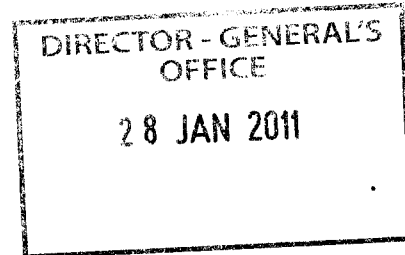


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24th January 2010

RE: Appeal for refund of submissions fees for W0077-04 & W0248-01

Dear Sir/Madam,

This appeal has been prepared on behalf of the Cavan Better Waste Management Group, c/o Peter Sexton, Killygoan, Cavan, Co. Cavan.

We would respectfully ask the board to refund the total submission fees of €400 that we paid on the appeals of the licences listed above.

We feel that the fees for submissions is excessive, a large number of local residents would have liked to submit their opinions individually but have not been able to afford the fees. Our group as you may know is made up entirely of volunteers and we have been working tirelessly over the past ten years to highlight the problems of Corranure. This has necessitated in us having to take a lot of time off work all unpaid as well as countless hours of our family time which we have had to sacrifice in order to act as a watchdog for the local community.

We have very little in terms of funds; anything we have has been self-raised. We refuse to employ any so called outside experts as we feel they could never represent or articulate our feelings on Corranure. This has placed us at a huge disadvantage to Cavan County Council & Oxigen Environmental who appears to have limitless funds at their disposal to hire these experts. We feel they have an unfair advantage because of this and we ask the board to consider our request for the refund of the submission fees of €400.

Yours Sincerely,

Peter Sexton