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By E-Mail

**Submission in relation to Carcur Landfill Application,
Wexford Co. Co. Reference Number H0002-01**

Dear Sirs,

We refer to Carcur Landfill in County Wexford, Registration Number H0002-01. We will send our full submission, including Appendices via our "We Transfer" account, to accompany this letter.

An Bórd Pleanála have just (December 14th 2015) upheld a grant of Planning Permission to Faythe Harriers Hurling and Camogie Club, ABP Reference PL 26.244574, P.A. Reference 20141003, in circumstances that raise serious public concerns, mainly in relation to the extensive historic landfill at Carcur. ABP was presented with various reports by both Malone O' Regan and ourselves, in relation to the landfill that are hugely at odds with each other. We identified the serious anomalies as part of our submission to ABP, dated October 16th 2015.

Essentially, there are three reports:-

- Malone O' Regan Consulting Engineers Report for Roadstone Provinces Ltd, "Infrastructure at Carcur-Park, Wexford", October 2003.
- Feehily Timoney Report for Wexford Co. Co. "Carcur Closed Landfill Site – Application to EPA for Certificate of Authorisation, February 2011
- Malone O' Regan Natura Impact Statement for Faythe Harriers Hurling and Camogie Club, August 2015.

At this point, we are only submitting some extracts from the Malone O' Regan Natura Impact Statement. We will seek to obtain a full copy for EPA as we only have one copy.

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In our submission to ABP, we have pointed out that the new road at Carcur / Park, which is the actual access road to the proposed development and which has been constructed over the landfill, has not obtained the required Certificate of Authorisation from EPA and thus, in our view, may constitute unauthorised development.

It is difficult to understand how ABP appear to have ignored the hugely contrasting Malone O' Regan reports, particularly as the Feehily Timoney Report backs up the October 2003 Malone O' Regan report, both of which identify serious concerns with regard to the Carcur landfill that have not been adequately, if at all addressed. ABP has also wilfully failed to take into account that fact that the access road to the proposed development is unauthorised.

We would be grateful if EPA would treat the information we now submit, as a submission in response to Wexford Co. Co.'s Application for Certificate of Authorisation No. H0002-01.

Sincerely,

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Enclosures / Attachments:

- 1] Submission of Seamus Maye (SFM) to An Bórd Pleanála, October 16th 2015.
- 2] Appendices 1-6 to above submission.
- 3] ABP Decision, December 14th 2015.
- 4] Extracts from Malone O' Regan Natura Impact Statement, August 2015 (full report to be submitted).
- 5] EPA has a copy of Feehily Timoney report referred to above (part of Wexford Co. Co.'s application).