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**Ervia**

**19 May, 2017**

*Public Policy Area*

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*Period*

**Energy and Natural Resources Public policy or programme 1 Jan, 2017 to 30 Apr, 2017**

*Specific Details*

*Results you intend to secure*

**Requested support for a Carbon Capture & Storage (CCS) feasibility study to help decarbonise Ireland's electricity sector to comply with EU climate change targets.**

**Government to support Ervia's feasibility study into CCS. Both CCS and hydrogen to be reflected in the upcoming National Mitigation Plan Support sought is non-financial.**

*Name of person primarily responsible for lobbying on this activity*

**Brendan Murphy, Henry Smyth**

*Is or was there any Designated Public Officials or former Designated Public Officials who carried out lobbying activities related to this return on your behalf?*

**No**

*Are you managing or directing a grass roots campaign?*

*What is the directive you gave to the grassroots campaigners?*

**No**

*Was this lobbying done on behalf of a client?*

**No**

*Lobbying activity*

**Meeting (1) DCCAE Office in Dublin. Carbon Capture & Storage feasibility study.**

*Designated public officials lobbied*

**Michael Manley**

*Assistant Secretary*

*Department of Communications, Climate Action & Environment*

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**Renewable Energy Directive Recast**

**Implement a policy which supports Biogas to provide renewable heat to c700k homes and small businesses in Ireland. The development of Biogas could in time partly provide a solution to both our Renewable Heating and Renewable Transport CO2 emission reduction targets**

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**Brian Murphy**

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**Event / Reception (1) Event held on 18th April 2017 at European Parliament Office, Dublin, hosted by Sean Kelly (MEP). Subject for discussion "Stakeholder exchange of views on the Renewable Energy Directive Recast" Invited to attend this meeting and participate in the event ( attendance, c 50 people) as an interested stakeholder.**

*Designated public officials lobbied*

**Seán Kelly**

*MEP*

*European Parliament*

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Environment

Public policy or programme

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Future Funding of Domestic Water Services

Ensure long term funding certainty for Irish Water to plan and deliver critical water and waste water infrastructure for Ireland.

Establishment of a Drinking Water Inspectorate to have one national body that makes critical determinations regarding public health.

Achieve significant water conservation in an efficient and economical manner by extending the benefits of water metering via new build development.

Build public understanding of the progress being made now and that must continue to be made in future to repair, expand and transform our water and wastewater infrastructure in the interest of the entire country.

Name of person primarily responsible for lobbying on this activity

David Kelly, Jerry Grant, Cathal Marley

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Submission (11-20)

Submissions to, appearances at, meetings and phone calls with Chair and membership of Joint Oireachtas Committee on Future Funding for Domestic Water Services

Email (100+)

Submissions to, appearances at, meetings and phone calls with Chair and membership of Joint Oireachtas Committee on Future Funding for Domestic Water Services

Phone call (100+)

Submissions to, appearances at, meetings and phone calls with Chair and membership of Joint Oireachtas Committee on Future Funding for Domestic Water Services

Meeting (11-20)

Submissions to, appearances at, meetings and phone calls with Chair and membership of Joint Oireachtas Committee on Future Funding for Domestic Water Services

Designated public officials lobbied

Colm Brophy

TD

Dáil Éireann, the Oireachtas

Mary Butler

TD

Dáil Éireann, the Oireachtas

Jim Daly

TD

Dáil Éireann, the Oireachtas

Alan Farrell

TD

Dáil Éireann, the Oireachtas

Noel Grealish

TD

Séamus Healy

TD

*Dáil Éireann, the Oireachtas*

**Paul Murphy**

*TD*

*Dáil Éireann, the Oireachtas*

**Thomas Pringle**

*TD*

*Dáil Éireann, the Oireachtas*

**Jonathan O'Brien**

*TD*

*Dáil Éireann, the Oireachtas*

**Martin Heydon**

*TD*

*Dáil Éireann, the Oireachtas*

**Willie O'Dea**

*TD*

*Dáil Éireann, the Oireachtas*

**John Lahart**

*TD*

*Dáil Éireann, the Oireachtas*

**Grace O'Sullivan**

*Senator*

*Seanad*

**Padraig O'Ceidigh**

*Senator*

*Seanad*

*Dáil Éireann, the Oireachtas*

**Jan O'Sullivan**

*TD*

*Dáil Éireann, the Oireachtas*

**Eoin O'Broin**

*TD*

*Dáil Éireann, the Oireachtas*

**Paudie Coffey**

*Senator*

*Seanad*

**Kate O'Connell**

*TD*

*Dáil Éireann, the Oireachtas*

**Barry Cowen**

*TD*

*Dáil Éireann, the Oireachtas*

**Lorraine Clifford-Lee**

*Senator*

*Seanad*

**Simon Coveney**

*Minister*

*Department of Housing, Planning and Local Government*

*Lobbyist*

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**Ervia**

**21 Sep, 2017**

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**Energy and Natural Resources Public policy or programme 1 May, 2017 to 31 Aug, 2017**

*Specific Details*

*Results you intend to secure*

**Requested support for a Carbon Capture & Storage (CCS) feasibility study to help decarbonise Ireland's electricity sector to comply with EU climate change targets.**

**Government to support Ervia's feasibility study into CCS. DCCAE to develop (with Ervia) a roadmap to assess options to retain offshore infrastructure to facilitate CCS and to consider legislative changes to facilitate CCS. Support sought is non-financial.**

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**Brendan Murphy & Henry Smyth**

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**Meeting (1)**

**Meeting held on 30th May 2017 -DCCAE Office in Dublin - Carbon Capture & Storage feasibility study.**

*Designated public officials lobbied*

**Michael Manley**

*Assistant Secretary*

*Department of Communications, Climate Action & Environment*

*Lobbyist*

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**19 Jan, 2018**

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**Energy and Natural Resources Public policy or programme 1 Sep, 2017 to 31 Dec, 2017**

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**Requested support for a Carbon Capture & Storage (CCS) feasibility study to help decarbonise Ireland's electricity sector to comply with EU climate change targets.**

**Government to support Ervia's feasibility study into CCS. Agree 2018 priorities for Kinsale gas field including further assessment of suitability of the gas field for CO2 storage and to assess the offshore infrastructure for suitability for CCS. Proposed a joint working group between Ervia and DCCAE / PAD / GSI. Ervia indicated interest in understanding the process of obtaining a licence for the gas field– with a view to developing CO2 storage. Support sought is non-financial.**

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**Brendan Murphth and Henry Smyth**

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**Meeting (1) 19th September 2017, DCCAE Office in Dublin. Carbon Capture & Storage feasibility study.**

*Designated public officials lobbied*

**Clare Morgan**

*Assistant Secretaries or Equivalent Grades*

*Department of Communications, Climate Action & Environment*

*Lobbyist*

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**Energy and Natural Resources Public policy or programme 1 Sep, 2017 to 31 Dec, 2017**

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**Carbon Capture & Storage (CCS) feasibility study to help decarbonise Ireland's electricity sector to comply with EU climate change targets. MEP awareness and support of Ervia's feasibility study into CCS.**

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**Brendan Murphy, Brian Murphy, Henry Smyth**

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**Meeting (1) Presentation on Cork CCS Feasibility Study in European Parliament - November 2017**

*Designated public officials lobbied*

**Seán Kelly**

*MEP*

*European Parliament*

*Lobbyist*

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**Public Expenditure and Reform**

**Legislation**

**1 Sep, 2017 to 31 Dec, 2017**

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**Outlining Ervia's intended response to a query from the Department of Housing, Planning and Local Government (DHPLG) on the role of the Comptroller & Auditor General (C&AG) in relation to Irish Water. Making DHPLG aware of Ervia's position on the issue of C&AG's involvement.**

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**Mike Quinn**

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**Meeting (1)**

**1. DHPLG, Customs House, December 2017**

*Designated public officials lobbied*

**Maria Graham**

*Assistant Secretary*

*Department of Environment, Community and Local Government*