

# OFFICE OF LICENSING & GUIDANCE

## INSPECTORS REPORT ON TECHNICAL AMENDMENT APPLICATION

To: DIRECTOR

From: PATRICK BYRNE, INSPECTOR - LICENSING UNIT

Date: JANUARY 2006

TECHNICAL AMENDMENT APPLICATION FROM

MACANULTY SPEACIALIST UNDERGROOUND SERVICES

LIMITED, REG. NO. 196-1

#### **Background**

RE:

MacAnulty Specialist Underground Services Limited (MacAnulty) was granted a licence by the Agency on the 23<sup>rd</sup> November 2004. The waste licence granted is for the operation of a hazardous waste facility, the quantity of waste to be accepted at the facility is limited to 35,400 tonnes per annum consisting of hazardous waste and industrial waste. The majority of the waste accepted at the facility will be oil contaminated wastewater from such sources as bunds and oil interceptors. The contaminated wastewater will be treated at the hydrocarbon waste treatment plant by a sedimentation process to recover oil from the wastewater. Small quantities of waste inks and oils will be accepted at the facility for storage prior to transfer off site for recovery or disposal.

MacAnulty have not commenced operations at the facility, however in correspondence dated the 13/09/05 and 28/10/05 they requested approval to expand the range of wastes accepted to include oily rags and packaged batteries. The proposed quantity of packaged batteries to be accepted at the site is estimated at 950 tonnes per annum, equating to 19 tonnes per week. The volume of waste would not be in addition to the existing maximum allowable tonnage under the waste licence. The licensee proposes to construct a bunded storage area to store up to 50 tonnes of packaged batteries prior to shipment off-site. The specification of the storage area must be agreed with the Agency as a Specified Engineering Works prior to construction.

#### Recommendation

The licensee's request should be accommodated by means of a technical amendment of their licence under Section 42B(1)(c) of the Waste Management Acts 1996 to 2005. The request is deemed to be modest and environmentally insignificant and will comply with and not contravene any of the requirements of Section 40(4) of the Waste Management Acts 1996-2005.

Signed

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# WASTE LICENCE TECHNICAL AMENDMENT A

Licence Register Number:	196-1
Applicant/Licensee:	MacAnulty Specialist Underground Services Limited
Location of Facility:	MacAnulty Clear Drains, John F. Kennedy Industrial Estate, John
	F. Kennedy Road, Naas Road, Dublin 12

### Reasons for the Decision

The Environmental Protection Agency (the Agency) is satisfied, on the basis of the information available, that subject to compliance with the conditions of licence Reg. No. 196-1 granted on the 23/11/2004, as well as any amendments noted herein, any emissions from the activity will comply with and not contravene any of the requirements of Section 40(4) of the Waste Management Acts 1996 to 2005.

### Technical Amendment

In pursuance of the powers conferred on it by Section 42B(1)(c) of the Waste Management Acts 1996 to 2005, the Agency amends Licence Reg. No. 196-1, granted to MacAnulty Specialists Underground Services Limited, John F. Kennedy Industrial Estate, John F. Kennedy Road, Naas Road, Dublin 12.

Henceforth, Waste Licence Register No. 196-1 (granted 23<sup>rd</sup> November 2004) shall be read in conjunction with the amendment set out below.

This technical amendment is limited to footnote 2 of *Schedule A.1 Waste Acceptance* of Licence Reg. No. 196-1. Footnote 2 is replaced by the following:

Note 2: Hazardous waste types as listed in Table E.2.2 *Hazardous Waste Types and Quantities* of the application or other compatible hazardous waste as may be approved in writing with the Agency.

This technical amendment shall be cited as Amendment A to Waste Licence Register No.196-1 dated 23<sup>rd</sup> November, 2004 (shorthand: 196-1/A).

Sealed by the seal of the Agency on this the \*\*/\*\*/\*\*\*\*day of \*\* 2006

PRESENT when the seal of the Agency was affixed hereto:

Padraic Larkin, Director/Authorised Person