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I acknowledge receipt of your letter dated 1 January 2008, which was received 10 January 2008.

All the documentation in relation to this case is on public file and was presented to the all the members of the Board of the Agency (Dr. Mary Kelly, (Director General), Dr. Padraic Larkin, Mr. Dara Lynott, Ms. Laura Burke and Mr. Larry Stapleton), for consideration. The inspectors reports were processed within the Agency by staff of the licensing unit who are employed to administer the licensing system on behalf of the Board of the Agency. All the reports were conveyed to the Board for consideration. The facts of the case are that the reports of Dr. Marnane were submitted to the Board and were considered by the Board. Any issue with regard to who signed or did not sign these reports can be determined by the judicial review process if you feel that such a course of action is appropriate.

All standards and guidelines relevant with the determination of a licence are referenced in the inspector's report while regulatory framework is set out in the Waste Management Act 1996-2007 and in the Waste Management (Licensing) Regulations 2004 S.I. No. 395 of 2004.

The request for an oral hearing was dealt with by the inspector who processed the application.

Yours sincerely,

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