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**To:** Licensing Staff  
**Subject:** Submission Re: DAS application by Dublin Port Company

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I am writing to express my anger and distress at the proposed dumping of ten million tons of silt and sand into Dublin Bay, just off the Baily lighthouse.

The Bull Island is an internationally recognised wildlife reserve. The potential destructive impact of 10 million tons containing heavy metal deposits and hydrogen sulphide is all but too imaginable!!!

If this goes ahead what will be the impact on the flora, fauna and wildlife of the Bull, not to mention the surrounding waters?

We have worked hard to achieve the blue flag in the swimming areas. The beach in Dollymount has long been a favourite swimming area for the local community, the people of Dublin and tourists. With the currents are we to take on face value that this beautiful and historic amenity will be left untouched and unaffected. I fear not.

I am also aware that this proposal was put forward in August. Why then...when so many people are away and may not be made aware of this proposal until after the event?

It is not so long ago that the local community had to fight to save the 52 acres. One could be forgiven for feeling slightly paranoid and under siege in having to defend our coastline! I am not against progress or the development of Dublin port and bay but am totally against it's destruction in the process!

I appreciate your taking the time to read this letter and hope you will give my concerns some consideration.

Yours sincerely,  
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