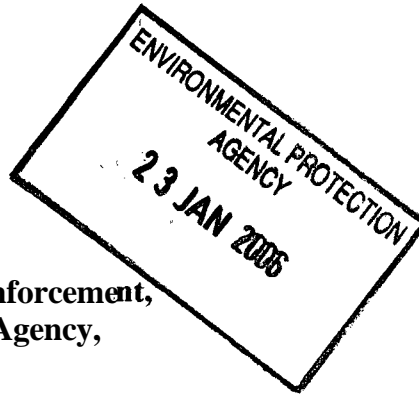


Submission No: (23) 219-1
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ARCH HALL,
WILKINSTOWN,
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Ms Mary Rotchfort.
Office of Environmental Enforcement,
Environmental Protection Agency,
P.O. Box 3000,
Johnstown Castle Estate,
Co. Wexford.

18th January 2006.

**RE: WASTE 'PRODUCT' DUMPING ON LANDS AT
ARCH HALL, WILKINSTOWN, NAVAN.**

Dear Ms Rotchfort,

I attach copy of my letter to Meath County Council of same date relating to unauthorised spreading of waste on lands surrounding my home.

Copies of MCC letters of 21st Oct 2005 and 28th September 2005, copy my email and photo of Sept 2005, copy letter March 2005 and photo Sept 2004 and copy my letter of 15th June 2005 to you also attached.

The 'product' referred to in my letter to MCC of this date has in my opinion emanated from an unauthorised development at Organic Gold Ltd., Wilkinstown to which I referred in my letter to you dated 15th June 2005.

I have also lodged a personal objection to **An Bord Pleanala** refPL.17.213657 in relation to recent MCC granting of Permission NA/50074 for process producing this 'product' at Organic Gold Ltd

Please consider this submission in your deliberations on Waste Permit and Planning Permission/ Appeal Applications relating to same and accept and support my genuine objection to the unregulated, unpoliced and uncaring behaviour of Organic Gold towards local community in carrying out the unauthorised process and dumping which they now seek approval for. Process and 'product' has not been adequately or openly described or technically or environmentally proven in any of Organic Gold Ltd. submissions and as such all Applications must be refused.

Please acknowledge.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Martin Mallon', written over the typed name.

Martin Mallon.

ARCH HALL,
WILKINSTOWN,
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CO. MEATH.

Mr. Michael Griffin.
Environment Section,
Meath County Council,
County Hall,
Navan.
Co. Meath.

18th January 2006.

RE: WASTE 'PRODUCT' DUMPING ON LANDS AT
ARCH HALL. WILKINSTOWN. NAVAN.

Dear Mr. Griffin,

I refer to yours of 21st October 2005, your ref. MG/mg 10'05/WMP 2002/26 and content thereof.

In your letter you accepted that material dumped and spread on lands to rear of my home at Wilkinstown was derived from waste that had been subjected to 'treatment' and was thus then defined as a 'product'. Please let me have details of the source of this waste and this 'product' and of the treatment as stated and clarify whether 'product' is classified agricultural, commercial or industrial.

While my opinion means little in the scale of your grand Waste Management Plan this product could in my opinion only be classified as a 'waste product' and could be nothing else.

No matter what treatment this waste may have been put through the 'product' remaining still consists of waste products of undetermined source, plastic/rubber products, glass, wood, metals etc. are all still evident and materially unchanged and whatever other chemical elements, paint/solvent particles that were present in original 'waste' also clearly remain in end 'product'.

As you would appear to have evidence to the contrary and have stated that 'product does not pose an environmental threat' I would appreciate if you would provide me with this evidence as soon as possible.

Please forward all technical documentation/test literature to support this and details of the relevant Waste Permit and Planning Permission allowing for the spreading of this 'product' including conditions relating to amounts and times of spreading, spreading areas and consequent environmental effect of spreading this 'product' along with relevant documentation/EIS detailing the effect or non effect this 'product' has on the flora, fauna and human habitation in this area.

As I understand that as all 'products' have to achieve an EC standard and be proven safe in application and use your evidence of this with regard to this 'product' would also be appreciated.

I am very concerned that the fields around my home are being used for the disposal of an untested 'waste product' and I do not want my present of future family's health put in jeopardy **as** a result of Meath County Council and Private Enterprise treating area surrounding my home as an open landfill waste site by allowing this to continue.

The dumping and spreading of this 'product' on agricultural lands is not sustainable and it is in my opinion merely a veiled thinly spread disposal of waste where entire countryside is considered as one large open dump. How many tons of waste per acre do you intend to permit and how many tons per acre can the countryside accommodate before it is entirely contaminated and incapable of supporting crops, wildlife and human habitation.

This must stop. Please address this matter by prohibiting all further 'dumping and spreading of this product' in this or any other area.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Yours sincerely,

Martin Mallon.

c.c. **North** Eastern Health Board.
EPA.

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Our Ref.: JOD/jod9'05

Environment Section

28th September, 2005

Mr. Martin Mallon
Arch Hall
Wilkinstown
Navan
Co. Meath

Dear Mr. Mallon,

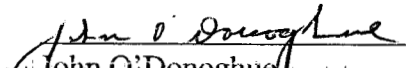
Vide our telephone conversations and your subsequent fax dated 27th September, 2005 regarding the spreading/ploughing of material on lands at Wilkinstown.

I wish to inform you that an inspection was carried out on the said lands on the 27th September, 2005.

The inspection confirmed that the material being spread is not a danger to the environment or public health.

I trust the above is of assistance to you.

Yours sincerely,


John O'Donoghue
Senior Staff Officer

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Environment Section

21st October, 2005

To:- Martin Mallon
Arch Hall
Wilkinstown
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RE: Lands @ Arch Hall, Wilkinstown, Navan, Co. Meath

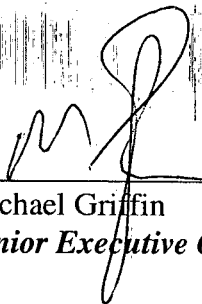
Dear Sir,

I refer to your contact with John O'Donoghue of this office, and confirm that Meath County Council has inspected the site in question.

The material is derived from waste but has been subjected to treatment and is now defined as a product. We are satisfied that the material does not pose an environmental threat.

Meath County Council and the E.P.A. are in consultation on this and associated matters and will be monitoring this situation closely.

Yours sincerely,


Michael Griffin
Senior Executive Officer

Martin Mallon

From: "Martin Mallon" <martinmallon@eircom.net>
To: <info@meathcoco.ie>
Sent: 27 September 2005 13:31
Subject: WASTE SPREADING ON LANDS AT WILKINSTOWN.

27th September 2005.

FROM: MARTIN MALLON.

TO: ENVIRONMENT SECTION,
MEATH COUNTY COUNCIL,
COUNTY HALL,
NAVAN.
CO. MEATH.

URGENT.

RE: WASTE SPREADING ON LANDS AT
ARCH HALL, WILKINSTOWN.

Further to my letter of 15th September with attached map and photograph requesting inspection of waste product dumped on lands at rear of my home and after discussion on telephone earlier today (just before lunchtime) with Mr. John O'Donoghue advising him that spreading of this waste product had just commenced this morning on these lands I respectfully request that you act immediately to prevent further spreading of this waste product until you establish that it is safe to do so and that all relevant legislation has been complied with to allow the spreading of this waste on these lands.

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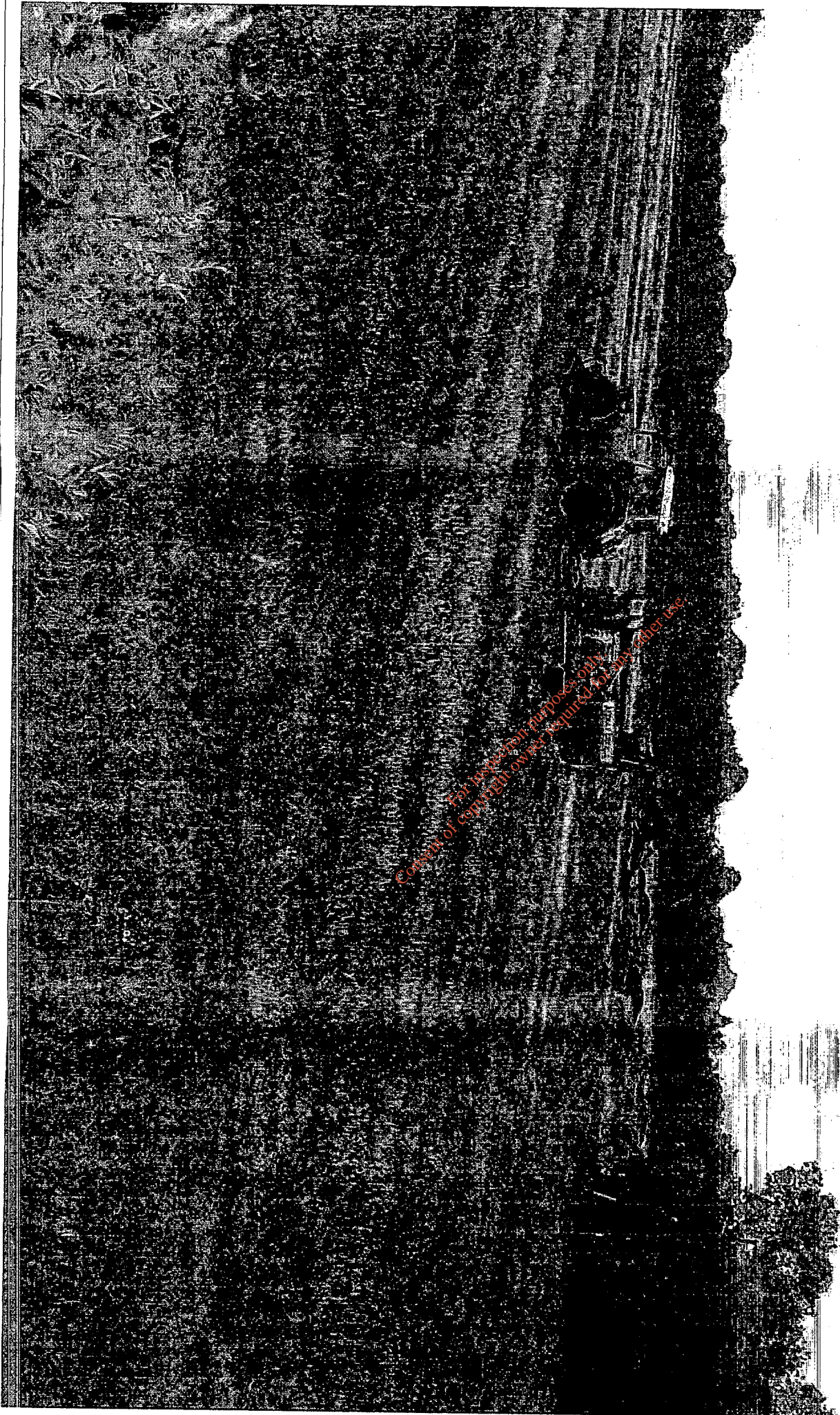
I ask you to act immediately as there will not be much point acting after product is spread

Yours sincerely,

Martin Mallon
ARCH HALL, WILKINSTOWN, NAVAN. CO. MEATH.
c.c.

An Bord Pleanála
North Eastern Health Board

27/09/2005



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Environment Section,
Meath County Council,
County Hall,
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2nd March 2005.

**RE: WASTE SPREADING ON LANDS AT
ARCH HALL, WILKINSTOWN.**

Dear Sir/Madam,

I notified your office on 14th September 2004 in relation to spreading of waste on lands at Arch Hall, Wilkinstown adjacent to my property and provided phone number and name of company! 'Brannockstown Recycling' responsible for spreading of this waste and was advised that matter would be investigated.

I understand from further phone call at that time that you had an inspector visit lands and report and that he saw no activity at time of his visit.

I requested that you contact company and find out what was being spread on these lands, what was the source and if there was a permit/licence/permission for production, transportation and spreading of this waste. I have not as yet received this information.

All these activities require documentation under current legislation and records must be maintained and made available to you under this legislation.

Please contact this company and request this information and let me know if product spread on these lands has been certified as safe for spreading on agricultural lands and that there is no health risk in any way as a result of this activity. I have a shallow well in my garden next to these lands that I am concerned about contamination of this and also any possible health risks from bioaerosols and heavy metals in this type of product.

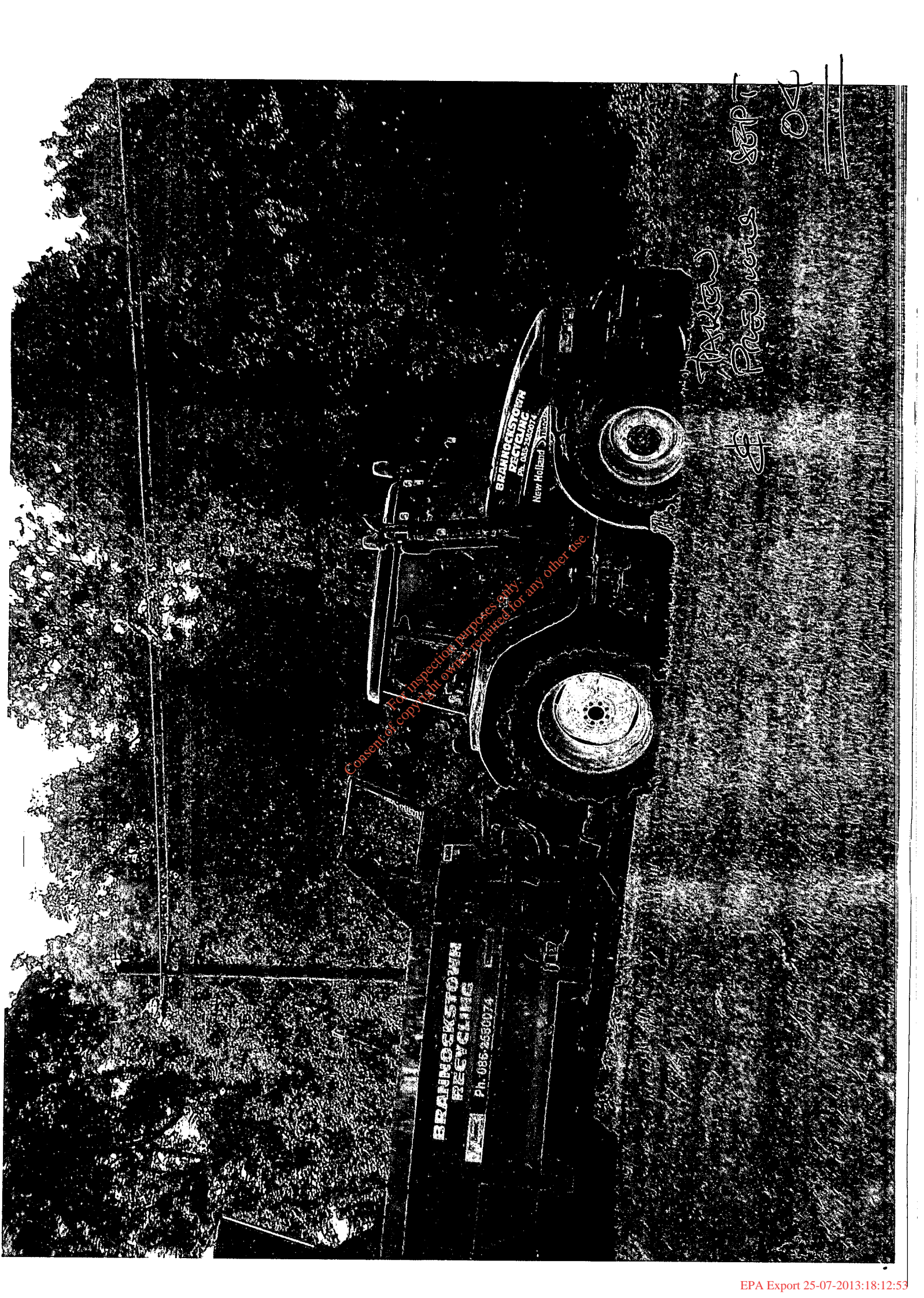
As I found it difficult to persuade your office at time that this was not ordinary agricultural slurry I have attached photographs of one of outfits spreading this product which clearly shows that it was not slurry but a compost type product that was spread. I also have a video of this activity.

These lands are owned by Mr. John Sheridan, Kilberry, Navan who should also have a record of what was spread on his lands.

Please investigate this matter and let me know your findings.

Yours sincerely,
Martin Mallon.

c.c. North Eastern Health Board.



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P.O. Box 3000,
Johnstown Castle Estate,
Co. Wexford.

15th June 2005.

RE: ORGANIC GOLD MARKETING LTD.
WILKINSTOWN, NAVAN.
PLANNING APPLICATION NA/500074
APPLICATION FOR WASTE LICENCE.

Dear Ms. Rotchfort,

under a Waste Permit from Meath County Council'

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Application appears to be an attempt to gain a Permit/Licence for new process (undefined municipal waste sewage sludge -coka cola/brewing/gypsum by-products, builders waste, household and green waste, etc. mixing and distribution) under the guise of old process or ancillary to old process. (slurry-peat moss-seaweed composting/mixing and bagging)

I have also attached copies of my objection to Planning Application and Further Information Request for you to consider with my objection to Licence/Permit application

Please acknowledge.

Yours sincerely, Martin Mallon.