SITE SYNOPSIS

SITE NAME: OWEN'S ISLAND

SITE CODE: 001071

This NHA comprises Owen's Island, a small, rocky island situated near the head of Dunmanus Bay.

The inclusion of this site is on the basis of the seabird populations it supports. In 1984 41 pairs of Common/ Arctic Tern were recorded, a figure representing 12% of the entire Co. Cork population known at the time. Black- headed Gulls have also been recorded from the site (6 individuals in 1984).

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