

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

**NB: The 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 Parts 3 and 4 and any other information supplied will not be released except as may be required by law, including the Freedom of Information Act 1997 as amended.

**USE BLOCK CAPITALS IN BLACK INK  
PLEASE**

**For Office Use**

Application Ref. No.

T10/315

Date of Receipt (Dept. Stamp):



**Type of Applicant (tick one)**

Sole Trader

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Partnership

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Company

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Co-Operative

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Other

Please specify-

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**PART 1: PRELIMINARY DETAILS**

**Applicant's Name(s) BRENDAN CALVEY**

1.

Address:

DRUMGALLAGH  
BALLYCROY  
CO. MAYO

2.

Address:

3.

Address:

4.

Address:

<b>Contact in case of enquiries (if different from above)</b>	
Contact Name	
Organisation Name (if applicable)	
Address	

### PART 1: PRELIMINARY DETAILS

<b>TYPE OF APPLICATION</b> – please indicate relevant type of application	
This Application Form is valid for each type of application - <i>See Guidance Note 3.1</i>	
(i) Aquaculture Licence	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
(ii) Trial Licence	<input type="checkbox"/>
(iii) Foreshore Licence, if Marine Based	<input type="checkbox"/>
(iv) Review of Aquaculture Licence	<input type="checkbox"/>
(v) Renewal of Aquaculture Licence	<input type="checkbox"/>

### TYPE OF AQUACULTURE

*See Guidance Note 3.2*

Indicate the relevant type of application with a tick.

#### (i) MARINE-BASED

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|--|-------------------------------------|--------------------------|
| Finfish                                  | <input type="checkbox"/>            | Go to Parts 2.1 and 2.1A |
| Shellfish <i>Subtidal</i>                | <input type="checkbox"/>            | Go to Parts 2.2 and 2.2A |
| <i>Intertidal</i>                        | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Go to Parts 2.2 and 2.2A |
| Seaweed/Aquatic Plants/Aquatic Fish Food | <input type="checkbox"/>            | Go to Parts 2.3 and 2.3A |

#### (ii) LAND-BASED

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|----------------|--------------------------|-------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| Finfish        | <input type="checkbox"/> | Shellfish         | <input type="checkbox"/> | Go to Parts 2.4 and 2.4A |
| Aquatic Plants | <input type="checkbox"/> | Aquatic Fish Food | <input type="checkbox"/> | Go to Parts 2.4 and 2.4A |

#### (iii) TRIAL LICENCE

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| <input type="checkbox"/> | Go to appropriate Parts as above and to Part 2.5. |
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## 2.2 MARINE-BASED SHELLFISH AQUACULTURE

When filling out this section refer also to 2.2A and Guidance Note 3.3 for information on Conditions and Documents required with this application type

### Proposed Site Location

- (i) Bay: ACHILL SOUND NORTH
- (ii) County: MAYO
- (iii) OS Map No: 56
- (iv) Co-ordinates of Site: (please specify coordinate reference system used e.g. Irish Grid (IG) or Irish Transverse Mercator (ITM) or Latitude/Longitude [in which case specify whether ETRS89 or WG84 etc.]

Brendan Calvey		
Site B		
Irish National Grid		
Site A = c.1.82 hectares		
	East	North
1	78600	304335
2	78697	304327
3	78737	304170
4	78589	304190

- (v) Size of Site (hectares): SITE A = C. 1.82 HECTARES

(vi) Species (common and scientific name) and whether native or non-native species: (see Guidance Notes 3.3.1)

PACIFIC OYSTERS – *CRASSOSTREA GIGAS*

(vii) Whether production will be sub-tidal or inter-tidal? INTERTIDAL

(viii) Please supply details of (a) source of seed e.g. wild hatchery and location and (b) means of collection and introduction to culture. OYSTER SEED AT SIZES 4 TO 8 MM , UP TO G7s SIZE WILL BE SOURCED FROM FRENCH HATCHERIES E.G. FRANCE NAISSAIN, SATMAR ETC, UK – SEASALTER, GUERNSEY AND IRISH HTCHERY E.G. CARTRON POINT CO. CLARE WHEN AVAILABLE IN FUTURE

NB Importation of seed into the State or movement of seed within the State requires notification to the Marine Institute as per the Fish Health Authorisation Regulations – See Guidance Notes Section 6

(ix) Method of culture (rope, trestles – intensive; bottom – extensive; other) BAG & TRESTLE

(x) Proposed number of lines/ropes/trestles as per site layout drawing  
MAXIMUM 600TRESTLES PER HECTARE

(xi) Proposed Production Tonnage: SITE A & B

Year 1	0	Year 2	0	Year 3	20	Year 4	40	Year 5	40
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(xii) (a) Please outline the reasons for site selection:

HAVE BEEN LOCATED AT THIS AREA BEFORE WITH LICENCE T10/223 . THE SITE IS SHELTERED AND HAS GOOD WATER EXCHANGE AND GOOD GROWTH

(b) If using trestles please outline the physical characteristics of the site which make it suitable for using trestles

GROUND STABLE AND SANDY WITH ACCESS FROM MY PROPERTY.

(xiii) Is it intended that the product is for direct human consumption or half grown? Please specify

BOTH

(xiv) How will the visual impact issues of the flotation devices for the proposed application be addressed?

N/A

(xv) Is the site located in Designated Shellfish Waters Area? (Refer to Guidance Note 3.3.2)

Yes ☒ No ☐

If yes give details.

S.I. no. 55 of 2009 – area ACHILL SOUND NORTH

If no outline the reasons why you believe the site suitable for the proposed aquaculture, notwithstanding its location outside Designated Shellfish Waters Area?

(xvi) Has the area been classified under Food Safety Legislation? (For Bivalve Molluscs) What is the current classification of the area for the proposed species applied for?

2013-2014 BIVALVE CLASSIFICATION FOR ACHILL SOUND NORTH AREA FOR PACIFIC OYSTERS => SAULA – CLASS 'A'; BUNNACURRY CLASS 'A'; AND DORRIEL CLASS 'B'

(xvii) Is the site located in/adjacent to a sensitive area e.g. SPA (Special Protection Area) or SAC (Special Area of Conservation) i.e. a Natura 2000 site? (Refer to Guidance Note 3.3.1- Natura 2000 sites)

NO

(xviii) Are there known sources of pollution in the vicinity e.g. sewage outfall? Yes / No  
If yes please give full details.

NO

(xix) Methods used to harvest the shellfish and details of any subsequent processing of shellfish:  
BAGS WILL BE BROUGHT ASHORE FOR GRADING AND SORTING.

(xx) Describe any proposed purification facilities to be used:

N/A

(xxi) What are the main predators of the species to be cultivated?

NONE

(xxii) Describe the method(s) which will be used to control them

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See Part 2.2A for details of documentation to be included with this application type

## **2.2A DOCUMENTATION REQUIRED FOR MARINE-BASED SHELLFISH AQUACULTURE**

(to be included separately with a Licence Application for a new site or for a renewal or review of an existing Licence)

1. **An appropriate Ordnance Survey Map (recommendation is a map to the Scale of 1:10,000/1:10,560, i.e. equivalent to a six inch map). Note: The proposed access route to the site from the public road across tidal foreshore must also be shown on the map.**
2. **Scale drawing of the structures to be used and the layout of the farm.**  
The proposed site drawings must illustrate all site structures above and below the water including mooring blocks. (recommended scales normally 1:100 for structures and 1:200 for layout ) (See Guidance Note 3.3.2)
3. **The prescribed application fee (See Guidance Note Section 4)**
4. **If the applicant is a limited Company within the meaning of the Companies Act 1963. as amended, the Certificate of Incorporation and Memorandum and Articles of Association**
5. **If the applicant is a Co-operative, the Certificate of Incorporation and Rules of the Co-operative Society**
6. **Environmental Impact Statement (if required) in certain cases- See Guidance Notes Section 3.3.1**
7. **Alien Species dossier ( where required) – See Guidance Notes Section 3.3.1**

**NOW COMPLETE PARTS 2.6, 3, 4 AND 5 PLEASE**

**TO BE FILLED IN BY ALL AQUACULTURE APPLICANTS**

(i) Please provide details of experience/qualifications of the applicant and any key personnel which are relevant to the aquaculture now proposed:

**10 YEARS EXPERIENCE IN THE PAST IN GROWING OYSTERS**

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(ii) If a new application please provide details of projected employment creation during first four years of the proposed aquaculture project:

(iii) In the case of a renewal please provide current and future details:

**INITIALLY EMPLOYMENT WILL BE 1 TO 2 PART-TIME INCREASING BY YEAR 4 TO 1 FULL TIME AND 1 PART-TIME**

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**FULLTIME JOBS**

Year 1:	0	Year 2:	0	Year 3:	1	Year 4:	1
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**PART TIME JOBS**

Year 1:	1	Year 2:	2	Year 3:	1	Year 4:	1
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## PART 5: DECLARATION AND SIGNING

**NB: Refer to Guidance Note Section 3.5 and Section 4 - Guidance on Declaration and Signing and Annual Aquaculture and Foreshore Licence Fees**

If this is a renewal/review have you met all licence conditions of the existing aquaculture licence? If applicable, explain why you have not complied with all conditions:

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I/We hereby declare the information provided in Parts 1, 2, 3 and 4 above to be true to the best of my/our knowledge. I/We enclose an application fee\* of €63.49 with this application.

Signature(s) of Applicant(s):

(Please state capacity of persons

signing on behalf of a Company/Co-op)

Brenda Calry  

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Date: 11 - 3 - 2014

**NB All persons named on this licence application must sign and date this application form.**

**Only the existing licence holder(s) can apply for the renewal/review of an Aquaculture Licence.**

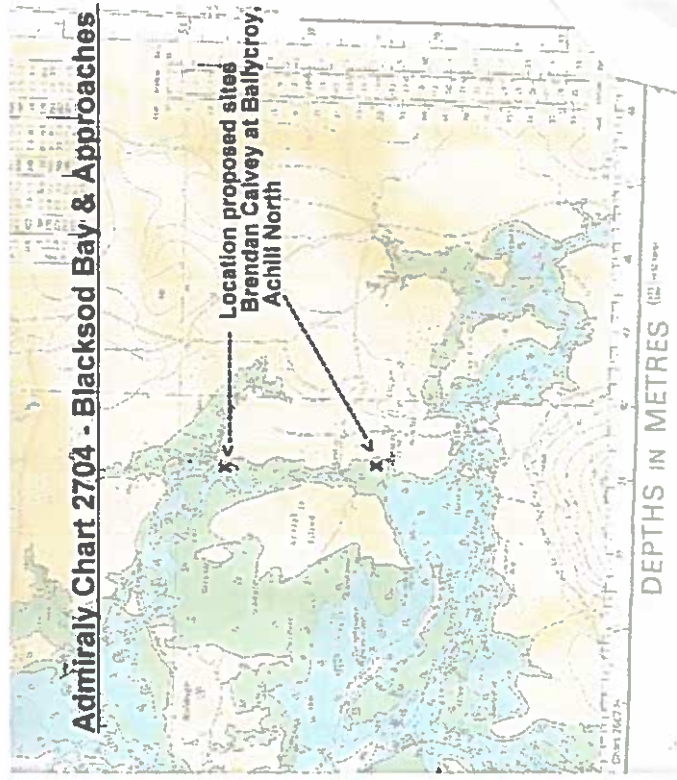
\*Preferred method of payment is by cheque or bank draft. The fee should be made payable to the Department of Agriculture, Food and the Marine.

**Refer to Guidance Note Section 4 - Guidance on Aquaculture and Foreshore Licence Fees**

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

**Aquaculture Licensing  
Aquaculture & Foreshore Management Division  
Department of Agriculture, Food and the Marine  
National Seafood Centre  
Clonakilty  
Co. Cork**



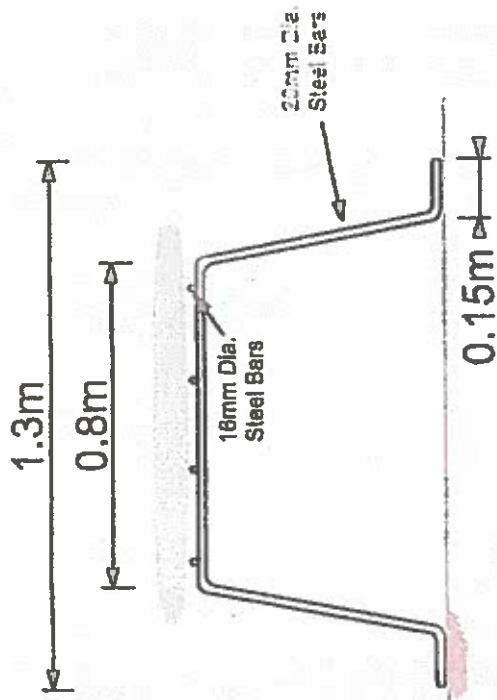


**Yellow Special Marker Poles with St. Andrews Cross.**  
The intertidal pacific oyster growing area at Ballycroy will be marked with approval of CIL and MSO and DAFM with yellow poles topped with St. Andrew's crosses, which are approximately 7 metres in height and the yellow sleeve and cross is visible 2 metres above high tide as show in attached photo.

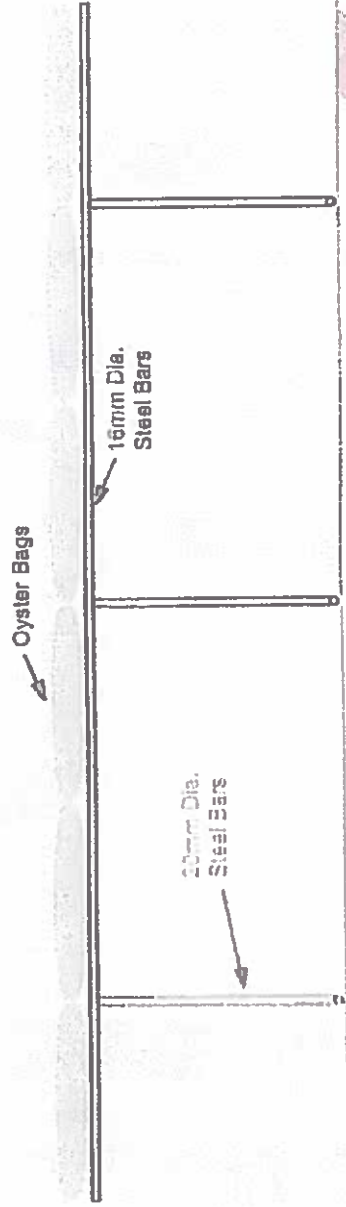
**Typical Oyster Trestle and Oyster Bags**



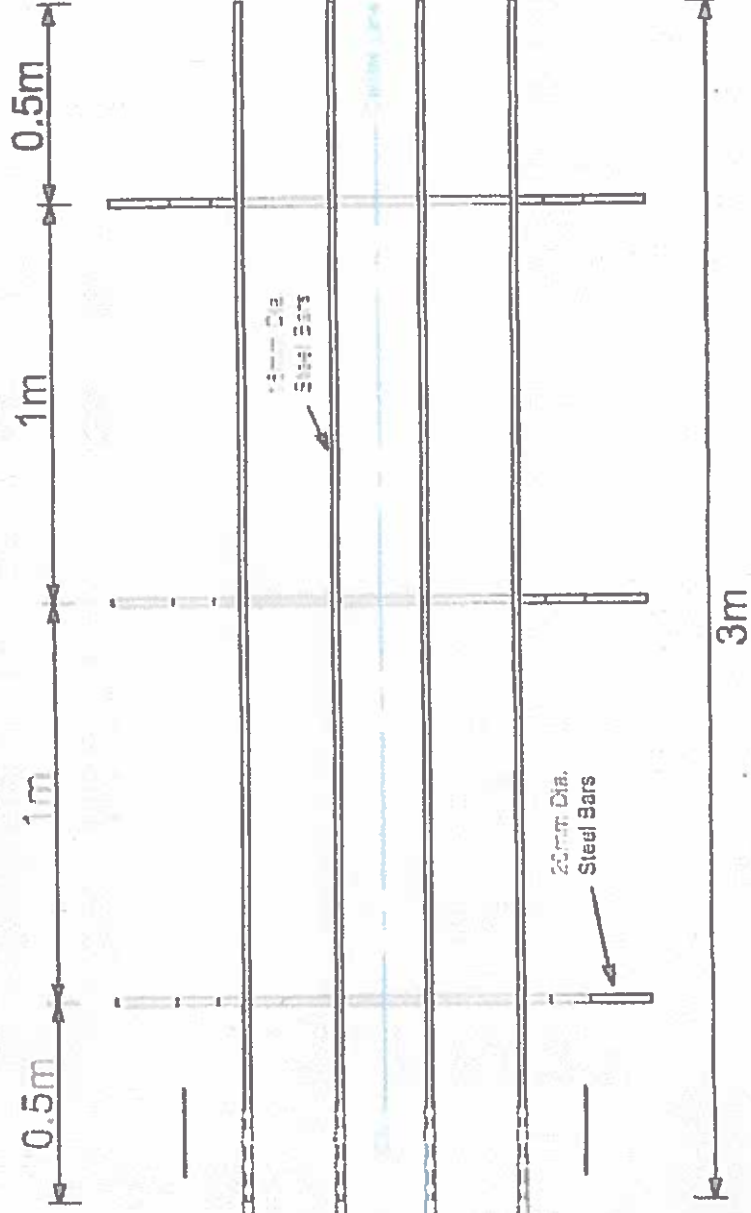




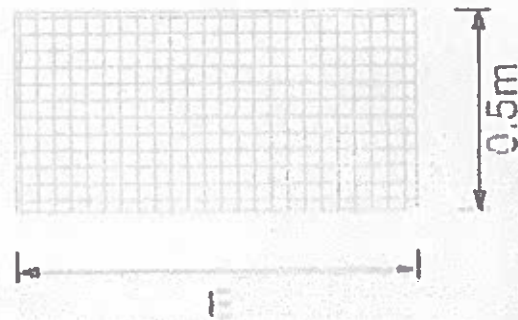
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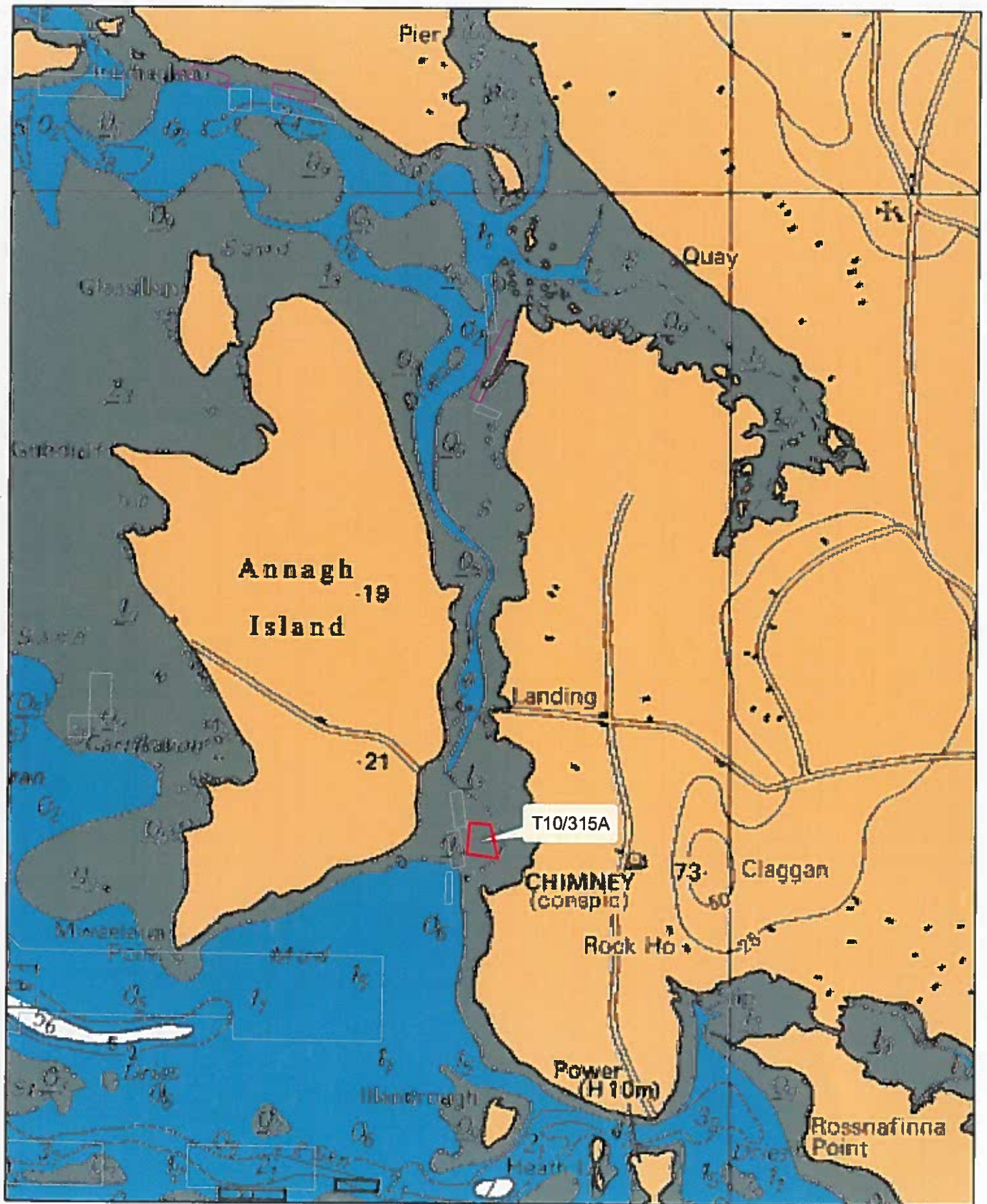
Longitudinal Section



Plan (Bags not shown for clarity)



Typical Oyster Bag



#### Aqua Culture Sites

Site Status	
Application	Red outline
Lapsed	Blue outline
Licensed	Black outline
Refused	Green outline
Renewed	Purple outline
Revoked	Orange outline
Surrendered	Grey outline

1:24,000

Sites highlighted in red denotes Application  
Part of Admiralty Chart No 2704-0  
Not to be used for Navigation



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**1 NO. SITE AT ACHILL SOUND N CO.MAYO**

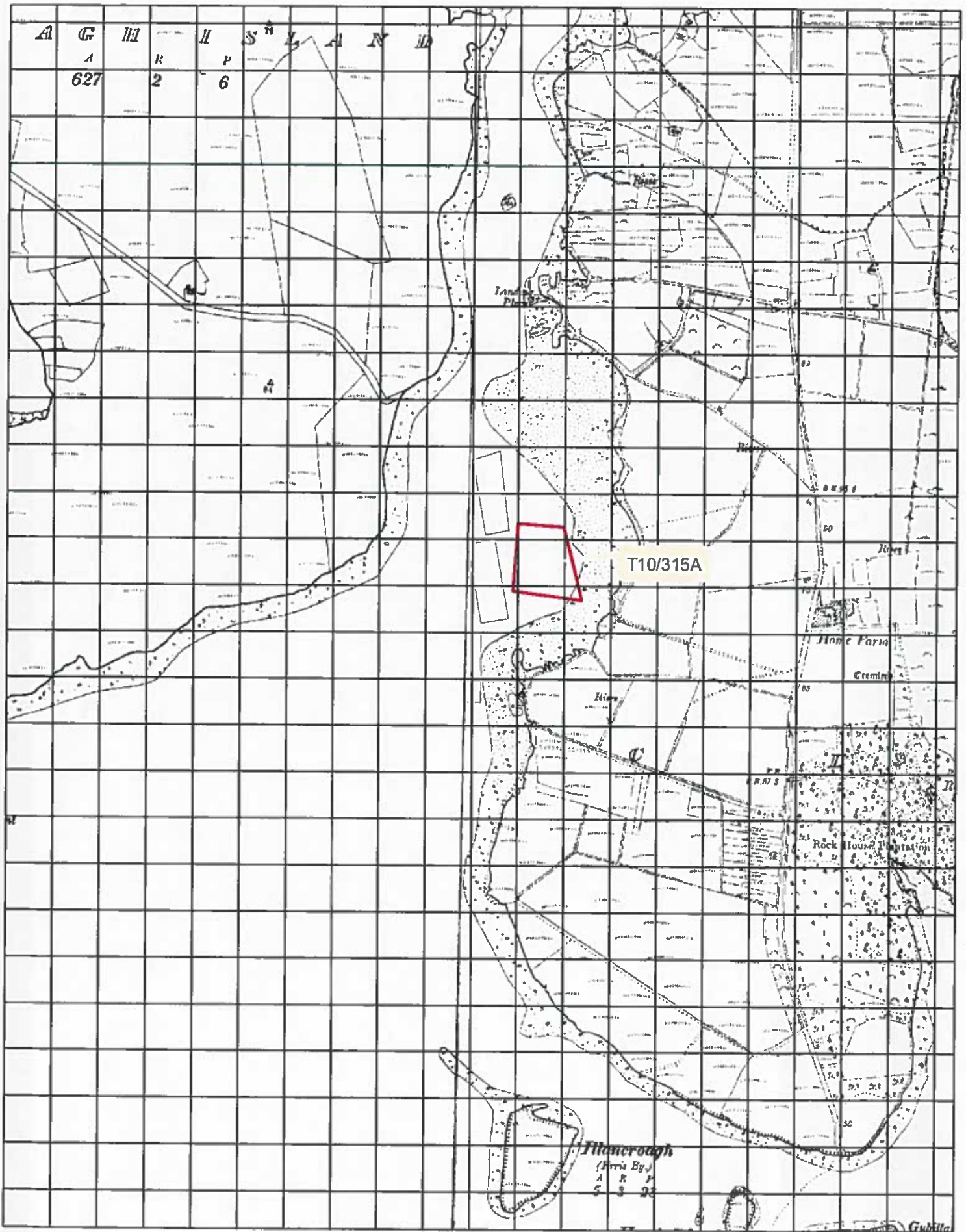
**Co-ordinates & Area**

**Site T10/315A (1.829 Ha)**

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

078600, 304335 to Irish National Grid Reference point  
078697, 304327 to Irish National Grid Reference point  
078737, 304170 to Irish National Grid Reference point  
078589, 304190 to the first mentioned point.





Aqua Culture Sites

<|| other values >

Site Status

- Application
- Lapsed
- Licensed
- Refused
- Renewal
- Revoked
- Surrendered
- Withdrawn

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Sites highlighted in red denotes Application

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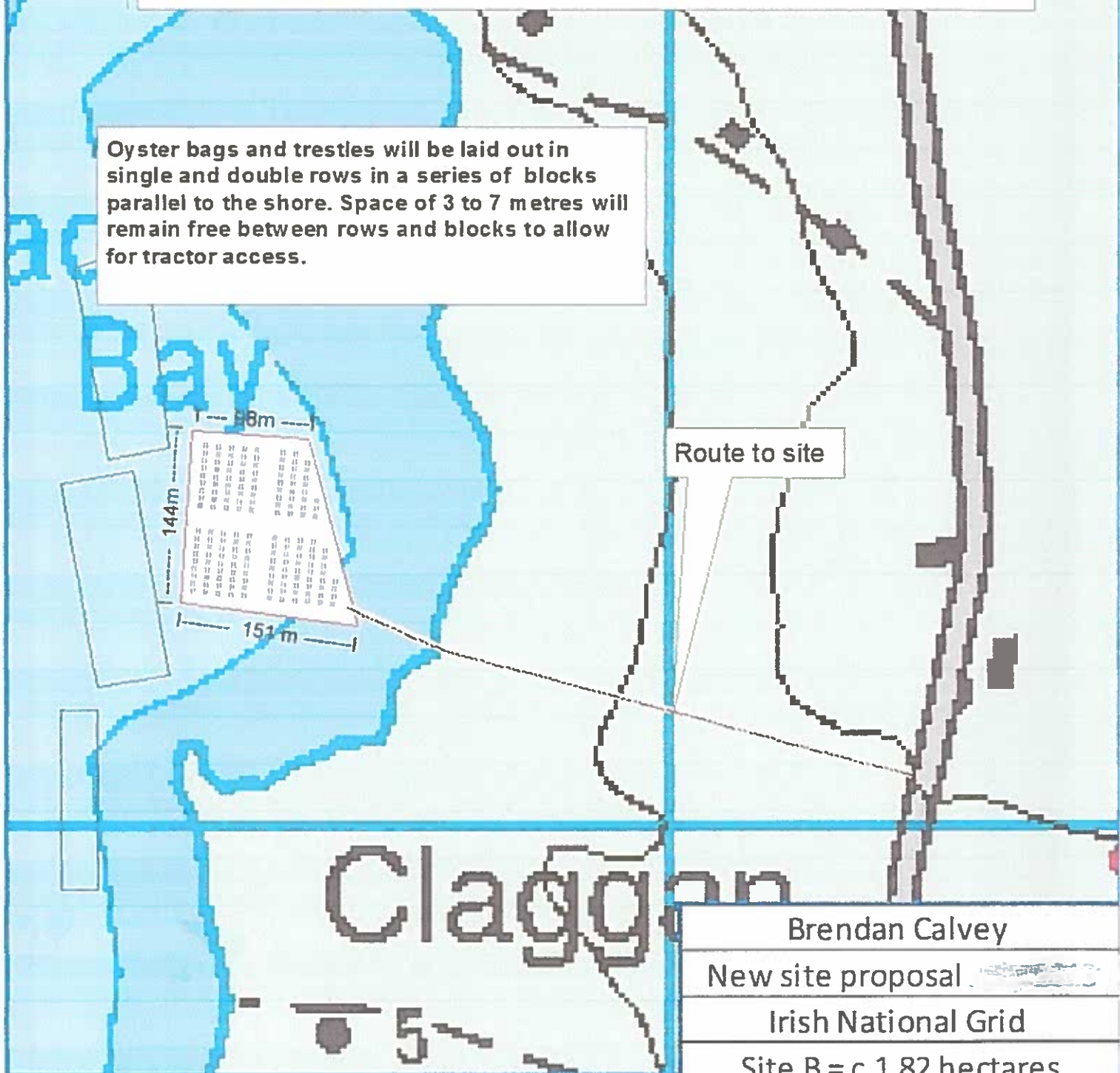


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# Site B - site layout and site coordinates Brendan Calvey at Ballycroy Co. Mayo

Oyster bags and trestles will be laid out in single and double rows in a series of blocks parallel to the shore. Space of 3 to 7 metres will remain free between rows and blocks to allow for tractor access.



1:4,575



Brendan Calvey		
New site proposal		
Irish National Grid		
Site B = c.1.82 hectares		
	East	North
1	78600	304335
2	78697	304327
3	78737	304170
4	78589	304190