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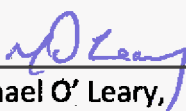
Dear Sir/ Madam,

I refer to your correspondence dated 28 February 2019 regarding an application from MSD International GmbH t/a MSD Ireland (Biotech Dublin) for an installation located at Drynam Road, Swords, Dublin, K67P263 for an Industrial Emissions licence.

Please find attached Irish Water's consent to discharge to sewer subject to the consent conditions attached.

If you have any further query please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely

  
Michael O'Leary,  
Authorised Signatory



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## IRISH WATER RESPONSE

Irish Water  
Colvill House  
24/26 Talbot Street  
Dublin 1

**Name of Facility:** MSD International GmbH t/a MSD Ireland (Biotech Dublin)  
**Reg. No:** P1106-01

**Location Address:** Drynam Road, Swords, Dublin

Consent granted subject to the consent conditions outlined below.	Yes
Consent granted without conditions.	N/A
Consent refused <sup>Note 1</sup> .	N/A

Indicate either "Yes" or "No" to the request to include the condition(s) below in the licence as follows:

GENERAL CONSENT CONDITIONS	Condition to be Included (Yes/No)
1. Other than the trade effluent authorised to be discharged under this licence, the licensee shall at no time discharge or cause or permit to discharge into sewer trade effluent or any other matter unless authorised in writing by Irish Water.	Yes
2. Monitoring and analysis equipment shall be installed, operated and maintained as necessary, so that all monitoring accurately reflects the emission/discharge.	Yes
3. The licensee shall carry out such sampling, analyses, measurements, examinations, maintenance and calibrations as set out below and as in accordance with <i>Schedule C: Control &amp; Monitoring</i> , of this licence. (i) Sampling and analysis shall be undertaken by competent staff in accordance with documented operating procedures. (ii) Such procedures shall be subject to a programme of Analytical Quality Control using appropriate control standards with evaluation of test responses. (iii) Where any analysis is sub-contracted it shall be outsourced to a competent laboratory.	Yes
4. The licensee shall ensure that any trade effluent generated from canteen activities shall pass through appropriate grease removal equipment prior to discharge to sewer.	Yes
5. The licensee shall maintain and implement a detailed programme for maintenance of all plant and equipment based on the instructions issued by the manufacturer/supplier or installer of the equipment or as otherwise approved in writing by IW.	Yes
6. A summary report of volumes of trade effluent and other matter discharged to the sewer along with monitoring and analysis data as specified in <i>Schedule B: Emission Limits to Sewer</i> and <i>Schedule C: Control &amp; Monitoring</i> , of this licence shall be forwarded to both Irish Water and the Local Authority in a manner and timeframe as may be specified by Irish Water.	Yes
7. The licensee shall <b>prepare, maintain and implement</b> (text highlighted in black bold for new licence only) / <b>maintain and implement</b> (text highlighted in green bold for reviews) a Schedule of Environmental Objectives and Targets. The Schedule shall, as a minimum, provide for a review of all operations and processes, including	No

<p>an evaluation of practicable options, for energy and resource efficiency, the use of cleaner technology, cleaner production and the prevention, reduction and minimisation of waste and shall include waste reduction targets, reduction and diversion of storm water runoff to sewer. The Schedule shall include time frames for the achievement of set targets and shall address a five-year period as a minimum. The schedule shall be reviewed annually and submitted to Irish Water as requested.</p>	
<p>8. The licensee shall pay to Irish Water such sum as may be determined from time to time, having regard to the variations in the cost of providing drainage and the variation in effluent reception and treatment costs. Payment is to be made on demand from Irish Water.</p>	Yes
<p>9. Silt Traps and Oil Separators The Licensee shall, within six months of date of grant of this licence, install and maintain silt traps and oil separators at the Facility:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) Silt traps to ensure that all storm water discharges, other than from roofs, from the facility pass through a silt trap in advance of discharge;</li> <li>(ii) An oil separator on the storm water discharge from yard areas. The separator shall be a Class I Class II full retention/by-pass separator. &lt;&lt;EPA to select as appropriate&gt;&gt;</li> <li>(iii) The silt traps and separator shall be in accordance with I.S. EN-858-2: 2003 (separator systems for light liquids).</li> </ul>	No
<p>10. The licensee shall conclude an end user agreement with Irish Water.</p>	No
<p>11. In the event of any incident which relates to discharges to sewer having taken place, the licensee shall notify Irish Water and the Local Authority, in the manner prescribed by Irish Water, as soon as practicable after such an incident.</p>	Yes
<p>12. No alteration to, or reconstruction in respect of, the activity, or any part thereof, that would, or is likely to, result in</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) a material change or increase in: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ the nature or quantity of any emission;</li> <li>▪ the abatement/treatment or recovery systems;</li> <li>▪ the range of processes to be carried out;</li> <li>▪ the fuels, raw materials, intermediates, products or wastes generated, or</li> </ul> </li> <li>(ii) any changes in: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ site management, infrastructure or control with adverse environmental significance;</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p>shall be carried out or commenced without prior notice to, and without the approval of, the Agency <b>and/or Irish Water as appropriate.</b></p>	Yes

End User Agreement definition proposed to be included in the Glossary of Terms for the IED/Waste Licences:

End User Agreement: "An agreement between the licensee and Irish Water which provides for the contractual conditions and arrangements relating to the acceptance of, and treatment by, Irish Water of the Licensee's trade effluent and wastewater."

<p><b>ADDITIONAL GENERAL CONSENT CONDITIONS</b> In respect of discharges or emissions to sewers, in accordance with Section 99E of the Environmental Protection Agency Act 1992, as amended. (Specify, if required)</p>

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## Limit Values for Process Effluent to Sewer

### Schedule B: Emission Limits

Emission Point Reference No.: SE1

Emission to (*sewer description*): 319196E, 245834N

Volume of Trade effluent:

Maximum in any one day: 400 m<sup>3</sup>  
Maximum in any hour: 40 m<sup>3</sup>

Parameter	Emission Limit Values	
pH	6-10 pH Units	
Temperature	35°C	
	Daily Concentration (mg/l)	Daily Load (kg/day)
BOD	750	240
COD	1200	360
Suspended Solids	1,600	400
Fats Oils & Grease	100	40
Total Phosphorus (as P)	50	20
Total Nitrogen	100	40
Sulphate	200	80
Chloride	2,000	480
Detergents	100	40

## Frequency of Monitoring Process Effluent to Sewer

### Schedule C

Emission Point Reference No.:

SE2

Parameter	Monitoring Frequency (Note 1)	Analysis Method/Technique
Flow to sewer	Continuous	Flow meter & recorder
Temperature	Continuous	Temperature Probe & recorder
pH	Continuous	pH meter & recorder
Chemical Oxygen Demand	Monthly	Standard Method
Biochemical Oxygen Demand	Monthly	Standard Method
Suspended Solids	Monthly	Standard Method
Fats, Oils and Greases (FOG)	Monthly	Standard Method
Total Nitrogen (as N)	Monthly	Standard Method
Total Oxidised Nitrogen	Monthly	Standard Method
Ammonia (as N)	Monthly	Standard Method
Total Phosphorus (as P)	Monthly	Standard Method
Orthophosphate (as P)	Monthly	Standard Method
Detergents (as MBAS)	Monthly	Standard Method
Organic Solvents (VOCs & SVOCs)	Annually	Standard Methods
Full Metals Suite	As Requested	Standard Methods
Respirometry	As Requested	Standard Methods
Toxicity	As Requested	Standard Methods
Active Pharmaceuticals	As requested	Standard Methods

#### Note 1.

All samples excluding those for pH and temperature shall be collected on a 24 hour flow proportional composite sampling basis.

## Control of Emissions to Sewer

Description of treatment: Treatment/Abatement control

Control Parameter	Monitoring	Key Equipment
pH	Continuous Monitoring	pH Probe with recorder
Temperature	Continuous Monitoring	Temperature Probe with recorder
Flow	Continuous Monitoring	Flow Meter with recorder

Signed on behalf of *Shirley Wilson*

*MD Leary*

Date

*25/6/19*

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