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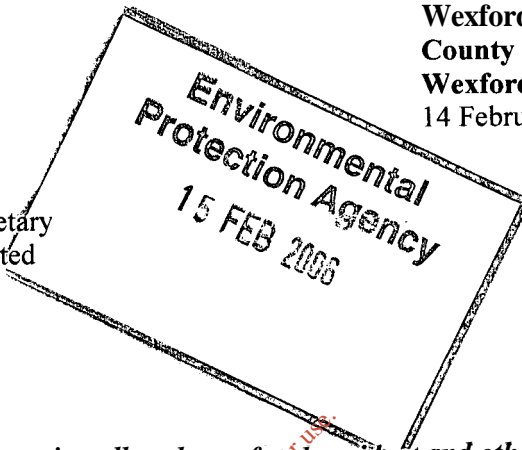
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Environment Section
Wexford County Council
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14 February 2006

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Company Secretary
Greenstar Limited
LaVallee
Fassaroe
Bray
Co Wicklow.



Re: Letter concerning alleged nearfatal accident and other environmental concerns

A Chara,

Please find attached a copy of a letter received by Wexford County Council concerning your site at Ramstown Lower, Gorey. As it is the policy of Wexford County Council not to disclose a complainant's identity, these details have been deleted from the letter.

Please prepare a report for submission to Wexford County Council on the issues raised in this letter, specifically, regarding the alleged near fatal accident, obnoxious odours and liquid run off.

This report should identify causes of the complaints, and steps taken to address the situation, or proposals of steps to be taken

Please submit this report by 14-March 2006.

If you have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact me on 053 9176680

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Niall Kane
Executive Engineer
Environment Enforcement

cc. Office of Licensing and Guidance, EPA.

100 Years of Community Service
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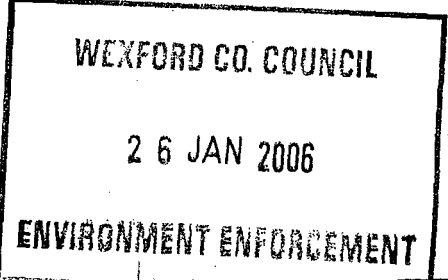
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Our Ref: [Redacted]
Your Ref:
Date: 24th January, 2006

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Department of the Environment,
Enforcement Section,
Wexford County Council,
County Hall,
Wexford.



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RE: Our Client: [Redacted]
Illegal Waste Depot at Ramstown, Gorey

Dear Sir,

We act for [Redacted]

We are advised by our Client that there is an unauthorised waste disposal operation in progress at Ramstown Lower, Gorey, Co Wexford. We are further instructed by our Client: that this waste disposal unit is owned by **Mr. Seamus Kelly of Kelly Skip Hire**. It is believed that Mr. Kelly has leased his property to **Greenstar** but that he, Mr. Kelly, is still involved in the running of the waste disposal unit at this location.

Over the past few years our Client has had to tolerate obnoxious odours, toxic liquid run-off and wet waste being stacked, stored and retained on this site. Lorries are passing through our Client's property to gain access to the premises in question, leaving a trail of toxic wet waste and other matter.

We attach copy letter dated 23rd November 2004 which we sent to the EPA complaining about this matter. This letter was also sent to Seamus Kelly & Sons and Kieran O'Brien of Wexford County Council and the White **Young Green Association**:

The problems emanating from this property have reached such a level that they are now intolerable.

A near fatal accident occurred in recent times when a large mechanical Shovel operated on the site while pushing toxic waste against a boundary wall, actually demolished the wall where our Client's workmen were in the course of carrying out their lawful and daily work. Fortunately, on that occasion, there were no fatalities, but this incident clearly demonstrates the dangerous manner in which the depot is operated. There are clear breaches of the Safety at Work Regulations. The wall in question is totally unsuited for such use and is structurally unsound.

Our Client is extremely concerned at the possibility of a fatality on site or of serious injury occurring to staff or other members of the public lawfully attending the Business Park.

We understand that the work carried on at this property requires a Waste Licence under the provisions of the Waste Management Act 1996 and that no such licence has been granted to either Kelly Waste or Greenstar. We now demand that the Council take immediate action by way of Injunction, if necessary, to close down the illegal operations carried on at this property.

We await an immediate response.

Yours faithfully,

[Redacted signature block]

[Redacted name]

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