



To: Mr. Jim Moore
Divisional Manager
National Parks and Wildlife Service

By email

22 August 2011

Re: Unauthorised development of a fence on the foreshore on the eastern, seaward side of Broadlough.

Dear Sir,

Last week Friends of the Murrough received several reports of the unauthorised development of an industrial fence obstructing the path on the sea-side of Broadlough just outside Wicklow Town.

Please see attached photographs and map.

Not only is this fence obstructing the right of way but also we have concerns that this could also interfere with the wildlife corridors here and possibly damage the SPA and c SAC.

We spoke to the local ranger early last week and maybe this matter has already been reported however as we understand that the “construction or alteration of tracks, paths, roads, bridges, culverts or access routes” is a notifiable event we thought it might be advisable to notify you directly.

I have also attached the notice of unauthorised development that we have sent to the Council.

We would be grateful if you could keep us informed of any action on this matter.

Malcolm Spencer
Chairman Friends of the Murrough

c/o Redwoods, Killoughter, Ashford.

