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Applicant:	Messrs Jim and Mark Wright T/A JMW Farms
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Licensing Staff
IPPC Licence Review Application P0696-03 J&M Wright T/A JMW Farms

Date: Attachments:

To whom it concerns,

Attached please find our observations regarding IPPC Licence Review Application P0696-03 J&M Wright T/A JMW Farms for a pig farm at Crosses, Monaghan.

Yours faithfully, Michaela

Michaela Kirrane

Senior Fisheries Environmental Officer

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Environmental Protection Agency, P.O. Box 3000, Johnstown Castle Estate, Co. Wexford.

18th March, 2025

Re: IPPC Licence Review: J & M Wright T/A JMW Farms
Reg No: P0696-03

Dear Sir/Madam,

We refer to the above mentioned application for a licence review for a pig farm at Crosses. Monaghan.

Inland Fisheries Ireland (IFI) is a statutory agency responsible for inland fisheries in Ireland. Under section 7(1) of the Inland Fisheries Act 2010 (No. 10 of 2010) the principal function of IFI is the protection, management and conservation of the inland fisheries resource.

The site is located in the Mullamurphy Stream catchment, which is part of the Cor/Clontibret River catchment. These watercourses contain fisheries habitats and support stocks of brown trout and European eel among other species.

The WFD Ecological status of the waterbody close to the facility, Mullamurphy_010, is Moderate.

We note that all pig manure from the facility is to be allocated to customer farmers for use as organic fertiliser.

IFI recommends the following regarding this application:

- The number of pigs at the facility should not exceed that in the application.
- All effluent, soiled water and solid wastes should be stored on site in adequately sized and sited watertight structures.
- Buildings should comply with Department of Agriculture standards and regulations.
- All effluent and wash water to be disposed of by landspreading should be carried out in accordance with the Department of Agriculture's booklet Good Farming Practice. The EPA's Pollution Impact Potential Maps should be referred to in relation to landspreading locations associated with this facility.
- Only clean, uncontaminated storm water should be discharged to surface water. A log of daily visual inspections of the surface water discharge points should be maintained on site.

Please keep us informed of progress with this application.

Yours faithfully

Michaela Kirrane,

Senior Fisheries Environmental Officer, IFI Dublin