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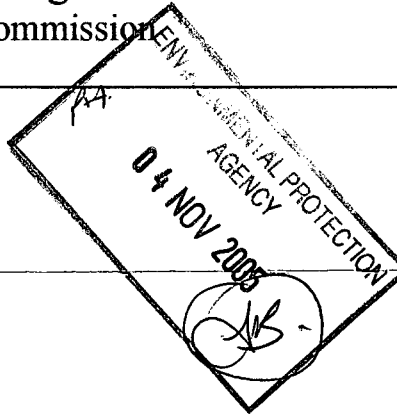


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Sub (7)

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Dear Sir/Madam,

Following our recent submission objecting to the proposed Donegal Council Landfill at Meenaboll, it has since come to our attention that the method of vermin control will include the use of poison. It would be of concern to us that these substances would penetrate local watercourses thereby impacting on the downstream *Special Area of Conservation* designation for salmon and their habitats.

In addition it is our understanding that the proposed application is for a non-hazardous licence. It is the Agency's view that there is no way of guaranteeing that waste of a hazardous nature will find its way to the site.

We would wish that these additional concerns be included with our original submission, which reinforces our view for the potential damage to the areas designation under the EU Habitats Directive and also would not comply with the aims and objectives of the Water Frame Work Directive.

Yours sincerely

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