

*Lobbyist*

*Date Published*

**Ervia**

**21 Sep, 2017**

*Public Policy Area*

*Relevant Matter*

*Period*

**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.**

*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)**

**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*