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https://www.researchgate.net/publication/350856681_Population_size_breeding_success_and_habitat_use_of_Whooper_Swan_Cygnus_cygnus_and_Bewick's_Swan_Cygnus_columbianus_bewickii_in_Ireland_results_of_the_2020_International_Swan_Census

Dear Sirs,

Please find this Link to additional evidence which demonstrates the significant population of Whooper Swans in close proximity to this project.

This recent survey in 2020 shows that Co. Londonderry has the largest population of Whooper Swans in Northern Ireland with 1,478 (32%) and that Lough Foyle and Lough Beg have significant assemblages of these protected species.

The report also shows that Lough Swilly is the most important site in ROI in terms of population and that Co. Londonderry has the 3rd largest population, after Galway and Offaly.

The SES Appropriate Assessment is flawed as it failed to consider these significant populations of protected species, their flight paths and migratory routes across this wind farm and other Wind Farms.

Yours faithfully

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