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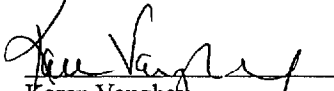
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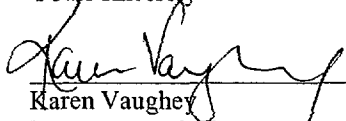
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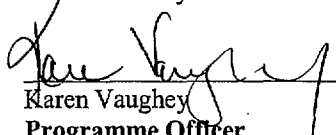
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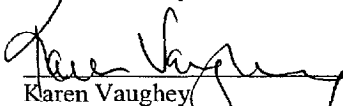
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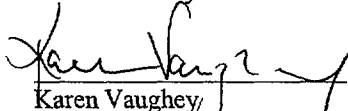
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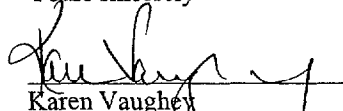
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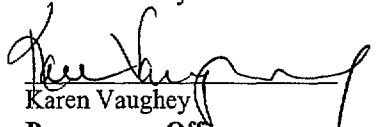
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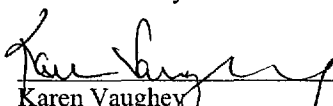
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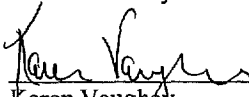
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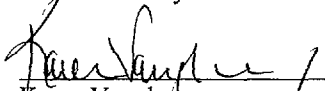
15. For the purpose of section 40(2)(b) of the Acts, a person may make a written submission to the Agency in relation to -
- (i) an application, and
 - (ii) such plans, documents and other information and particulars, including an environmental impact statement, as are submitted by the applicant in accordance with Articles 12, 13, 14 and 16,
- and the Agency shall not give notice of a proposed decision under Section 42(2) of the Acts before the expiry of a period of one month following the date of a relevant -
- (a) acknowledgement in accordance with Article 14(2)(a), or
 - (b) notice in accordance with Article 16(2)(a), or
 - (c) acknowledgement in accordance with Article 16(4),
- whichever such date is the later.

The application and associated correspondence, including the acknowledgements and notifications referred to in Article 15, are available on the public file relating to the application as they arise and that file may be inspected by any person during office hours at the Agency's headquarters. A copy of the file is also available for inspection at the offices of Donegal County Council. Copy extracts from the file will be supplied by the Agency to any person, on request, subject to payment of the reasonable cost of making the copy.

The Agency will have regard to any submission made in accordance with the Regulations and will write, in due course, to each person who makes such a submission, to advise them of the Agency's proposed decision on the application.

In accordance with Article 22(1)(b) of the Waste Management (Licensing) Regulations, 2004, the Agency will write to you to inform you of its proposed decision on the application in due course.

Yours sincerely



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An Gníomhaireacht um Chaomhnú Comhshaoil

Waste Management Licensing

Details of Waste Licence Application, in accordance with Article 18(2) of the Waste Management (Licensing) Regulations, as of 04 January 2005.

Application Reference/ Register No.: 215-1

Applicant Name/ Address:

Donegal County Council
County House
Lifford
County Donegal

Name & Location of Facility/ Premises concerned:

Meenaboll Landfill Site, Meenaboll,
Letterkenny, County Donegal,

National grid reference of facility/ Premises

1995 4094

Note: The class or classes of activity concerned in this application are detailed on the reverse.

re: Waste Licence Application Reg No: 215-1, made by Donegal County Council, County House, Lifford, County Donegal, in respect of a facility/ premises at Meenaboll, Letterkenny, County Donegal, . The class or classes of activity concerned in the above referenced waste licence application as of 04 January 2005, in accordance with the Third and Fourth Schedules to the Waste Management Acts, 1996 to 2003 are as follows (see the description of these activities below):

Third Schedule Class/es: 1, 4, 5, 6, 13/

Fourth Schedule Class/es: 2, 3, 4, 13/

The applicant has specified the following as the principal activity: 3.5/

THIRD SCHEDULE	
<i>Waste Disposal Activities</i>	
1.	Deposit on, in or under land (including landfill).
2.	Land treatment, including biodegradation of liquid or sludge discards in soils.
3.	Deep injection of the soil, including injection of pumpable discards into wells, salt domes or naturally occurring repositories.
4.	Surface impoundment, including placement of liquid or sludge discards into pits, ponds or lagoons.
5.	Specially engineered landfill, including placement into lined discrete cells which are capped and isolated from one another and the environment.
6.	Biological treatment not referred to elsewhere in this Schedule which results in final compounds or mixtures which are disposed of by means of any activity referred to in paragraphs 1. to 5 or paragraphs 7 to 10 of this Schedule.
7.	Physico-chemical treatment not referred to elsewhere in this Schedule which results in final compounds or mixtures which are disposed of by means of any activity referred to in paragraphs 1 to 5 or paragraphs 8 to 10 of this Schedule (including evaporation, drying and calcination).
8.	Incineration on land or at sea.
9.	Permanent storage, including emplacement of containers in a mine.
10.	Release of waste into a water body (including a seabed insertion).
11.	Blending or mixture prior to submission to any activity referred to in a preceding paragraph of this Schedule.
12.	Repackaging prior to submission to any activity referred to in a preceding paragraph of this Schedule.
13.	Storage prior to submission to any activity referred to in a preceding paragraph of this Schedule, other than temporary storage, pending collection, on the premises where the waste concerned is produced.
FOURTH SCHEDULE	
<i>Waste Recovery Activities</i>	
1.	Solvent reclamation or regeneration.
2.	Recycling or reclamation of organic substances which are not used as solvents (including composting and other biological processes).
3.	Recycling or reclamation of metals and metal compounds.
4.	Recycling or reclamation of other inorganic materials.
5.	Regeneration of acids or bases.
6.	Recovery of components used for pollution abatement.
7.	Recovery of components from catalysts.
8.	Oil re-refining or other re-uses of oil.
9.	Use of any waste principally as a fuel or other means to generate energy.
10.	The treatment of any waste on land with a consequential benefit for an agricultural activity or ecological system.
11.	Use of waste obtained from any activity referred to in a preceding paragraph of this Schedule.
12.	Exchange of waste for submission to any activity referred to in a preceding paragraph of this Schedule.
13.	Storage of waste intended for submission to any activity referred to in a preceding paragraph of this Schedule, other than temporary storage, pending collection, on the premises where such waste is produced.