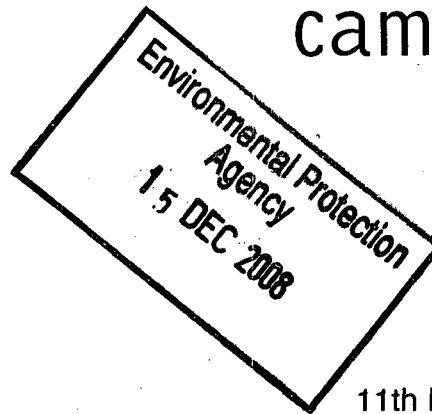


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11th December 2008.

**Re: Planning Application and Application for Waste Licence at
Scart/Caherdean, Killarney, Co. Kerry, by Kerry Recycling Facility Ltd.
Kerry County Council Planning Ref. 082415**

Dear Sirs,

We refer to the above proposed Materials Recovery Facility, located on the existing main road (N22) running from Tralee to Killarney, and an Application for a Waste Licence, probably made by now, subsequent to an advertisement in the Irish Times on 6th November 2008.

We act on behalf of Thomas Campbell and his Family, whose residence/garden are some fifty metres from the proposed development.

We consider that this industry should not, under any circumstances, be located on, or near to this scenic tourist route, and in such close proximity to numerous private residences, for planning, environmental, safety and public health reasons.

We find the EIS document accompanying the document to be cavalier, only aspirational at best, with numerous problems not even discussed, and few, if any, fully overcome.

Accordingly, we have, on behalf of Mr. & Mrs. Campbell, lodged an objection to the development, and this is but one of approximately 140 such objections, many of which are on behalf of up to 20 or 30 persons.

I understand that you have indicated that, should Kerry County Council decide to grant the application, environmental conditions will be laid down by your Agency. This being the case, it is clearly vital that you have sight of the objections already made to Kerry County Council, as all of these include observations on environmental pollution of water, air, ecology etc., as well as pollution by light, and noise, including traffic noise.



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As the Newspaper Notice does not provide for, nor is it required to invite these objections, there is no other way whereby all these, mostly rural residents, can be aware that you, and not Kerry County Council, will be making these decisions, or can make their views known to you.

Therefore, we would like to have your confirmation that the environmental aspects of all these objections will be studied, and taken into account. Otherwise, the objectors will have wasted their time, and money.

Secondly, we note from SI No 395/2004, that the advertisement stating the intention to make an Application for a Waste Licence, should be published "in a newspaper circulating in the area". We would like to point out that it seems unlikely that many people in this rural area are readers of the Irish Times and that, it is for this reason that Irish Times Planning Advertisements are not accepted by Kerry County Council, and by the other Local Planning Authorities in Kerry, among other places.

We would be glad of your comments.

Yours faithfully,


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c.c. Mr & Mrs Thomas Campbell