

Extract from the 439th Licensing Meeting of the Agency, held on 8 February 2005, in Headquarters, Johnstown Castle Estate, Wexford.

4. **Recommended Decision on a Waste Licence**
(ii) *Licensee:* **Carlow County Council
Powerstown Landfill
Powerstown
Co Carlow**
Register of Licence No. 25-2

The Directors considered a recommendation from the Office of Licensing and Guidance that the Agency approve the recommended decision to grant a revised waste licence. The following documentation was submitted: recommended decision; fifteen third party submissions; summary report of the Inspector. A copy of the licence application was tabled.

P Larkin gave a presentation

Inspector's Report

The Directors noted the Inspector's Report.

p.2 3rd para: Clarify classification of the River Barrow as *cyprinid* or *salmonid*

Proposed Decision

Interpretation

Clarify definitions for cover material; hours of operation; hours of waste acceptance and inert waste.

Condition

- 1.5.1.2 Clarify Article 14 Response to list limitations.
- 3.15.2 Amend 1st line to read: *Prior to the commencement of site construction...*
- 3.22.1 Amend to insert additional condition e) *Leakage into leak detection layer*
- 4.4.1 Amend last sentence to read: *...unlined landfill area, in addition to the above, the compacted mineral layer shall be augmented...*
- 4.7 Amend to read: *...cessation of waste disposal at the landfill facility or in the event that leakage is detected in the leak detection layer.*
- 5.7.1.1 Amend to read: *Sewage sludge shall be subject to treatment and must achieve a minimum solids content of 17% prior to acceptance at the facility. All ...*
- 5.9.4 Clarify *floor* of the Civic Waste Facility
Insert additional condition relating to time limit for removal of material.
- 5. Amend to include condition relating to provision of alternative water supply in the event of contamination of drinking water by the facility.
- 5.10.2 Amend to read: *...shall be used to monitor leachate levels in lined cells and leakage into the leak detection layer.*
- 7.7.1 Amend 3rd line to read: *...methods or materials, which...*
- 8 Amend to include additional condition 8.15 relating to the Pollution Emission Register (PER) as follows: *The licensee shall prepare and maintain a PER for the site. The substances to be included in the PER shall be agreed by the Agency each year by reference to the list specified in the Agency's AER Guidance Note. The PER shall be prepared in accordance with any relevant guidelines issued by the Agency and shall be submitted as part of the AER.*

- 11 Amend to include condition relating to *Electronic Record Keeping*
11.3.2 Amend 3rd line to read: ...in order *to militate against* the occurrence...

Schedule

F Clarify if this Schedule as drafted is necessary

Charges Sheet

Sec.A Insert data under *No. Returns/Reports*

The Directors approved the recommended decision to grant a revised licence, as modified, to Carlow County Council, Powerstown Landfill, Powerstown, Co Carlow, Register of Licence No. 25-2, subject to the conditions as set out in the licence document.