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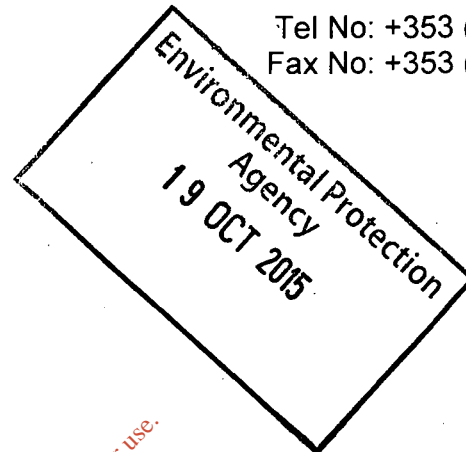
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15 October 2015

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Re: Application for an Industrial Emissions License.

Class and Nature of Activity: 6.1

The rearing of poultry in installations where the capacity exceeds 40,000 places.

Applicant: Mr Patrick McGuirk

Location of Facility: Drumselt, Newbliss, County Monaghan.

Ref. No: P0999-01

EHIS Ref: 0231

Dear Ms Leacy,

Please find enclosed the Health Service Executive consultation report in relation to the above application.

If you have any queries regarding the report, the initial contact is Ms. Claire O'Dwyer, Principal Environmental Health Officer.

The following HSE departments were made aware of the consultation request for the above application on 24 September 2015:

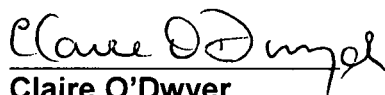
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The Environmental Health service response to the application is in the attached consultation report.

- The assessment is based on an assessment of documentation submitted to this office.
- A site visit was conducted on 6/10/14 after receipt of the application.
- Environmental Health was not included at the Screening / Scoping stage of this application.
- All commitments to future actions including mitigation and further testing have been taken as read and all data results have been accepted as accurate.
- No additional investigations / measurements were undertaken.
- This report refers only to those sections of the documents which are relevant to the HSE.

All correspondence or any queries with regard to this report including acknowledgement of this report should be forwarded to Ms. Claire O'Dwyer, Principal Environmental Health Officer.

Yours sincerely,



Claire O'Dwyer
Principal Environmental Health Officer



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Dear Claire,

I refer to the submission of an application for an Industrial Emissions License to the EPA for poultry production units from Mr Patrick McGuirk, Drumselt, Newbliss, County Monaghan. The application for these units was submitted to the EPA on the 03 September 2014. The Environmental Health Service conducted a site visit on 06 October 2014 and submitted a report on this license application to the EPA on the 09 October 2014.

The existing farm is currently operating as a 70,000 bird farm in two poultry houses. The poultry farming activities carried out for 20 years are the only agricultural activities carried out on these lands by the applicant. No construction is associated with this application and no increase in production is proposed as a result of this application. Subsequently, an EIS has been submitted to the EPA as part of this application on the 26 August 2015. Following review of this EIS, the Environmental Health Service has no further comments other than those already submitted in the report of 09 October 2014.

Yours faithfully,

Irene McCabe

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Environmental Health Officer