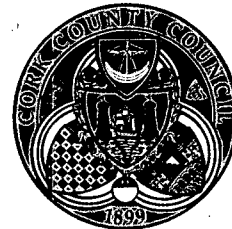


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Subject :IPPC Reg. No. P0476-02 Recordati Ireland Ltd.,Raheens east, Ringaskiddy, County  
Cork

18<sup>th</sup> October 2007

Dear Ms O'Keeffe ,

I wish to acknowledge receipt of the correspondence regarding the sanitary Authority response to Section 99 regarding a consent to discharge in relation to the above named premises.

The completed section 99 with respect to IPPC Reg No.P0476-02 is attached to this letter. Cork County Council are agreeable to discharge limits as set out in the attached Section 99 request.

Should you have any queries or clarification my contact details are supplied below

Phone no. 021-4532700

E mail [valerie.hannon@corkcoco.ie](mailto:valerie.hannon@corkcoco.ie)

Yours Sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Valerie Hannon'.

Valerie Hannon,  
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Cork County Council

Environmental  
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19 OCT 2007



## SANITARY AUTHORITY RESPONSE

**Name of Sanitary Authority:** *Cork County Council*

**Address:** *Inniscara*

*Cork*

*Attn: Mr Louis Duffy, Director of Services*

**Name of Facility:** *Recordati Ireland Limited*

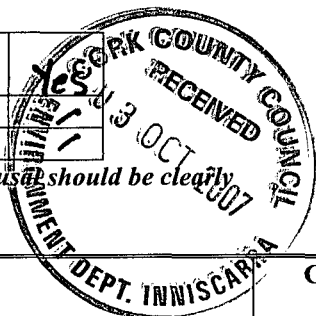
**IPC Reg. No:** *P0476-02*

**Address:** *Raheens East*

*Ringaskiddy*

*Co. Cork*

**Consent:** Indicate Yes to one of the following statements:

Consent granted subject to the consent conditions outlined below.	
Consent granted without conditions.	
Consent refused <small>Note 1</small>	

**Note 1** Where it is proposed to refuse permission the reasons for the refusal should be clearly outlined in the response.

GENERAL CONSENT CONDITIONS	Condition to be Included (Yes/No)
1. The licensee shall permit authorised persons, of the Agency and Sanitary Authority, to inspect, examine and test, at all reasonable times, any works and apparatus installed in connection with the process effluent and to take samples of the process effluent.	Yes
2. The licensee shall at no time discharge or permit to be discharged into the sewer any liquid matter or thing that is or may be liable to set or congeal at average sewer temperature or is capable of giving off any inflammable or explosive gas or any acid, alkali or other substance in sufficient concentration to cause corrosion to sewer pipes, penstock and sewer fittings or the general integrity of the sewer.	Yes

**ADDITIONAL GENERAL CONSENT CONDITIONS**  
In respect of discharges or emissions to sewers, in accordance with Section 99E  
of the Environmental Protection Agency Acts 1992 and 2003  
(Specify, if required)

The following discharge is permitted to  
sewer. However this may be subject to  
review following the implementation of the  
lower Harbour Wastewater Scheme and  
the licensing of wastewater discharges  
under SI 684 of 2007. The set concentration  
values may be subject to change in  
order to comply with Urban Wastewater  
Regulations.

# Limit Values for Process Effluent to Sewer

## Schedule B: Emission Limits

Emission point reference no: SE-1

Emission to (sewer description): Connection to Sewer @ North of Site

Volume to be emitted : Maximum in any one day : 100 m<sup>3</sup>  
Maximum rate per hour : 10 m<sup>3</sup>

Parameter (delete parameters which are not applicable)	Emission Limit Value	
	Daily Mean Concentration (mg/l)	Daily Mean Loading (kg/day)
BOD	300	30
COD	1000	100
Suspended Solids	100	10
pH	6.5-9.0.	
Temperature	30°C	
ADDITIONAL PARAMETERS (if required)		
Total Heavy Metals	1.0 mg/l (excludes Fe, Mn)	
Total Nitrogen - N	100 mg/l	
V. O. C.	1 mg/l	
Fats Oil Grease	10 mg/l	
Detergents	5 mg/l	
Total Phosphate - P	200 mg/l	
Toxicity	10 T. U.	
Sulphates	1000 mg/l	

# Frequency of Monitoring Process Effluent to Sewer

## Schedule C

Emission point reference no: SE-1

Parameter (delete parameters which are not applicable)	Monitoring Frequency (e.g. monthly, quarterly, annually)	Sample Type (grab, composite)
Flow to sewer	Continuous	—
Temperature	Continuous	—
pH	Continuous	—
BOD	Weekly	Composite
COD	3 Times / per wk.	Composite
Suspended Solids	3 Times / per wk.	Composite
ADDITIONAL PARAMETERS (if required)		
V.O.C.	Annually	Composite
Total Nitrogen	Quarterly	Composite
Total Phosphate	Quarterly	Composite
Fats oil Grease	Monthly	Composite
Detergents	Annually	Composite
Sulphates	Quarterly	Composite
Total Heavy Metals	Annually	Composite
Toxicity	within 6 months	Composite

+ every 2 years after that

Signed on behalf of Sanitary Authority: V. Hammond

A/Senior Free Scientist.

Ork Co. Council 18/10/07

annual costs of £600/year.

treatment charges are subject to levy by CCC and

may be altered upon the provision of the Water Pricing Bill Review.

## Section 99E of the Environmental Protection Agency Acts 1992 and 2003

**99E.-** (1) Where the Agency proposes to grant a licence (including a revised licence) which involves a discharge of any trade effluent or other matter (other than domestic sewage or storm water) to a sewer, it shall obtain the consent of the sanitary authority in which the sewer is vested, or by which the sewer is controlled, to such a discharge being made.

(2) Where consent is sought in accordance with subsection (1), the Agency may specify a period (which period shall not in any case be less than 4 weeks from the date on which the consent is sought) within which the consent may be granted subject to, or without, conditions or refused; any consent purporting to be granted (whether subject to or without conditions) after the expiry of that period, or any decision given purporting to refuse consent after that expiry, shall be invalid and in those circumstances the Agency may proceed to grant the licence concerned as if the requirements of subsection (1) had been satisfied.

(3) Subject to subsection (4), a consent under subsection (1) may be granted subject to or without conditions and if it is granted subject to conditions the Agency shall include in the licence or revised licence concerned conditions corresponding to them or, as the Agency may think appropriate, conditions more strict than them.

(4) The conditions that may be attached to a consent by a sanitary authority under this section are the following and no other conditions, namely conditions-

(a) relating to-

(i) the nature, composition, temperature, volume, level, rate, and location of the discharge concerned and the period during which the discharge may, or may not, be made,

(ii) the provision, operation, maintenance and supervision of meters, gauges, manholes, inspection chambers and other apparatus and other means for monitoring the nature, extent and effect of emissions,

(iii) the taking and analysis of samples, the keeping of records and furnishing of information to the sanitary authority,

(b) specifying a date not later than which any conditions attached under this section shall be complied with,

(c) relating to, providing for or specifying such other matter as may be prescribed.

(5) A sanitary authority may request the Agency to review a licence or revised licence to which this section relates-

(a) at intervals of not less than 3 years from the date on which the licence or the revised licence is granted, or

(b) at any time with the consent, or on the application, of the person making, causing or permitting the discharge, or

(c) at any time if-

(i) the sanitary authority has reasonable grounds for believing that the discharge authorised by the licence or revised licence is, or is likely to be, injurious to public health or is likely to render the waters to which the sewer concerned discharges unfit for use for domestic, commercial, industrial, fishery (including fish-farming), agricultural or recreational uses or is, or is likely to be otherwise, a serious risk to the quality of the waters,

(ii) there has been a material change in the nature or volume of the discharge,