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A Chara,

Your correspondence of 12<sup>th</sup> November has been forwarded for attention.

*Kind regards*

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**Reference; Licence Number P0516-04**

Dear Sir / Madam,

I wish to object to the application by Tara Mines for a renewal of its IPC Licence.

Tara Mines state in their application that Nevinstown is currently been mined.

This is not the case, as Nevinstown does not have planning permission.

Yet the EPA are been asked by Tara Mines to grant it a new IPC Licence for the extraction of ore from Nevinstown, with 55% of its tailings going to Stage 6 Tailings Dump.

Can the EPA grant a licence for a facility that has not got planning permission ? or would granting a licence invite the prospect of a challenge in the courts ?

I object to the granting of a licence as no planning exists for part of the application. **Tara Mines need to withdraw their application until planning is granted or lodge a seperate application for an IPC licence for Nevinstown.**

Sincerely,

Fiacra O Cinneide, Bsc(Hons)Env.

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