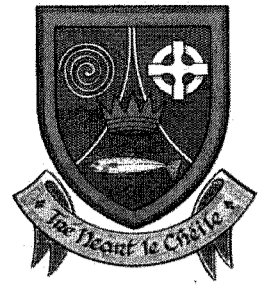


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Environment & Water Services

12th January, 2011

Re: Waste Management Permit 2006/13
Applicant: Mr Lyndon Douglas
Site Location: Windtown, Dunsany, Co. Meath

Dear Ms Cope

I refer to your recent query to this office concerning the above, and I wish to confirm to you as follows:

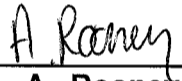
Item 1- Yes, this facility is no longer accepting waste as per site inspection carried out on 7th September, 2010.

Item 2 - Yes Meath County Council can confirm that there is sufficient quantity of topsoil stockpiled on site capable of restoring this site to beneficial use.

Item 3 - No the site is not completed in accordance with WMP 2006/13. A number of conditions need to be complied with prior to closing of this file. These include submission of final report, submission of monitoring fees and reseeded and restoration of site when weather conditions permit.

I attach a copy of the correspondence issued to Mr. Douglas on 9th September, 2010, to date no response has been received in respect of same.

Yours sincerely


A. Rooney
Asst. Staff Officer

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Mr Lyndon Douglas,
Arodstown,
Summerhill,
Co. Meath.

9th September, 2010

Environment Section

Re: Waste Management Permit WMP 2006/13
Location: Windtown, Dunsany, Co. Meath
Applicant: Lyndon Douglas.

Dear Mr Douglas

I refer to the above waste management permit and to the inspection carried out by Meath County Council on 7th September, 2010 as part of the monitoring services of permits.

From carrying out the inspection it is noted that you are in breach of the following conditions of your permit.

Condition 3.8 - Within one month of waste activities ceasing on the site, the permit holder shall submit a report to Meath County Council which shall include the information contained in the registers described above, and details of any impositions or convictions imposed under the Waste Management Act, 1996. In addition, the permit holder shall include in the report a written summary of compliance with all of the conditions attached to the permit. To date no final report has been submitted.

Condition 4.6 - Only uncontaminated soil and stone waste, which conforms to the European Waste Catalogue (2002 edition) code reference 17 05 04 (soil and stones) may be accepted at the site. Concrete waste, conforming to European Waste Catalogue code reference 17 01 01, may be accepted on the site **only** for the purposes of constructing a haul road. No other waste types shall be accepted or deposited at this facility. The permit holder shall ensure that adequate steps are taken to prevent acceptance of any other waste types.

Condition 4.8 - The permit holder shall remove immediately any waste placed on or in the vicinity of the site other than in accordance with the requirements of the permit. If such waste is discovered it shall be taken to a facility with a waste licence or waste permit authorising acceptance of such waste. To date you have failed to remove unauthorised waste of site; this includes all bituminous waste, plastic piping and bits of metal observed during my inspection.

Condition 5.2-The permit holder shall maintain a clear buffer zone of minimum width 5m upon which no waste material shall be deposited around all perimeter boundaries of the site adjacent to watercourses. As permit holder you have failed to maintain buffer zones of 5m at site boundaries adjacent to water courses.

Condition 8.1 - The Permit holder shall pay an annual contribution of €1,820.00 to Meath County Council, or such sum as the Council from time to time determines, towards the costs incurred by the Council of monitoring the activity, to the extent that it considers necessary for the performance of its duties under the Waste Management Act, 1996. As permit holder you have failed to submit monitoring fees for 2009 & 2010.

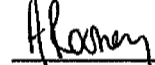
In order to rectify the situation, you as permit holder are required to carry out the following actions:

- 1) Cease accepting all types of waste at his facility. Waste activities expired at this facility on July 3, 2010 and therefore no further waste is permitted at this site.
- 2) Commence restoration works on site to be completed within **3 months** of receipt of this letter and notify Meath County Council when works are completed in order to carry out a final inspection.
- 3) Remove all unauthorised bituminous waste, plastics and piping dispersed in loads of waste held on site which were seen on inspection on 7th September, 2010 to an authorised facility and submit receipts for all waste removed of site to an appropriate facility –within **14 days**
- 4) Submit final report within **21 days** of receipt of this letter. The Permit holder must state in the final report when waste activities commenced, when waste ceased on site together with the total quantity of waste recovered on site for the duration of the permit and confirmation that permit holder has complied in full with the WMP 2006/13
- 5) Submit monitoring fees outstanding on file as required by condition 8.1 of the waste permit –within **14 days**.

Meath County Council cannot refund bond of €5,000 until such time as all restoration works are complete on site in accordance with permit WMP 2006/13.

Please be advised that failure to comply with the conditions of a permit is an offence under the waste management acts 1996-2010 and may lead to prosecution.

Yours sincerely



A. Rooney
Asst. Staff Officer

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