

Mr Sean Crowe
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Forest Service
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October 8, 2005

Your ref: AIF 57/05 Alleged illegal felling of trees at Loggan Upper, Co. Wexford

Dear Mr Crowe,

I acknowledge receipt of a letter from Aisling Kelly of your office dated September 29.

I have consulted my records and the name of the individual I have witnessed working at the Loggan Upper site is named Declan Keogh, not Declan Lynch as I previously informed you. I believe Mr Keogh purchased the site from Coillte, and I will inform you as soon as I have had the opportunity to visit the Land Registry in Waterford and confirm that this is in fact the case.

The other individual whom I have personally seen operating machinery and uprooting the trees drives a red van with the vehicle registration number 97 WW 4365 has identified himself to me as Joe Reagan.

I have on the deeds to my property a legal right of way to access and an appurtenant right to the use and enjoyment of the forest that previously included this site before Coillte sold it. I will, therefore, require the following information from you in writing:

1. The date of inspection of the site by your inspector and a copy of his findings.
2. The date of the Garda visit to the site, the names of the person or persons who visited the site, and a copy of their report.

Thank you for your attention in this matter.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Debra E. James