



### Submission

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### Application

Applicant:	Anglo Beef Processors Ireland Unlimited Company
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See below for Submission details.

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To whom it may concern

I wish to object to renewal of the license for the ABP plant in Christendom in Ferrybank.

I have lived in Ferrybank majority of my life. Until recently I lived in Christendom, a 5 minute walk from ABP and I now live on the Abbey Road, a 10 minute walk from the factory.

My experience from living in close proximity to the processing plant has been nothing but negative such as:

- Having to close the windows in our house because the smell is so bad and having the deal with unbearable heat because of this
- Not being able to hang out my washing due to the same smell
- Having to close car windows driving to and from home due to heavy trucks full of animals and sewage spewing out the back and the fumes from that and their exhausts
- Getting stuck behind those same lorries on a road that is not fit for purpose for such vehicles which you have to give way to as you can't pass at the same time as each other
- Having to explain to visitors that the awful smell is from the meat plant which is mortifying and can't be healthy

These are to name a few examples of the issues faced living in proximity to a large meat processing factory which you are considering expanding. I completely understand the impact of such facilities, in a positive way on jobs but the location should be given due consideration as it is no longer sustainable to have an upscale production facility in such a large suburban area. These facilities belong in an area where their environmental impact can be regulated and no longer effecting the community in which they are located. (See Glanbia as reference)

Yours sincerely

Rachel Shanahan