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Reg No. W0232-01

re: Oral hearing of the objections to the proposed decision of the Agency on a waste licence application by Dublin City Council in respect of a facility at Dublin Waste to Energy Project, Pigeon House Road, Poolbeg Peninsula, Dublin 4, Reg. No. W0232-01.

Dear Mr Twomey,

I am to refer to the Agency's letter dated 8<sup>th</sup> January 2008, 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 and IPPC Licensing – Aspects of Licensing Procedures: Objection and 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:** Gresham Hotel,  
Upper O'Connell Street  
Dublin 1

**Commencing on:** Monday 14<sup>th</sup> April 2008  
at 10.00 am

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

In order to ensure the smooth running of the hearing, it is important to note the following:

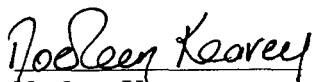
- ✓ if you are proposing to present a written submission/s at the hearing, please ensure that you have adequate copies (in this case c. 20 copies) made for all other parties to examine and comment on during the course of the hearing.



- ✓ if you are intending to use equipment such as overhead projector, tv/video/dvd etc., in presenting your oral submission/presentations, you should notify the Agency as soon as possible. While the Agency will endeavour to facilitate all concerned it should be noted that the onus is on the objector to arrange to have this equipment at the venue for the hearing.

Please note that the register number assigned to this waste licence application is W0232-01. Please address all correspondence in relation to this matter to the *Licensing Unit, Office of Climate, Licensing & Resource Use, Environmental Protection Agency, P.O. Box 3000, Johnstown Castle Estate, Co. Wexford* quoting the register number.

Yours sincerely,



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