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Dear Mr. Walsh

I am to refer to the Agency's letter of the 16 November 2007, informing you of the Agency's decision to hold an oral hearing of the objections to the above referenced Proposed Decision.

I am to advise that the hearing will be carried out in accordance with the provisions of the Waste Management Acts, 1996 to 2007 and the associated Regulations. I am enclosing, for your information, an Agency publication entitled "*Waste Management Licensing – Aspects of Licensing Procedures: Objections, Oral Hearings*", which summarises the procedures relating to the consideration of objections and the holding of an oral hearing. This should not be taken to be a legal interpretation of the legislation.

I am to notify you, in accordance with Article 27 of the Regulations, of the arrangements for the oral hearing, as follows:

**Venue:** **Bracken Court Hotel (Martello Suite)**  
**Bridge Street**  
**Balbriggan**  
**County Dublin**

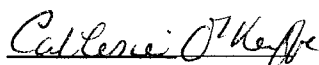
**Commencing on:** **Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> March 2008 at 10.30a.m.**

The hearing will be chaired by a person/s appointed by the Board of the Agency in accordance with the legislation.

In order to ensure the smooth running of the hearing, you should note the following:

- ✓ if you are proposing to present a written submission/s at the hearing, please ensure that you have adequate copies (in this case c. 20 copies) made for all other parties to examine and comment on during the course of the hearing.
- ✓ if you are intending to use equipment such as overhead projector or dvd player, in presenting your objections, you should notify the chairperson as soon as possible. In any event the onus is on the objector to arrange to have this equipment at the venue for the hearing.

Yours sincerely,



Catherine O'Keeffe

**Programme Officer**

Office of Climate, Licensing & Resource Use

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