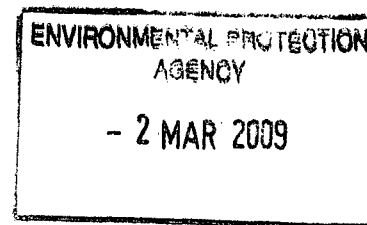


C/O Secretary , T Campbell
Scart
Farranfore
Co Kerry
26/2/2009



We , The Concerned residents of Scart Caherdean Concerned Residents Group object most strenuously to the application for a waste license by **KERRY CENTRAL RECYCLING FACILITY (PLANNING REF NO.:08/2415)** your reference W0250-01

We, have previously lodged our planning objection to this application, and have outlined our concerns, many of which relate to environmental issues. We have been disappointed to learn that that the EPA will not consider our environmental concerns, and those of the at least 140 other objectors to the Planning Authority, unless we object separately, this letter we hope will outline these concerns.

1. Location – This is a rural area and not zoned for this kind of development, which should be located in an industrially zoned area not an agricultural rural residential. The boundary of the proposed development 10-15 metres from surrounding residents' boundaries.
2. There are significant risks to local water courses and in turn water quality and the safety of our water in our wells, there will also be a significant risk of additional flooding along the Gweestin river plain.
3. We are concerned that treated waters rather than fresh waters are entering our ground water systems potentially endangering humans, flora & fauna and agriculture in the rural environment. We are concerned that we may live so close to a waste water treatment plant
4. The air quality will inevitably be affected due to dust and odorous emissions.
5. There will be a risk to flora and fauna in the area, which is adjacent to an area of special conservation (Castlemaine SAC).
6. There will be significant noise & light pollution due to 24hr. operation & heavier volumes of traffic disturbing the residents in the rural locality.
7. The visual impact on residents and commuters will be irreversible, as this is a gateway to world renowned tourist destination Killarney, which will have a negative effect on tourism industry
8. As this plant will be processing municipal waste it is inevitable that there will be insects & vermin attracted leading to health risks to the residents in the area and agricultural stock.

9. This development is directly under a flight path from Kerry airport which must raise safety concerns.

10. There was no public consultation to this proposed development, we are concerned therefore that not all citizens are aware of the proposed development.

Yours in good faith,

The Scart /Caherdean Concerned Residents Committee.

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