

Submission No. 4



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RE: Environmental Licence Application: Little Island Stream BioEnergy Limited

Type of Facility: Proposed renewable bioenergy plant

As a near neighbour of this proposed facility we appreciate and welcome the environmental benefits and deliverables that a facility of this nature can provide, including the reduction of biodegradable material in landfill, contributing towards achieving national recycling targets and role played in reducing the country's reliance on fossil fuels along with many others.

However we would like to flag some areas of potential concern. Pfizer Little Island is a site with an exemplary record with respect to odour control and is concerned that there is a potential for odours to be generated while biodegradable material is being delivered to and dropped at the new bioenergy facility. This may result in firstly complaints and secondly odours which may enter the Pfizer Facility and cause disruption and nuisance to our business given the close proximity of the Stream Bioenergy facility.

The odour assessment completed as part of the EIS (Chapter 8) determined that there were no significant contributory sources to odour in the immediate vicinity of the application area presented, supporting the Pfizer Little Island concern in relation to the current air quality in the area.

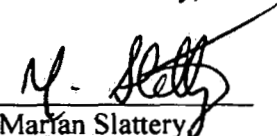
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While the new bioenergy facility has been designed to eliminate or minimise the risk of environmental nuisance including odours, noise, litter, vermin and pests, we would appreciate it if particular focus be given to controls in relation to the following:

- Control of fugitive odour emissions and the procedures that will be taken to ensure the building is sealed;
- Monitoring procedures and frequencies for odour ; and
- Response procedure to odour incidents and protocol for liaising with neighbouring properties.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. If you have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours Sincerely,



Marian Slattery
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