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**EPA Ref: S0032-01**

To Whom It Concerns,

I refer to your request for comments/observations from the Dept of Agriculture Food and the Marine, with regards to this application for a dumping at sea permit for Cork County Council at Ballycotton, County Cork.

Please include the following conditions is any permit that issues:-

- There appears to be a discrepancy between the quantity of material being applied for disposal at sea (33,000T) and that identified in the foreshore licence application for dredging, i.e., 19,500T (or 18,000T for disposal at sea) from the foreshore licence application (**FW-8-95**). The Marine Institute (MI) advises that this discrepancy be communicated to the EPA in order to clarify.
- Interactions with fisheries interests are likely. The MI recommends full engagement with users in the area and suggests it is carried out on an ongoing basis until the works are completed.

Regards,

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