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Sent: 31 August 2015 10:26
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Regards,
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Re: Dumping in Dublin Bay, Dublin Port Company

To EPA, info@epa.ie

I strongly object to the Dublin Port Company plans to dump over 6.9 million cubic meters of silt and mud from the Liffey Channel way into Dublin Bay.

I am an active scuba diver and part of a local diving club, diving around Sandycove, Dalkey Island and the Muglins on a weekly basis.

I understand that Rockabill to Dalkey Island is a designated protected area (Special Area of Conservation (SAC)), set up to protect the marine environment. Allowing Dublin Port Company to dump this volume of dredged material will choke and kill all sea life in the immediate area and have a detrimental effect for miles around. I do not believe these actions are compatible with the needs of the Special Area of Conservation (SAC). I believe the EPA is the body charged with protecting and enforcing compliance of this protected area.

Regards,

David Bannon

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