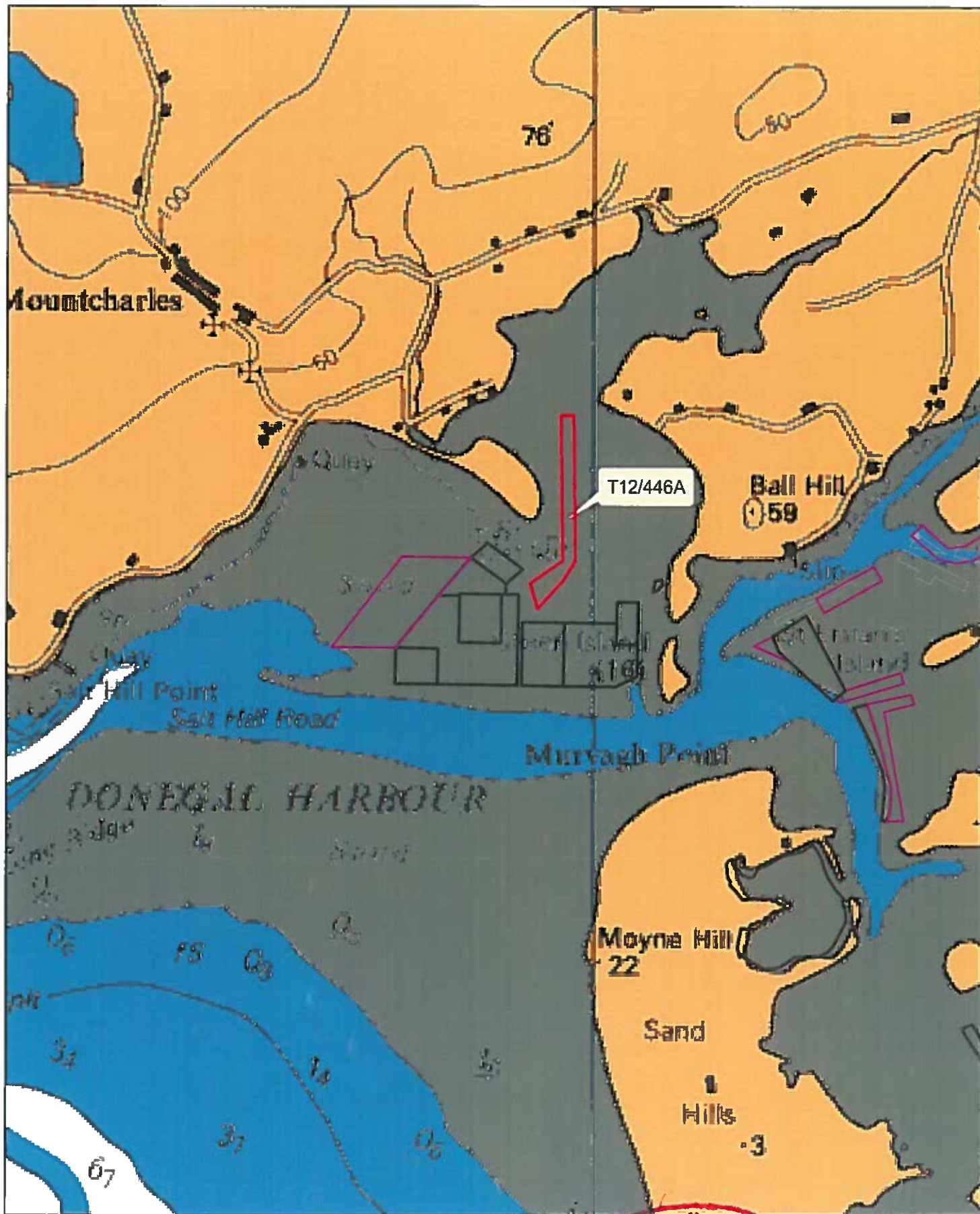
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Aqua Culture Sites Site Status

- Application
- Application Lapsed
- Application Withdrawn
- Application Withdrawn
- Licence Granted
- Licence Renewed
- Licence Suspended
- Licence Unknown
- Licence Unknown



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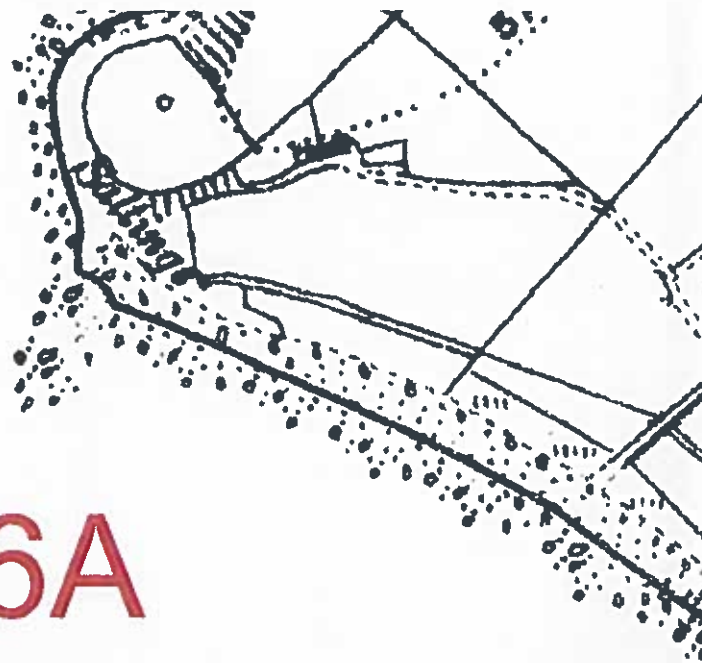
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Part of Admiralty Chart No 27024
Not to be used for Navigation.



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Aqua Culture Sites
Site Status
Application
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Application Renewal
Application Withdrawn
License Altered
License Revoked
License Surrendered
License Unknown



446A

Proposed layout of trestles

Trestles arranged in twin rows (rows 0.4m apart) and with a 4.5 m gap between twin rows for tractor access.

SCALE 1 : 2500



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STANDARD 5 BAG OYSTER TRESTLE

16&20mm twisted steel

