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From: sophie spalding
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To: Licensing Staff

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To whom it may concern:

I wish to object to Dublin Port Company's application for a Dumping At Sea Licence at Burford Bank (Ref # 50024-01).

Burford Bank is in a Special Area of Conservation and all of Dublin Bay is now a UNESCO Biosphere. Dumping 10 million tonnes of dredged up material, some of it contaminated with heavy metals, is utterly and totally incompatible with these designations. Dublin Port Company's offer to monitor the dispersal of materials is extremely cold comfort and will be of no use whatsoever to the creatures who make their home in the Biosphere, including the birds, seals and harbour porpoise.

Sincerely,

Sophie Spalding Raheny resident

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